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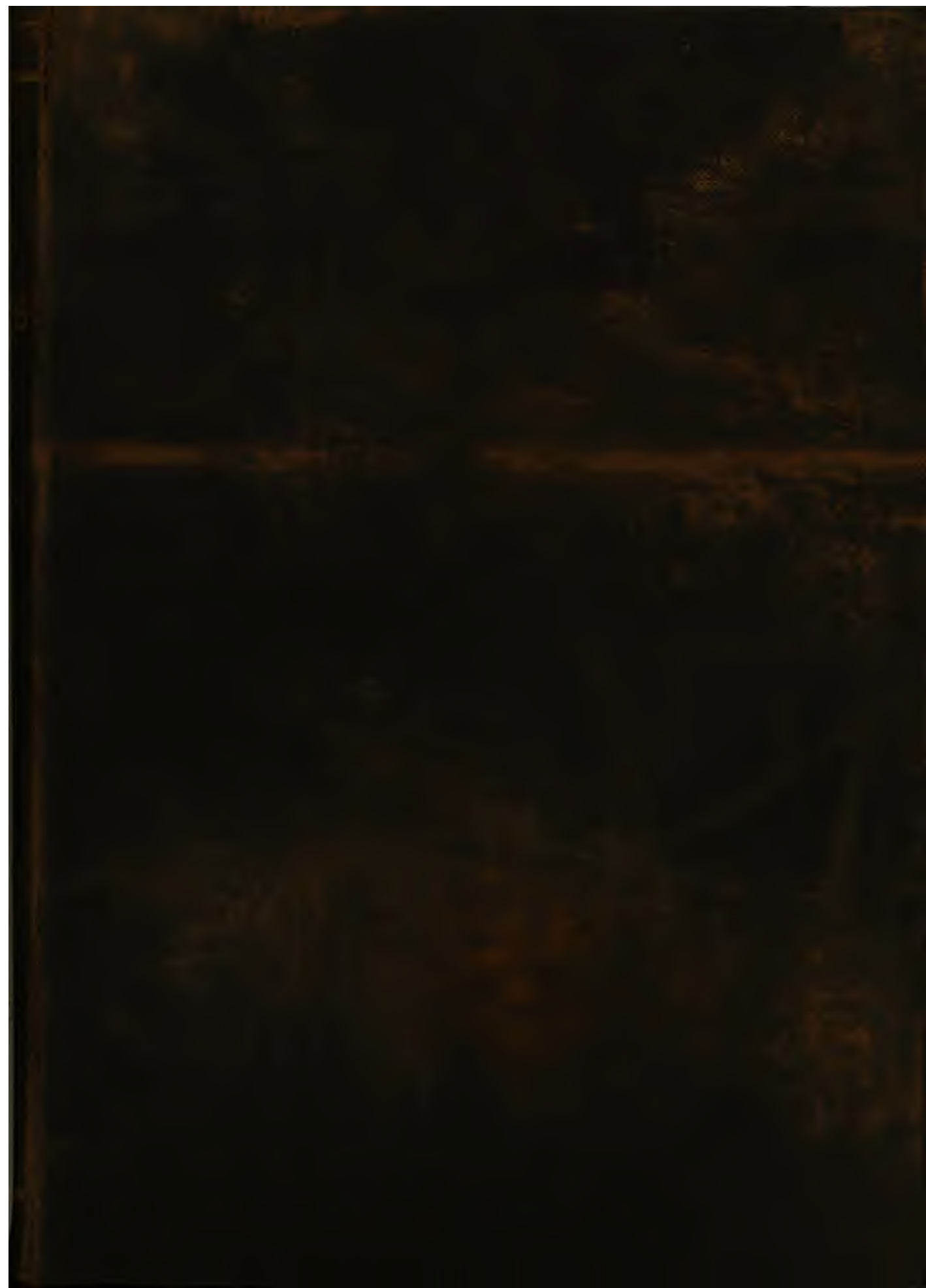
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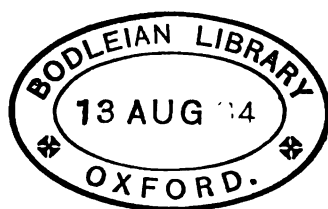
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PREFACE.

THE frequent use of illustrations by the Great Teacher, and by nearly all effective speakers, strongly commends the illustrative method to all who teach or speak in public.

Illustrations render special service in popular discourse. They condense a chain of logic in a striking simile, or crystallize a moral lesson in an impressive incident.

Biblical illustrations possess marked peculiarities. They not only interest the mind of the hearer, but their sacred associations secure his respect. The Bible dignifies the address in which it is reverently quoted. Besides this, it may be observed that while the repetition of other illustrations weary the hearer, those from the Bible are fresh forever. Familiarity often increases their effectiveness, as when a lawyer illustrates the insufficiency of circumstantial evidence by reference to Joseph's bloody coat, and Jacob's deep distress when he exclaimed, "An evil beast hath devoured him." Joseph's garment in the hands of Potiphar's wicked wife, and the unjust disgrace and imprisonment which followed, would not only furnish an incident deeply impressive to the ordinary juryman, but familiarity would lend force to the illustration.

In this volume are collected and alphabetically arranged under suitable topics, ten thousand quotations of Biblical facts, incidents, and striking statements. These selections cover a wide field of thought, and relate to almost every variety of character and to the varied experiences of human life. They may be applied not only to the truths of religion, but also in presenting those pertaining to science, philosophy, art, and political society.

In the preparation of this work reference has been had to the wants of speakers and writers in every profession; but the needs of religious instructors have been especially considered. Here the minister may find valuable assistance in the preparation of his discourses, and also in selecting pulpit lessons and Bible readings.

The Sunday-school teacher may use these illustrations as side-lights to illuminate the lessons. Bible students generally are here supplied with a vast amount of illustrative material, which without such a compilation could only be obtained at the cost of much valuable time and laborious research.

The plan of the book assumes a general knowledge of Biblical history on the part of the reader ; hence the abbreviation of quotations by ellipses of unessential words, and thereby a condensation of the volume. To lessen the time employed in seeking illustrations from these pages, a catch-word printed in italics follows the title of each article. By this means the quotation will usually be suggested without reading it. Sometimes the catch-word supplies an explanatory term.

In place of a general index, a system of cross-references is adopted, which will enable the reader to find without index-turning, where in this work topics of like import are illustrated, and a line of catch-words gives a key to each quotation referred to. This feature greatly increases the amount of illustrative materials, and at the same time facilitates their speedy selection. The textual index will show where any particular verse is used in this volume.

If this compilation shall be of practical service, in the hands of those for whom it has been prepared, the author will be satisfied with his humble endeavor.

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43. — Conditioned. Benjamin. [Joseph said to his brethren,] ²² Except your youngest brother come down with you, ye shall see my face no more.—GEN., ch. 44.

44. — Denied. Absalom. [Having caused the murder of his brother Amnon, Absalom fled into exile for three years. Joab then brought him to Jerusalem. David] ²⁴ The king said, Let him turn to his own house, and let him not see my face. So Absalom returned to his own house, and saw not the king's face.—2 SAM., ch. 14.

45. — Improved. Blood. ¹³ Ye are not come unto the mount that might be touched, and that burned with fire, nor unto blackness, and darkness, and tempest. ²² But ye are come unto mount Sion, and unto the city of the living God. ²⁴ And to Jesus the mediator of the new covenant, and to the blood of sprinkling, that speaketh better things than that of Abel.—HEB., chap. 12.

46. — Prohibited. Royal. [Mordecai desired Queen Esther to intercede with King Ahasuerus in behalf of the Jews. She replied,] ¹¹ Whosoever, whether man or woman, shall come unto the king into the inner court, who is not called, there is one law of his to put him to death, except such to whom the king shall hold out the golden sceptre, that he may live.—ESTHER, ch. 4.

47. — Provision for. Door. ¹ I am the door of the sheep. ⁹ I am the door: by me if any man enter in, he shall be saved, and shall go in and out, and find pasture.—JOHN, ch. 10.

48. — Restricted. On Mount Sinai. ²¹ Go down, charge the people, lest they break through unto the Lord to gaze, and many of them perish. ²² And Moses said, . . unto the Lord, The people cannot come up to mount Sinai: For thou chargedst us, saying, Set bounds about the mount, and sanctify it.—EX., ch. 19.

49. — Preparation for. Sprinkling. ¹⁸ When Moses had spoken every precept to all the people according to the law, he took the blood of calves and of goats, with water, and scarlet wool, and hyssop, and sprinkled both the book and all the people. ²⁰ Saying, This is the blood of the testament which God hath enjoined unto you.—HEB., ch. 9. [Soon God appeared on Sinai.]

50. — after Preparation. Sinai. [After the priests, people, and altar were sprinkled with blood,] ⁹ Then went up Moses, and Aaron, Nadab, and Abihu, and seventy of the elders. . . ¹⁰ And they saw the God of Israel: and there was under his feet as it were a paved work of a sapphire stone, and as it were the body of heaven in his clearness.—EX., ch. 24.

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Denied. Then shall they seek me. . . not find 8

51. ACCEPTANCE, Ambition for. Paul. ⁹ We labour, that, whether present or absent, we may be accepted of him.—2 COR., ch. 5.

52. — Authenticated. Voice. [At Jesus' baptism,] ¹⁶ . . . lo, the heavens were opened unto him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove, and lighting upon him: ¹⁷ And lo a

voice from heaven, saying, This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased.—*MAT.*, ch. 3.

53. — *Assurance of. Manoa.* ²² Manoa said unto his wife, We shall surely die, because we have seen God. ²³ But his wife said. . . If the Lord were pleased to kill us, he would not have received a burnt offering and a meat offering at our hands, neither would he have shewed us all these things, nor. . . have told us such things as these.—*JUDGES*, ch. 13.

54. — *In Dedication. Tabernacle.* [At the dedication of the tabernacle,] ²³ Moses and Aaron came out, and blessed the people: and the glory of the Lord appeared unto all the people. ²⁴ And there came a fire out from before the Lord, and consumed upon the altar the burnt offering and the fat: which when all the people saw, they shouted, and fell on their faces.—*LEV.*, ch. 9.

55. — *Denied. Jewish Offerings.* ¹³ ye brought that which was torn, and the lame, and the sick; thus ye brought an offering: should I accept this of your hand? saith the Lord.—*MAL.*, ch. 1.

56. — *Evidence of. Gideon.* [He made an offering for his angel guest.] ²¹ The angel of the Lord put forth the end of the staff that was in his hand, and touched the flesh and the unleavened cakes; and there rose up fire out of the rock, and consumed the flesh and the unleavened cakes. Then the angel. . . departed.—*JUDGES*, ch. 6.

57. — *Manifested. Abram.* [Abram divided the sacrifices, and waited.] ¹¹ When the sun went down, and it was dark, behold a smoking furnace, and a burning lamp. . . passed between those pieces. ¹⁸ In that same day the Lord made a covenant with Abram.—*GEN.*, ch. 15.

58. — *of Piety. Peter.* [After the vision of the sheet let down from heaven, Peter witnessed the conversion of Cornelius the Gentile, and said,] ²⁴ . . . Of a truth I perceive that God is no respecter of persons: ²⁵ But in every nation he that feareth him, and worketh righteousness, is accepted with him.—*ACTS*, ch. 10.

59. — *by Sacrifice. Abel.* ⁴ Abel. . . brought of the firstlings of his flock and of the fat thereof. And the Lord had respect unto Abel and to his offering: ⁵ But unto Cain and his offering he had not respect.—*GEN.*, ch. 4.

60. — *according to Sacrifice. Widow.* ⁴¹ Jesus sat over against the treasury, and beheld how the people cast money into the treasury: and many that were rich cast in much. ⁴² . . . This poor widow hath cast more in, than all they which have cast into the treasury.—*MAR.*, ch. 12.

61. — *Terms of. Sacrifice.* ¹ Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, or with ten thousands of rivers of oil? Shall I give my first-born for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul? ² . . . What doth the Lord require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God?—*MICAH*, ch. 6.

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62. *ACCIDENT, A destructive. Wall.* [In the city of Aphek,] ²⁰ . . . a wall fell upon twenty and seven thousand of the men that were left. [After a destructive battle.]—*1 KINGS*, ch. 20.

63. — *Fatal. Mother.* [One woman said to Solomon,] ¹⁹ This woman's child died in the night; because she overlaid it.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 3.

64. — *Impossible. Kine.* ¹⁰ . . . the Philistines took two milch kine, and tied them to the cart, and shut up their calves at home: ¹¹ And they laid the ark of the Lord upon the cart. . . ¹² And the kine took the straight way to the way of Beth-shemesh, and went along the highway, lowing as they went, and turned not aside to the right hand or to the left.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 6.

65. — *Lameness from. Jonathan's Son.* ⁴ . . . Mephibosheth was five years old when the tidings came of Saul and Jonathan out of Jezreel, and his nurse took him up, and fled: and. . . as she made haste to flee, he fell, and became lame.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 4.

66. — *Loss by. Axe.* ⁵ As one was felling a beam, the axe head fell into the water: and he cried, Alas, master! for it was borrowed.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 6.

67. — *Misjudged. Tower.* ⁴ Or those eighteen, upon whom the tower in Siloam fell, and slew them, think ye that they were sinners above all men that dwelt in Jerusalem? ⁵ I tell you, Nay: but, except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish.—*LUKE*, ch. 13.

68. — *A pardonable. Chance.* ²² If he thrust him suddenly without enmity, or have cast upon him any thing without laying of wait, ²³ Or with any stone. . . seeing him not. . . that he die, and was not his enemy, neither sought his harm.—*NUM.*, ch. 35.

69. — *Unpunished. Axe.* ⁴ . . . Whoso killeth his neighbour ignorantly, whom he hated not in time past; ⁵ As when a man goeth into the wood. . . to hew wood, and his hand fetcheth a stroke with the axe to cut down the tree, and the head slippeth from the helve, and lighteth upon his neighbour, that he die; he shall flee unto one of those cities, and live.—*DEUT.*, ch. 19.

70. *ACCIDENTS, Fatal. Refuge.* ¹¹ Ye shall appoint you cities to be cities of refuge. . . that the slayer may flee thither, which killeth any person at unawares.—*NUM.*, ch. 35.

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" [Ahaziah] Fell down through a lattice 6961

71. ACCOMPLISHMENTS, Numerous. *David.*
¹⁸ *Is cunning in playing, and a mighty valiant man, and a man of war, and prudent in matters, and a comely person, and the Lord is with him.*—1 SAM., ch. 16.

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Philosopher. [Solomon] Spake 3,000 proverbs	583
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72. ACCOUNTABILITY, Future. *Debtor.*
²³ Therefore is the kingdom of heaven likened unto a certain king, which would take account of his servants. ³⁴ And when he had begun to reckon, one was brought unto him, which owed him ten thousand talents.—MAT., ch. 18.

73. — for Gifts. *Pounds.* ¹⁹ A certain nobleman went into a far country to receive for himself a kingdom, and to return. ¹² And he called his ten servants, and delivered them ten pounds, and said, Occupy till I come.—LUKE, ch. 19. [One hid his pound in a napkin.]

74. — Minute. *Judgment.* ²⁵ A good man out of the good treasure of the heart bringeth forth good things: and an evil man out of the evil treasure bringeth forth evil things. ³⁶ Every idle word that men shall speak, they shall give account thereof in the day of judgment. ³⁷ By thy words thou shalt be justified, and by thy words thou shalt be condemned.—MAT., ch. 12.

75. — Personal. *Steward.* ¹ There was a certain rich man, which had a steward..was accused..that he had wasted his goods. ² Said unto him, How is it that I hear this of thee? give an account of thy stewardship; for thou mayest be no longer steward.—LUKE, ch. 16.

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76. ACCUSATION, An astounding. *Jesus.*
 [Jesus healed and pardoned the paralytic.] ⁶ But there were certain of the scribes sitting there, and reasoning in their hearts, 'Why doth this man thus speak blasphemies? who can forgive sins but God only?'—MARK, ch. 2.

77. — A fraudulent. *Potiphar's Wife.* ¹⁰ She spake to Joseph day by day, he hearkened not unto her, to lie by her, or to be with her. [When Potiphar returned, his wife said,] ¹⁷ The Hebrew servant..came in unto me to mock me: ¹⁹ And..as I lifted up my voice and cried, he left his garment with me, and fled out.—GEN., ch. 39.

78. — A false. *King Saul.* ¹ Saul said unto his servants, Will the son of Jesse give every

one of you fields and vineyards, and make you all captains of thousands, and captains of hundreds; ⁸ That all of you have conspired against me.—1 SAM., ch. 22. [David did not intrigue.]

79. — Of Treachery. *Jeremiah* went forth..to separate himself thence in the midst of the people. ¹³ And when he was in the gate of Benjamin, a captain of the ward was there, whose name was Irijah..and he took Jeremiah..saying, Thou fallest away to the Chaldeans. ¹⁵ Wherefore the princes were wroth..and smote him, and put him in prison in the house of Jonathan the scribe.—JER., ch. 37.

80. — Investigated. *Traitor.* ¹⁸ As they sat and did eat, Jesus said, Verily I say unto you, One of you which eateth with me shall betray me. ¹⁹ And they began to be sorrowful, and to say unto him one by one, Is it I? and another said, Is it I?—MARK, ch. 14.

81. — Meekness under. *Jesus.* ⁹ Herod questioned with him in many words; but he answered him nothing. ¹⁰ And the chief priests and scribes stood and vehemently accused him.—LUKE, ch. 23.

82. — Misapplied. *Ahab.* [There was a long drouth in the land.] ¹⁷ When Ahab saw Elijah..Ahab said, Art thou he that troubleth Israel? ¹⁸ And he answered, I have not troubled Israel; but thou, and thy father's house, in that ye have forsaken the commandments of the Lord, and thou hast followed Baalim.—1 KINGS, ch. 18.

83. — Malicious. *Samaritans.* [Being denied a part in the rebuilding of the temple, they sought to hinder it.] ⁶ And in the reign of Ahasuerus..wrote they unto him an accusation against the inhabitants of Judah and Jerusalem.—EZRA, ch. 4.

84. — Resented. *Disgraceful.* ⁶ Saul had a concubine, whose name was Rizpah..and Ish-bosheth said to Abner, Wherefore hast thou gone in unto my father's concubine? ⁸ Then was Abner very wroth..and said, Am I a dog's head, which against Judah do shew kindness this day unto the house of Saul thy father..and have not delivered thee into the hand of David, that thou chargest me to day with a fault concerning this woman?—2 SAM., ch. 3.

85. — Falsely Sustained. *Stephen.* [The Jews arrested Stephen,] ¹³ And set up false witnesses, which said, This man ceaseth not to speak blasphemous words against this holy place, and the law.—ACTS, ch. 6.

86. — Suppressed. *Adulteress.* ³ The scribes and Pharisees brought unto him a woman taken in adultery; ⁶ Now Moses in the law commanded us, that such should be stoned: but what sayest thou? ⁷ He that is without sin among you, let him first cast a stone at her. ⁹ And they..being convicted by their own conscience, went out one by one, beginning at the eldest, even unto the last.—JOHN, ch. 8.

87. — Unsustained. *Jesus.* ¹³ Pilate, when he had called together the chief priests..rulers and the people, ¹⁴ Said, Ye have brought this man unto me, as one that perverteth the people; and behold, I, having examined him before you, have found no fault in this man touching those things whereof ye accuse him: ¹⁵ No, nor yet Herod.—LUKE, ch. 23.

88. — Withheld. *Michael.* ⁹ Michael the

archangel, when contending with the devil he disputed about the body of Moses, durst not bring against him a railing accusation, but said, The Lord rebuke thee.—**JUDG.**

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89. ACQUAINTANCE, Influence of. Herod. "Herod feared John, knowing that he was a just man and a holy, and observed him; and when he heard him, he did many things, and heard him gladly.—**MARK**, ch. 6.

See **ASSOCIATES** and references.

90. ACQUITTAL, Punishment after. Pilate. "Ye have brought this man unto me, as one that perverteth the people; and, behold, I, having examined him before you, have found no fault in this man touching those things whereof ye accuse him: "No, nor yet Herod.—**LUKE**, ch. 23.

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Restitution. Borrow..if the owner be with it	7273
Warning. Turn thee..wherefore should I smite	7252

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91. ACTION instead of Eloquence. Moses. "O my Lord, I am not eloquent, neither heretofore, nor since thou hast spoken unto thy servant; but I am slow of speech, and of a slow tongue. "And thou shalt take this rod in thine hand, wherewith thou shalt do signs.—**EX.**, ch. 4.

92. ACTIVITY, Astonishing. Jesus. "The multitude cometh together again, so that they could not so much as eat bread. "And when his friends heard of it, they went out to lay hold on him: for they said, He is beside himself.—**MARK**, ch. 3.

93. — Benevolent. Jesus. "Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing every sickness and every disease among the people.—**MAT.**, ch. 9.

94. — SPIRITUALITY. Martha—Mary. "Mary sat at Jesus' feet, and heard his word. "But Martha was cumbered about much serving. "Mary hath chosen that good part, which shall not be taken away from her.—**LUKE**, ch. 10.

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Earnest. The kingdom of heaven..violent take it	9784
Evinee. If..a great people..land of the giants	9811
Faith. Go show..as they went they were	2888
Gentleness. Youth drew not his sword, for he	9966
Industrious. She hastened..ran..drew for..camels	4442
Rewarded. Let not your hands be weak	9804

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See **WORK** and references.

95. ACUTENESS of Perception. David. [Joab suborned a widow of Tekoah to disguise herself, and by a parable incline David's heart toward Absalom the fratricide.] "Is not the hand of Joab with thee in all this? And the woman answered. "As thy soul liveth, my lord the king, none can turn to the right hand or to the left from aught that my lord the king hath spoken: for thy servant Joab, he bade me, and he put all these words in the mouth of thine handmaid.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 14.

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96. ADDRESS, An irresistible. *Stephen.*
 *There arose certain of the synagogue of the Libertines, and Cyrenians, and Alexandrians, and of them of Cilicia and of Asia, disputing with Stephen. ¹⁰And they were not able to resist the wisdom and the spirit by which he spake.—*Acts*, ch. 6.

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97. ADJURATION, A foolish. *Saul.* [The Israelites were victorious after long subjugation. The Philistines were panic-stricken.]
 *And the men of Israel were distressed that day: for Saul had adjured the people, saying, Cursed be the man that eateth any food until evening, that I may be avenged on mine enemies. So none of the people tasted any food. —1 SAM., ch. 14. [Jonathan, his brave son, ate in ignorance of the adjuration. The famished people afterward ate flesh with the blood, thus breaking the law.]

98. — Sacred. *Trial of Jesus.* *Jesus held his peace. And the high priest..said..I adjure thee by the living God, that thou tell us whether thou be the Christ, the Son of God. *Jesus saith..Thou hast said: nevertheless I say unto you, Hereafter shall ye see the Son of man sitting on the right hand of power, and coming in the clouds of heaven.—*Mat.*, ch. 26.

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99. ADMINISTRATION, Change of. *Egypt.*
 *There arose up a new king over Egypt, which knew not Joseph.—*Ex.*, ch. 1.

100. — Rejected. *Samuel's Sons.* *Walked not in his ways, but turned aside after lucre, and took bribes, and perverted judgment. *Then all the elders of Israel came to Samuel, *And said, Now make us a king to judge us like all the nations.—1 SAM., ch. 7.

101. — Change of. *Moses.* [The ten spies returned to Moses with their evil report of the land of Canaan, which alarmed the people.]
 *And they said..Let us make a captain, and let us return into Egypt.—*Num.*, ch. 14.

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102. ADMONITION disregarded. *Mordecai.*
 *The king's servants..said unto Mordecai, Why transgressest thou the king's commandment?
 *..When they spake daily unto him, and he

hearkened not unto them..they told Haman, to see whether Mordecai's matters would stand: for he had told them that he was a Jew.—*ESTHER*, ch. 3.

103. — A fraternal. *Paul.* ¹⁴If any man obey not our word by this epistle, note that man, and have no company with him, that he may be ashamed. ¹⁵Yet count him not as an enemy, but admonish him as a brother.—2 *THESS.*, ch. 3.

104. — An incredible. *Passover.* ¹⁸As they sat and did eat, Jesus said, Verily I say unto you, One of you which eateth with me shall betray me.—*MAR.*, ch. 14.

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106. — Grateful. *Mephibosheth.* ¹ . . . David said, Is there yet any that is left of the house of Saul, that I may shew him kindness for Jonathan's sake? ¹¹ . . . Mephibosheth shall eat at my table, as one of the king's sons.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 9.

107. — through Sympathy. *Moses.* [Pharaoh's daughter opened the ark where Moses lay, and] ⁶ . . . the babe wept. And she had compassion on him, and said, This is one of the Hebrew's children. ¹⁰ And the child grew, and she brought him unto Pharaoh's daughter, and he became her son.—*EX.*, ch. 2.

108. ADORNMENT, Christian. *Paul.* ⁹ That women adorn themselves in modest apparel, with shamefacedness and sobriety ; not with braided hair, or gold, or pearls, or costly array ; ¹⁰ But . . . with good works.—*1 TIM.*, ch. 2.

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109. ADULTERY, Accusation of. *Potiphar's Wife.* ¹⁹ When his master heard the words of his wife, saying, After this manner did thy servant to me ; that his wrath was kindled. ²⁰ And Joseph's master took him, and put him into the prison, a place where the king's prisoners were bound.—*GEN.*, ch. 39.

110. — — Resentment. *Ish-bosheth* said to Abner, Wherefore hast thou gone in unto my father's concubine? ⁸ Then was Abner very wroth . . . and said, Am I a dog's head, which against Judah do shew kindness this day unto the house of Saul.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 3.

111. — Concealment of. *Darkness.* ¹⁵ The eye also of the adulterer waiteth for the twilight, saying, No eye shall see me : and disguiseth his face. ¹⁶ In the dark they dig through houses, which they had marked for themselves in the daytime : they know not the light. ¹⁷ For the morning is to them even as the shadow of death : if one know them, they are in the terrors of the shadow of death.—*JOB*, ch. 24.

112. — Divorce for. *Jesus.* ⁹ . . . Whosoever shall put away his wife, except it be for fornication, and shall marry another, committeth adultery : and whoso marrieth her which is put away doth commit adultery.—*MAT.*, ch. 19.

113. — Destructive. *Solomon.* ²¹ Can a man take fire in his bosom, and his clothes not be burned? ²² Can one go upon hot coals, and his feet not be burned? ²³ Whoso committeth adultery with a woman lacketh understanding : he that doeth it destroyeth his own soul.—*PROV.*, ch. 6.

114. — Incipient. *Jesus.* ²³ . . . Whosoever looketh on a woman to lust after her hath committed adultery with her already in his heart.—*MAT.*, ch. 5.

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115. ADULTERESS, Arts of the. *Harlot.* ⁹ In the twilight, in the evening, in the black and dark night : ¹⁰ . . . Behold, there met him a woman with the attire of a harlot, and subtle of heart. ¹³ So she caught him, and kissed him, and with an impudent face said : ¹⁴ I have peace

offerings with me ; this day have I paid my vows.—*PROV.*, ch. 7.

116. — Destructive. *Influence.* ¹⁸ Her house inclineth unto death, and her paths unto the dead. ¹⁹ None that go unto her return again, neither take they hold of the paths of life.—*PROV.*, ch. 2.

117. — Deception of the. *The End.* ³ The lips of a strange woman drop as a honeycomb, and her mouth is smoother than oil. ⁴ But her end is bitter as wormwood, sharp as a two-edged sword. ⁵ Her feet go down to death ; her steps take hold on hell.—*PROV.*, ch. 5.

118. — Pardoned. *Jesus.* ¹⁰ . . . Woman, where are those thine accusers? hath no man condemned thee? ¹¹ She said, No man, Lord. And Jesus said unto her, Neither do I condemn thee : go, and sin no more.—*JOHN*, ch. 8.

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119. ADVANCE by Faith. *Red Sea.* ¹⁵ The Lord said unto Moses, Wherefore criest thou unto me? speak unto the children of Israel, that they go forward : ¹⁶ But lift thou up thy rod, and stretch out thine hand over the sea, and divide it : and the children of Israel shall go on dry ground through the midst of the sea.—*EX.*, ch. 14.

120. — Signal for. *Trees.* [The Philistines were in the valley of Rephaim.] ²² And when David inquired of the Lord, he said, Thou shalt not go up ; but fetch a compass behind them, and come upon them over against the mulberry trees. ²³ . . . When thou hearest the sound of a going in the tops of the mulberry trees, then thou shalt bestir thyself : for then shall the Lord go out before thee, to smite the host.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 5.

121. — — Challenge. [The Philistines were in their strong hold. To his armor bearer] ⁶ . . . said Jonathan, Behold, we will pass over unto these men. . . ⁹ If they say, Tarry until we come to you ; then we will stand still in our place, and will not go up unto them. ¹⁰ But if they say thus, Come up unto us ; then we will go up : for the Lord hath delivered them into our hand ; and this shall be a sign unto us.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 14.

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122. ADVENT, The first. *Bethlehem.* ¹ Mary brought forth her firstborn son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger ; because there was no room for them in the inn.—*LUKE*, ch. 2.

123. — The second. *Heavens.* ²⁰ Then shall appear the sign of the Son of man in heaven : and then shall all the tribes of the earth mourn, and they shall see the Son of man coming in the clouds of heaven with power and great glory. ³¹ And he shall send his angels with a great

sound of a trumpet, and they shall gather together his elect from the four winds, from one end of heaven to the other.—*MAT.*, ch. 24.

124. — Resurrection. ¹⁶The Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God; and the dead in Christ shall rise first. ¹⁷Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together, with them in the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air: and so shall we ever be with the Lord.—*1 THESS.*, ch. 4.

125. ADVENTURERS, Organisation of. *Adulamites.* [Saul threatened his life, so] ¹David.. escaped to the cave Adullam: and when.. all his father's house heard it, they went down thither to him. ²And every one that was in distress, and.. in debt, and.. discontented, gathered themselves unto him; and he became a captain over them.. about four hundred men.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 22.

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126. ADVERSITY bewailed. *Change.* [Naomi returned to Bethlehem and said,] ²⁰..the Almighty hath dealt very bitterly with me. ²¹I went out full, and the Lord hath brought me home again empty: why then call ye me Naomi, seeing the Lord hath testified against me, and the Almighty hath afflicted me?—*RUTH*, ch. 1.

127. — Comfort in. *Job.* ¹⁹I delivered the poor that cried, and the fatherless, and him that had none to help him. ²³The blessing of him that was ready to perish came upon me: and I caused the widow's heart to sing for joy. ³¹I was eyes to the blind, and feet was I to the lame. ³²I was a father to the poor.—*JOB*, ch. 29.

128. — Distrust in. *Israelites.* ⁸I will bring you in unto the land.. which I did swear to give it to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob; and I will give it you for a heritage: I am the Lord. ⁹And Moses spake so unto the children of Israel: but they hearkened not unto Moses for anguish of spirit, and for cruel bondage.—*EX.*, ch. 6.

129. — Enemy in. *Shimei.* [David fled out of Jerusalem from Absalom.] ⁶Shimei cast stones at David, and.. the servants.. and all the mighty men were on his right hand and on his left. ¹And thus said.. Come out, come out, thou bloody man, and thou man of Belial: ⁸The Lord hath returned upon thee all the blood of the house of Saul.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 16.

130. — Fainting under. *Proverb.* ¹⁰If thou faint in the day of adversity, thy strength is small.—*PROV.*, ch. 24.

131. — Friends in. *Provisions.* [David fled from Absalom. See No. 129.] ²⁷..When David was come to Mahanaim.. Shobi.. and Machir, and Barzillai.. ²⁸Brought beds, and basins, and earthen vessels, and wheat, and barley, and flour, and parched corn, and beans, and lentiles, and parched pulse, ²⁹And honey, and butter, and sheep, and cheese of kine, for David, and for the people that were with him, to eat.. in the wilderness.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 17.

132. — Grief in. *Mephibosheth.* [After Absalom drove David out of Jerusalem.] ²⁴..Mephibosheth the son of Saul had neither dressed his feet, nor trimmed his beard, nor washed his

clothes, from the day the king departed until the day he came again in peace.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 19.

133. — Hope in. *Jeremiah.* ³¹The Lord will not cast off for ever: ³²But though he cause grief, yet will he have compassion according to the multitude of his mercies. ³³For he doth not afflict willingly, nor grieve the children of men.—*LAM.*, ch. 3.

134. — Helpless in. *Obdurate.* ²⁴Because I have called, and ye refused.. ²⁷When your fear cometh as desolation, and your destruction cometh as a whirlwind; when distress and anguish cometh upon you. ²⁸Then shall they call upon me, but I will not answer; they shall seek me early, but they shall not find me.—*PROV.*, ch. 1.

135. — Misunderstood. *Jacob.* [His brothers demanded Benjamin to go with them and buy corn in Egypt.] ²³Jacob said, My son shall not go down with you; for his brother is dead, and he is left alone: if mischief befall him by the way in which ye go, then shall ye bring down my gray hairs with sorrow to the grave.—*GEN.*, ch. 42. [The discovery of Joseph followed.]

136. — Misconstrued. *Idolaters.* [The apostate Jews in Egypt said,] ¹⁷..then had we plenty of victuals, and were well, and saw no evil. ¹⁸But since we left off to burn incense to the queen of heaven, and to pour out drink offerings unto her, we have wanted all things, and have been consumed by the sword and by the famine.—*JER.*, ch. 44.

137. — Misinterpreted. *Galileans.* ¹..some told him of the Galileans, whose blood Pilate had mingled with their sacrifices. ²Jesus.. said.. Suppose ye that these Galileans were sinners above all the Galileans, because they suffered such things? ³I tell you, Nay: but, except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish.—*LUX.*, ch. 13.

138. — National. *Jews.* ¹⁶They mocked the messengers of God, and despised his words, and misused his prophets, until the wrath of the Lord arose against his people, till there was no remedy. ¹⁷Therefore he brought upon them the king of the Chaldees, who slew their young men.. and had no compassion upon young man or maiden, old man, or him that stooped for age: he gave them all into his hand.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 36.

139. — Obduracy in. *Jews.* ¹⁶As for the word that thou hast spoken.. in the name of the Lord, we will not hearken unto thee. ¹⁷But we will certainly do whatsoever thing goeth forth out of our own mouth, to burn incense unto the queen of heaven.—*JER.*, ch. 44. [The Jews in Egypt were in great adversity.]

140. — — Ahaz. ²²In the time of his distress did he trespass yet more against the Lord.. ²³For he sacrificed unto the gods of Damascus, which smote him: and he said, Because the gods of the kings of Syria help them, therefore will I sacrifice to them, that they may help me. But they were the ruin of him, and of all Israel.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 28.

141. — Punishment by. *Idolaters.* ⁸They rebelled against me, and would not hearken.. they did not every man cast away the abominations of their eyes, neither did they forsake the idols of Egypt: then I said, I will

pour out my fury upon them, to accomplish my anger against them in . . . the land of Egypt.—*Ezek.*, ch. 20.

142. — Rejoicing in. *Habakkuk.* ¹Although the fig tree shall not blossom, neither shall fruit be in the vines; the labor of the olive shall fail, and the fields shall yield no meat; the flock shall be cut off from the fold, and there shall be no herd in the stalls: ²Yet I will rejoice in the Lord, I will joy in the God of my salvation.—*Hab.*, ch. 3.

143. — Rejected in. *Israelites.* ¹Ye have forsaken me, and served other gods: wherefore I will deliver you no more. ²Go and cry unto the gods which ye have chosen; let them deliver you in the time of your tribulation.—*JUDGES*, ch. 10.

144. — Times of. *King Asa.* ¹In those times there was no peace to him that went out, nor to him that came in, but great vexations were upon all the inhabitants of the countries. ²And nation was destroyed of nation, and city of city: for God did vex them with all adversity.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 15.

145. — Weakness in. *Job.* [*Eliphaz said,*] ¹Thy words have upholden him that was falling, and thou hast strengthened the feeble knees. ²But now it is come upon thee, and thou faintest; it toucheth thee, and thou art troubled.—*JOB*, ch. 4.

146. ADVERSITIES, Changes by. *Job.* ¹But now they that are younger than I have me in derision, whose fathers I would have disdained to have set with the dogs of my flock.—*JOB*, ch. 30.

147. — Improvement by. *Ezra.* ¹After all that is come upon us for our evil deeds, seeing that thou our God hast punished us less than our iniquities deserve. ²Should we again break thy commandments . . . wouldst not thou be angry with us till thou hadst consumed us, so that there should be no remnant nor escaping?—*EZRA*, ch. 9.

148. — Many. *Job's.* [*Messengers came to Job in quick succession, saying,*] ¹..The oxen were ploughing, and the asses feeding. ²..And the Sabeans fell upon them, and took them. ³..The fire of God is fallen from heaven, and hath burned up the sheep. ⁴..The Chaldeans . . . fell upon the camels, and have carried them away. ⁵..Thy sons and thy daughters were eating and drinking wine in their eldest brother's house. ⁶And . . . there came a great wind . . . and smote the four corners of the house, and it fell upon the young men, and they are dead.—*JOB*, ch. 1.

149. — Overwhelming *Eli.* [*A messenger came to Eli and said,*] ¹..Israel is fled before the Philistines, and there hath been also a great slaughter . . . and thy two sons also, Hophni and Phinehas, are dead, and the ark of God is taken. ²..When he made mention of the ark . . . he fell from off the seat backward by the side of the gate, and his neck brake . . . he was an old man, and heavy.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 4.

150. — Restoration from. *Job.* ¹The Lord blessed the latter end of Job more than his beginning: for he had fourteen thousand sheep, and six thousand camels, and a thousand yoke of oxen, and a thousand she asses. ²He had also seven sons and three daughters.—*JOB*, ch. 42.

151. — Unendurable. *Job.* ¹I was at ease, but he hath broken me asunder: he hath also taken me by my neck, and shaken me to pieces, and set me up for his mark.—*JOB*, ch. 16.

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152. **ADVICE, Foolish.** *Curse God.* ⁹ Said Job's wife unto him, Dost thou still retain thine integrity? curse God, and die.—Job, ch. 2.

153. — **Good.** *Naaman's* ¹³..Servants.. said, My father, if the prophet had bid thee do some great thing, wouldest thou not have done it? how much rather then, when he saith to thee, Wash, and be clean?—2 Kings, ch. 5.

154. — **Unfortunate.** *Gallows.* ¹⁴ Said Zereah his wife and all his friends..Let a gallows be made of fifty cubits high..that Mordecai may be hanged thereon: then go thou in merrily with the king unto the banquet. And the thing pleased Haman.—ESTHER, ch. 5.

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155. **ADVOCATE, A friendly.** *Blastus.* ²⁰ Herod was highly displeased with them of Tyre and Sidon: but they came with one accord to him, and, having made Blastus the king's chamberlain their friend, desired peace; because their country was nourished by the king's country.—Acts, ch. 12.

156. — **The Sinner's.** *Jesus.* ¹..If any man sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous: ² And he is the propitiation for our sins.—1 JOHN, ch. 2.

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157. **AFFECTION, Compassionate.** *The Prodigal Son.* ²⁰ He arose, and came to his father. But when he was yet a great way off, his father saw him, and had compassion, and ran, and fell on his neck, and kissed him.—LUKE, ch. 15.

158. — **Condescending.** *Centurion.* ² A certain centurion's servant, who was dear unto him, was sick, and ready to die. ³ And when he heard of Jesus, he sent..beseeching him that he would come and heal his servant.—LUKE, ch. 7.

159. — **Divided.** *For Saul and David.* ¹¹ Jonathan caused David to swear again..for he loved him as he loved his own soul. ²⁰ Then Saul's anger was kindled against Jonathan..Thou son of the perverse rebellious woman, do not I know that thou hast chosen the son of Jesse to thine own confusion?—1 SAM., ch. 20.

160. — **in Death.** *Crucifixion.* ²⁸ When Jesus therefore saw his mother, and the disciple standing by, whom he loved, he saith..Woman, behold thy son! ²⁷ Then saith he to the disciple, Behold thy mother!..That disciple took her unto his own home.—JOHN, ch. 19.

161. — **A Demagogue's.** *Absalom.* ⁴..Oh that I were made judge in the land..⁵..When any man came nigh to him to do him obeisance, he put forth his hand, and took him, and kissed him..⁶..So Absalom stole the hearts of the men of Israel.—2 SAM., ch. 15.

162. — **Energize.** *Ark of Bulrushes.* [The

mother of Moses] ³. took for him an ark of bulrushes, and daubed it with slime and with pitch, and put the child therein; and she laid it in the flags by the river's brink. ⁴ And his sister stood afar off, to wit what would be done to him.—EX., ch. 2.

163. — Extraordinary. David. ²³ The king was much moved, and went up to the chamber over the gate, and wept: and as he went, thus he said, O my son Absalom! my son, my son Absalom! would God I had died for thee, O Absalom, my son, my son!—2 SAM., ch. 18.

164. — Fraternal. Joseph. ²⁰ Joseph made haste; for his bowels did yearn upon his brother: and he sought *where* to weep; and he entered into his chamber, and wept there. ²¹ And he washed his face, and went out, and refrained himself, and said, Set on bread.—GEN., ch. 43.

165. — Filial. Joseph. ²² Joseph made ready his chariot, and went up to meet Israel his father, to Goshen. . . and he fell on his neck, and wept on his neck a good while.—GEN., ch. 46.

166. — Family. Jewish. ¹¹ Naomi said, Turn again, my daughters [in law]. ¹⁴ And they lifted up their voice, and wept again: and Orpah kissed her mother in law; but Ruth clave unto her.—RUTH, ch. 1.

167. — of Friendship. Jesus. ² Jesus loved Martha, and her sister, and Lazarus. ³ Therefore his sisters sent unto him, saying, Lord, behold, he whom thou lovest is sick.—JOHN, ch. 11.

168. — in the Future Life. Dives. ²⁷. Send him, Lazarus, to my father's house: ²⁸ For I have five brethren; that he may testify unto them, lest they also come into this place of torment.—LUKE, ch. 16.

169. — A fictitious. Judas. ⁴⁸ He that betrayed him gave them a sign, saying, Whomsoever I shall kiss, that same is he; hold him fast.—MAT., ch. 26.

170. — Grateful. Sinner. ²⁷. A woman. . . which was a sinner, when she knew that Jesus sat at meat in the Pharisee's house, brought an alabaster box of ointment, ²⁸ And stood at his feet behind him weeping, and began to wash his feet with tears, and did wipe them with the hairs of her head, and kissed his feet, and anointed them with the ointment.—LUKE, ch. 7.

171. — A second Husband's. Weeping. ¹⁵ Ish-bosheth sent, and took Michal [David's former wife] from her husband, even from Phaltiel. . . ¹⁶. . . went with her along weeping behind her to Bahurim. Then said Abner unto him, Go, return.—2 SAM., ch. 3.

172. — Maternal. Hannah. ¹⁸ Samuel ministered before the Lord, *being* a child, girded with a linen ephod. ¹⁹ Moreover his mother made him a little coat, and brought it to him from year to year.—1 SAM., ch. 2.

173. — Manifested. Ointment. ³ Then took Mary a pound of ointment of spikenard, very costly, and anointed the feet of Jesus, and wiped his feet with her hair: and the house was filled with the odor.—JOHN, ch. 12.

174. — Nourished. Isaac. ²⁸ Isaac loved Esau, because he did eat of his venison.—GEN., ch. 25.

175. — Natural. David. [After murdering his brother,] ²⁶ Absalom fled. . . to Geshur, and was there three years. ²⁹ And the soul of King David longed to go forth unto Absalom: for he was comforted concerning Amnon, seeing he was dead.—2 SAM., ch. 13.

176. — an Obstacle. Kiss. ¹⁹. . . Elijah passed by Elisha, and cast his mantle upon him. ²⁰ And he left the oxen, and ran after Elijah, and said, Let me, I pray thee, kiss my father and my mother, and then I will follow thee. And he said, Go back again: for what have I done to thee?—1 KINGS, ch. 19.

177. — Partiality in. Jacob. ³ Israel loved Joseph more than all his children, because he was the son of his old age: and he made him a coat of many colours. ⁴ And when his brethren saw that their father loved him more than all his brethren, they hated him, and could not speak peaceably unto him.—GEN., ch. 37.

178. — Paternal. Father's. ²⁴. The father of the child cried out, and said with tears, Lord, I believe; help thou mine unbelief. ²⁵ When Jesus saw that the people came running together, he rebuked the foul spirit.—MARK, ch. 9.

179. — Special. Passover. ²³ Now there was leaning on Jesus' bosom one of his disciples, whom Jesus loved. ²⁴ Simon Peter therefore beckoned to him, that he should ask who it should be of whom he spake.—JOHN, ch. 13.

180. — A questioned. Peter. ¹⁷. Simon, son of Jonas, lovest thou me? Peter was grieved because he said unto him the third time, Lovest thou me? And he said unto him, Lord, thou knowest all things; thou knowest that I love thee.—JOHN, ch. 21.

181. — Supreme, Spiritual. Jesus. ²² There went great multitudes. . . Jesus turned, and said. . . ²⁶ If any man come to me, and hate not his father, and mother, and wife, and children, and brethren, and sisters, yea, and his own life also, he cannot be my disciple.—LUKE, ch. 14.

182. — Tender. Paul. ⁴ Out of much affliction and anguish of heart I wrote unto you with many tears; not that ye should be grieved, but that ye might know the love which I have more abundantly unto you. ¹ So that contrariwise ye ought rather to forgive him, and comfort him, lest perhaps such a one should be swallowed up with overmuch sorrow.—2 COR., ch. 2.

183. — Tested. Sacrifice. ¹ Isaac spake unto Abraham. My father: and he said, Here am I, my son. And he said, Behold the fire and the wood; but where is the lamb for a burnt offering?—GEN., ch. 22.

184. — Verified. Solomon. ²⁸ The king said, Divide the living child in two, and give half to the one, and half to the other. ²⁹ Then spake the woman. . . for her bowels yearned upon her son. . . O my lord, give her the living child, and in no wise slay it. But the other said, Let it be neither mine nor thine, but divide it.—1 KINGS, ch. 3.

185. — Zealous. Mary. ¹. . . Cometh Mary Magdalene early, when it was yet dark. . . and seeth the stone taken away from the sepulchre. ² Then she runneth, and cometh to Simon Peter, and to the other disciple.—JOHN, ch. 20.

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187. — Blessed. Eliphaz said, ¹⁷ Behold, happy is the man whom God correcteth: therefore despise not thou the chastening of the Almighty: ¹⁸ For he maketh sore, and bindeth up: he woundeth, and his hands make whole.—JOB, ch. 5.

188. — Bodily. Job. ⁴ Satan answered the Lord. Skin for skin, yea, all that a man hath will he give for his life. ⁵ But put forth thine hand now, and touch his bone and his flesh, and he will curse thee to thy face.—JOB, ch. 2.

189. — Conversion in. Nobleman. ⁴⁴ There was a certain nobleman, whose son was sick at Capernaum. ⁴⁵ So the father knew that it was at the same hour, in the which Jesus said unto him, Thy son liveth: and himself believed, and his whole house.—JOHN, ch. 4.

190. — Compensated. Manasseh. ¹² When he was in affliction, he besought the Lord his God, and humbled himself greatly before the God of his fathers. ¹³ And he was entreated of him, and brought him again to Jerusalem into his kingdom. Then Manasseh knew that the Lord he was God.—2 CHRON., ch. 33.

191. — Corrective. David. ⁶⁷ Before I was afflicted I went astray: but now have I kept thy word. ⁶⁸ It is good for me that I have been afflicted; that I might learn thy statutes.—PS. 119.

192. — Compassionated. Naomi. [Attended by Ruth, she returned to her native place a poor widow.] ¹⁹ And..when they were come to Bethlehem, all the city was moved about them, and they said, Is this Naomi?—RUTH, ch. 1.

193. — Comfort in. Jeremiah. ³¹ The Lord will not cast off for ever. ³² But though he cause grief, yet will he have compassion according to the multitude of his mercies. ³³ For he doth not afflict willingly, nor grieve the children of men.—LAM., ch. 3.

194. — — Eliphaz. ³ Behold, thou hast instructed many, and thou hast strengthened the weak hands. ⁴ Thy words have uphelden him that was falling, and thou hast strengthened the feeble knees.—JOB, ch. 4.

195. — Chosen. Moses. ²⁴ By faith Moses, when he was come to years, refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter; ²⁵ Choosing rather to suffer affliction with the people of God, than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season; ²⁶ Esteeming the reproach of Christ greater riches than the treasures in Egypt.—HEB., ch. 11.

196. — Encouragement in. Paul. ¹⁸ I reckon that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us.—ROM., ch. 8.

197. — Inefficacious. Ahaz. ²² In the time of his distress did he trespass yet more against the Lord. ²³ For he sacrificed unto the gods of Damascus, which smote him.—2 CHRON., ch. 23.

198. — Impatience under. Job's Wife. ⁹ Dost thou still retain thine integrity? curse God, and die. ¹⁰ But he said unto her, Thou speakest as one of the foolish women speaketh. What? shall we receive good at the hand of God, and shall we not receive evil?—JOB, ch. 2.

199. — Jesus wanted in. Sisters of Lazarus. ¹ Lazarus was sick. ² Therefore his sisters sent unto him, saying, Lord, behold, he whom thou lovest is sick.—JOHN, ch. 11.

200. — Manifested. Job. ²⁰ Job arose, rent his mantle, shaved his head, fell down upon the ground, and worshipped. ²¹ And said, the Lord gave, and the Lord hath taken away; blessed be the name of the Lord.—JOB, ch. 1.

201. — Punishment by. Israelites. ⁶ But they rebelled against me, and would not hearken unto me: they did not every man cast away the abominations of their eyes, neither did they forsake the idols of Egypt: then I said, I will pour out my fury upon them, to accomplish my anger against them in the midst of the land of Egypt.—EZEK., ch. 20.

202. — — Eliphaz said, ¹ Remember, I pray thee, who ever perished, being innocent? or where were the righteous cut off? ² Even as I have seen, they that plough iniquity, and sow wickedness, reap the same.—JOB, ch. 4.

203. — not a Punishment. Blindness. ⁹ His disciples asked, Master who did sin, this man, or his parents, that he was born blind? ¹⁰ Jesus answered, Neither hath this man sinned, nor his parents.—JOHN, ch. 9.

204. — Prosperity in. Israelites. ¹¹ Therefore they did set over them taskmasters to afflict them with their burdens. ¹² But the more they afflicted them, the more they multiplied and grew.—EX., ch. 1.

205. — Prolonged. Eighteen years. ¹¹ There was a woman which had a spirit of infirmity eighteen years, and was bowed together, and could in no wise lift up herself. ¹² And when Jesus saw her, he..said, Woman, thou art loosed from thine infirmity.—LUKE, ch. 13.

206. — — Thirty-eight years. ⁴ An angel went down at a certain season into the pool, and troubled the water: whosoever then first after..stepped in was made whole of whatsoever dis-

ease he had. ⁵ And a certain man was there, which had an infirmity thirty and eight years.—**JOHN**, ch. 5.

207. — *Forty years.* ¹ A certain man lame from his mother's womb was . . . laid daily at the gate of the temple which is called Beautiful, to ask alms. ² For the man was above forty years old, on whom this miracle of healing was shewed.—**ACTS**, chs. 3 and 4.

208. — *Repentance in. Pharaoh.* [The first-born were all dead.] ¹ Pharaoh called for Moses and Aaron by night, and said, Rise up, and get you forth from among my people, both ye and the children of Israel; and go, serve the Lord. ² Also take your flocks and your herds, as ye have said, and be gone; and bless me also.—**EX.**, ch. 12.

209. — *Manasseh.* ¹ . . . the king of Assyria . . . took Manasseh among the thorns, and bound him with fetters, and carried him to Babylon. ² And when he was in affliction, he besought the Lord his God, and humbled himself greatly before the God of his fathers.—**2 CHRON.**, ch. 33.

210. — *Regarded. Israelites.* ¹ . . . sighed by reason of the bondage, and they cried, and their cry came up unto God by reason of the bondage. ² And God heard their groaning, and God remembered his covenant.—**EX.**, ch. 2.

211. — *Refinement by. Furnace.* ¹⁰ Behold, I have refined thee, but not with silver; I have chosen thee in the furnace of affliction.—**ISA.**, ch. 48.

212. — *Temptations in. Job.* ⁹ . . . Doth Job fear God for naught? ¹³ And the Lord said unto Satan, Behold all that he hath is in thy power; only upon himself put not forth thine hand.—**JOB**, ch. 1.

213. — *Weariness in. Job.* ³ So am I made to possess months of vanity, and wearisome nights are appointed to me. ⁴ When I lie down, I say, When shall I arise, and the night be gone? and I am full of tossings to and fro unto the dawning of the day.—**JOB**, ch. 7.

214. — *Useful. Paul.* ¹¹ Our light affliction, which is but for a moment, worketh for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory; ¹⁸ While we look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen.—**2 COR.**, ch. 4.

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216. — *Blessings of old. Jacob.* ¹ Joseph

brought in Jacob his father, and set him before Pharaoh; and Jacob blessed Pharaoh.—**GEN.**, ch. 47.

217. — *Beauty of old. Gray Hair.* ¹⁹ The glory of young men is their strength: and the beauty of old men is the gray head.—**PROV.**, ch. 20.

218. — *Crown of old. Hoary Head.* ¹¹ The hoary head is a crown of glory, if it be found in the way of righteousness.—**PROV.**, ch. 16.

219. — *Courage in old. Caleb.* ¹³ . . . Give me this mountain, whereof the Lord spake in that day. . . the Anakim were there, and that the cities were great and fenced: if so be the Lord will be with me, then I shall be able to drive them out, as the Lord said. ¹⁴ And Caleb drove thence the three sons of Anak.—**JOSE.**, chs. 14 and 15.

220. — *Old, and Children. Joseph.* ²² Joseph lived a hundred and ten years. ²³ And . . . the children also of Machir the son of Manasseh were brought up upon Joseph's knees.—**GEN.**, ch. 50.

221. — *Contentment in old. Barzillai.* ³⁴ Barzillai said unto the king, How long have I to live, that I should go up with the king unto Jerusalem? ³⁵ I am this day four score years old: ³⁶ Let thy servant, I pray thee, turn back again, that I may die in mine own city, and be buried by the grave of my father and of my mother.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 19.

222. — *Counsels of old. Rehoboam.* ⁸ He forsook the counsel of the old men . . . and consulted with the young men that were grown up with him.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 12.

223. — *Duties of pious old. Paul.* ¹ . . . speak thou. ² That the aged men be sober, grave, temperate, sound in faith, in charity, in patience. ³ The aged women likewise, that they be in behaviour as becometh holiness.—**TITUS**, ch. 2.

224. — *Anna.* ³⁶ There was one Anna, a prophetess. ³⁷ She was a widow of about four score and four years, which departed not from the temple, but served God with fastings and prayers night and day.—**LUKE**, ch. 2.

225. — *Enfeebled by old. David.* ¹ . . . King David was old; and they covered him with clothes, but he gat no heat. ² . . . servants said, Let there be sought a young virgin: and let her stand before the king, and let her cherish him, and let her lie in thy bosom, that my lord the king may get heat.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 1.

226. — *Fruitful old. David.* ⁵ . . . Solomon my son is young and tender, and the house that is to be builded for the Lord must be exceeding magnificent, of fame and of glory throughout all countries: I will therefore now make preparation for it. So David prepared abundantly before his death.—**1 CHRON.**, ch. 22.

227. — *Glory of old. Children's Children.* ⁶ Children's children are the crown of old men; and the glory of children are their fathers.—**PROV.**, ch. 17.

228. — *A good old. David.* ²¹ The time that he reigned over Israel was forty years. ²⁸ And he died in a good old age, full of days, riches, and honour.—**1 CHRON.**, ch. 29.

229. — *Grief in old. Samuel.* ¹ . . . When Samuel was old, he made his sons judges over Israel. ² And his sons walked not in his ways.

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230. — Honorable old. *Job.* [Eliphaz said,] "Thou shalt come to thy grave in a full age, like as a shock of corn cometh in in his season."—JOB, ch. 5.

231. — A happy old. *Job.* "I was one of the women found so fair as the daughters of Job: and their father gave them inheritance among their brethren." "After this lived Job a hundred and forty years, and saw his sons, and his son's sons, even four generations."—JOB, ch. 42.

232. — Infirmitie of old. *Description.* "In the day when the keepers of the house shall tremble, and the strong men shall bow themselves, and the grinders cease because they are few, and those that look out of the windows be darkened." "And the doors shall be shut in the streets, when the sound of the grinding is low, and he shall rise up at the voice of the bird, and all the daughters of music shall be brought low." "Also when they shall be afraid of that which is high, and fears shall be in the way, and the almond tree shall flourish, and the grasshopper shall be a burden, and desire shall fail."—ECCLES., ch. 12.

233. — Perfection in old. *Abram.* "I, when Abram was ninety years old and nine, the Lord appeared to Abram, and said unto him, I am the Almighty God; walk before me, and be thou perfect."—GEN., ch. 17.

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235. — Sorrowful old. *Eli.* "The messenger.. said, Israel is fled before the Philistines.. a great slaughter.. thy two sons also, Hophni and Phinehas, are dead, and the ark of God is taken." "When he made mention of the ark of God.. he fell from off the seat backward.. and his neck brake.. for he was an old man, and heavy."—1 SAM., ch. 4.

236. — Sinning in old. *Noah after the Flood.* "Noah began to be a husbandman, and he planted a vineyard." "And he drank of the wine, and was drunken." [He was six hundred years old.]—GEN., ch. 6.

237. — Senses in old. *Barzillai.* "Barzillai said unto the king.. "I am this day fourscore years old: and can I discern between good and evil? can thy servant taste what I eat or what I drink? can I hear any more the voice of singing men and singing women? wherefore then should thy servant be yet a burden unto my lord the king?"—2 SAM., ch. 19.

238. — Training for pious old. *Solomon.* "Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old he will not depart from it."—PROV., ch. 22.

239. — Testimony of pious old. *Joshua.* "Joshua called for all Israel, their elders.. heads.. judges, and for their officers, and said.. I am old.. "I am going the way of all the earth: and ye know in all your hearts and in all your souls, that not one thing hath failed of all the good things which the Lord your God spake concerning you."—JOSH., ch. 23.

240. — Walking with God in old. *Enoch,*

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241. — Unhappy old. *Jacob.* "My son shall not go down with you; for his brother is dead, and he is left alone; if mischief befall him by the way.. then shall ye bring down my gray hairs with sorrow to the grave."—GEN., ch. 42.

242. — Vigorous old. *Moses.* "Moses was a hundred and twenty years old when he died: his eye was not dim, nor his natural force abated."—DEUT., ch. 34.

243. — — *Caleb.* "I am this day four score and five years old." "I am as strong this day as I was in the day that Moses sent me: as my strength was then, even so is my strength now, for war, both to go out, and to come in."—JOSH., ch. 14.

244. — Responsibility of Manhood. "We know that this is our son, and that he was born blind: "But by what means he now seeth, we know not; or who hath opened his eyes, we know not: he is of age; ask him: he shall speak for himself."—JOHN, ch. 9.

245. AGED, Duty of the. *Teachers.* "Hear this, ye old men.. Hath this been in your days, or even in the days of your fathers? "Tell ye your children of it, and let your children tell their children, and their children another generation."—JOEL, ch. 1.

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252. — Responsibility for indirect. David. ²⁰...said unto Abiathar, I knew it that day, when Doeg the Edomite was there, that he would surely tell Saul: I have occasioned the death of all the persons of thy father's house. ²² Abide thou with me, fear not...with me thou shalt be in safeguard.—1 SAM., ch. 22.

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257. — Diffuses the Truth. Paul. ¹⁶...saw the city wholly given to idolatry. ¹⁷ Therefore disputed he in the synagogue with the Jews, and with the devout persons, and in the market daily.—ACTS, ch. 17.

258. — Deplored. Israelites. ²¹...ye have made our savour to be abhorred in the eyes of Pharaoh, and...to put a sword in their hand to slay us. ²² And Moses...said, Lord, wherefore hast thou so evil entreated this people? why is it that thou hast sent me?—Ex., ch. 5.

259. — A general. Of Philistines. ¹⁴...that first slaughter, which Jonathan and his armour-bearer made, was about twenty men, within as it were a half acre of land. ¹⁵ And there was trembling in the host, in the field, and among all the people: the garrison, and the spoilers, they also trembled, and the earth quaked: so it was a very great trembling.—1 SAM., ch. 14.

260. — A Mountain's. Sinai. ¹⁸...Mount Sinai was altogether on a smoke, because the Lord descended upon it in fire: and the smoke thereof ascended as the smoke of a furnace, and the whole mount quaked greatly.—Ex., ch. 19.

261. — Overcome by. Guard. ²...the angel...came and rolled back the stone from the door, and sat upon it. ³ His countenance was like lightning, and his raiment white as snow: ⁴ And for fear of him the keepers did shake, and became as dead men.—MAT., ch. 28.

262. — Physical and mental. Belshazzar. ⁵...the king saw part of the hand that wrote. ⁶...countenance was changed, and his thoughts troubled him, so that the joints of his loins were loosed, and his knees smote one against another. ⁷ The king cried aloud to bring in the astrologers.—DAN., ch. 5.

263. — from *Terror*. *Eliphaz*. ¹³ In thoughts from the visions of the night, when deep sleep falleth on men. ¹⁴ Fear came upon me, and trembling, which made all my bones to shake. ¹⁵ Then a spirit passed before my face; the hair of my flesh stood up.—*JOB*, ch. 4.

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264. AGONY. The Saviour's. *Garden*. ²⁸ My soul is exceeding sorrowful, even unto death.—*MAT.*, ch. 26. ⁴⁴ And being in an agony he prayed more earnestly: and his sweat was as it were great drops of blood falling down to the ground.—*LUKE*, ch. 22.

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265. AGRARIANS. Hebrew. *God said*, ⁴³ the land shall be divided for an inheritance according to number of names. ⁴⁴ To many thou shalt give the more inheritance, and to few thou shalt give the less.—*NUM.*, ch. 26.

266. AGREEMENT. A fraudulent. *Gibeonites*. ⁴ They did work wilily, and..made as if they had been ambassadors, and took old sacks..and wine bottles, old, and rent, and bound up; ⁵ And old shoes and clouted..and old garments..and all the bread..was dry and mouldy.—*JOSEPH*, ch. 9.

267. Ignored. *Laborers*. ¹⁰ They likewise received every man a penny. ¹¹ And..they murmured against the good man.. ¹² Saying, These last have wrought but one hour, and thou hast made them equal unto us, which have borne the burden and heat of the day.—*MAT.*, ch. 20.

268. Refused. *King of Edom*. [Near to Canaan Israel asked,] ¹¹ Let us pass..through thy country: we will not pass through the fields, or..vineyards, neither will we drink of..the wells: we will go by the king's high way, we will not turn to the right hand nor to the left.. ¹² And Edom said..Thou shalt not pass by me,

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270. — Cain. ⁹ Cain was a tiller of the ground. ³ Cain brought of the fruit of the ground an offering unto the Lord.—*GEN.*, ch. 4.

271. — Forbidden. *Rechabites*. Rechab commanded, ¹ Neither shall ye build house, nor sow seed, nor plant vineyard, nor have any.—*JER.*, ch. 35.

272. — Independence in. *Proverb*. ¹⁹ He that tilleth his land shall have plenty of bread: but he that followeth after vain persons shall have poverty enough.—*PROV.*, ch. 28.

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273. ALARM of Conscience. Israelites. ¹⁵ The Lord sent thunder and rain that day : and all the people greatly feared the Lord and Samuel. ¹⁶ And..said unto Samuel, Pray for thy servants.. that we die not : for we have added unto all our sins this evil, to ask us a king.—1 SAM., ch. 12.

274. — Death creates. Egyptians. ²⁰..there was a great cry in Egypt : for there was not a house where there was not one dead. ²¹ And the Egyptians were urgent..that they might send them out of the land in haste ; for they said, We be all dead men.—EX., ch. 12.

275. — from Failure. Priests. ²³ The prison truly found we shut with all safety, and the keepers standing without before the doors : but when we had opened, we found no man within. ²⁴ Now when the high priest and the captain of the temple and the chief priests heard these things, they doubted of them whereunto this would grow.—ACTS, ch. 5.

276. — Manifestations of. Belshazzar. ⁵..saw the hand that wrote. ⁶ Then the king's countenance was changed, and his thoughts troubled him, so that the joints of his loins were loosed, and his knees smote one against another. ⁷ The king cried aloud to bring in the astrologers.—DAN., ch. 5.

277. — from Preaching. Felix. ²⁴ When Felix came..he sent for Paul, and heard him concerning the faith in Christ. ²⁵ And as he reasoned of righteousness, temperance, and judgment to come, Felix trembled.—ACTS, ch. 24.

278. — A reasonable. Jacob. ⁶..Esau..

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279. — Superstitious. Disciples. ²⁵ In the fourth watch of the night Jesus went unto them, walking on the sea. ²⁶ And..they were troubled, saying, It is a spirit ; and they cried out for fear.—MAT., ch. 14.

280. — of Sinners. Adam and Eve. ⁶ They heard the voice of the Lord God walking in the garden in the cool of the day : and..hid themselves from the presence of the Lord God amongst the trees.—GEN., ch. 3.

281. — — Israelites. ¹⁸ All the people saw the thunders, and the lightnings, and the noise of the trumpet, and the mountain smoking : and..they removed, and stood afar off. ¹⁹ And they said unto Moses, Speak thou with us, and we will hear : but let not God speak with us, lest we die.—EX., ch. 20.

282. — A sudden. Jailer. ¹¹ The keeper of the prison awaking..and seeing the prison doors open, he drew out his sword, and would have killed himself, supposing that the prisoners had been fled.—ACTS, ch. 16.

283. — Spiritual. Jailer. ²⁰ He called for a light, and sprang in, and came trembling, and fell down before Paul and Silas, ²¹ And brought them out, and said, Sirs, what must I do to be saved?—ACTS, ch. 16.

284. — at a Tempest. Pharaoh. ²⁷ Pharaoh said..I have sinned this time : the Lord is righteous, and I and my people are wicked. ²⁸ Entreat the Lord (for it is enough) that there be no more mighty thunders and hail ; and I will let you go.—EX., ch. 9.

285. — Unnecessary. Sons of Jacob. ²¹ As one of them opened his sack.. ²² And he said unto his brethren, My money is restored ; and, lo, it is even in my sack : and their heart failed them, and they were afraid, saying one to another, What is this that God hath done unto us?—GEN., ch. 42.

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286. ALIENATION, Family. Betrayment. Jesus said, ¹² The brother shall betray the brother to death, and the father the son ; and children shall rise up against their parents, and shall cause them to be put to death.—MARK, ch. 13.

287. — Headless. Lost Sheep. ⁴ What man of you, having a hundred sheep, if he lose one of them, doth not leave the ninety and nine in the wilderness, and go after that which is lost, until he find it?—LUKE, ch. 15.

288. — Unconscious. Lost Coin. ⁹ What woman, having ten pieces of silver, if she lose one piece, doth not light a candle, and sweep the house, and seek diligently till she find it?—LUKE, ch. 15.

289. — Wilful. Lost Son. ¹⁹ The younger of them said..Father, give me the portion of goods that falleth to me. ²⁰ And not many days after..gathered all together, and took his journey into a far country, and there wasted his substance with riotous living.—LUKE, ch. 15.

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290. ALLIANCE, A contaminating. *Ahaz.* ⁷ Ahaz sent...to Tiglath-pileser king of Assyria, saying...come up, and save me out of the hand of the king of Syria, and...of the king of Israel. ¹⁰ Ahaz went to Damascus to meet Tiglath-pileser...and saw an altar...and king Ahaz sent to Urijah the priest, the fashion of the altar.—2 KINGS, ch. 16.

291. — A dangerous. *David.* ³ Said the princes of the Philistines, What do these Hebrews here? ⁴ Make this fellow return...and let him not go...lest in the battle he be an adversary to us: for wherewith should he reconcile himself unto his master? *should it not be with the heads of these men?*—1 SAM., ch. 29.

292. — Forbidden. *Egyptian.* ¹ Woe to them that go down to Egypt for help; and stay on horses, and trust in chariots, because *they are many*; and in horsemen, because they are very strong; but they look not unto the Holy One of Israel, neither seek the Lord!—ISA., ch. 31.

293. — Failure of. *Egyptian.* ³ The Egyptians are men, and not God; and their horses flesh, and not spirit. When the Lord shall stretch out his hand, both he that helpeth shall fall, and he that is holpen shall fall down, and they all shall fail together.—ISA., ch. 31.

294. — A treacherous. *Gibeonites.* ⁴ They did work wilily...and made as if...ambassadors, and took old sacks...and wine bottles, old, and rent, and bound up; ⁵ And old shoes and clouted...and old garments...and all the bread of their provision was dry and mouldy. ¹⁵ And Joshua...made a league with them.—JOSH., ch. 9.

295. ALLIES, The Lord's. *Women.* ¹...he went throughout every city and village, preaching...and the twelve were with him. ² And certain women, which had been healed of evil spirits and infirmities, Mary called Magdalene, out of whom went seven devils, ³ And Joanna the wife of Chuza Herod's steward, and Susanna, and many others, which ministered unto him of their substance.—LUKE, ch. 8.

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296. ALTAR in every Place. *Abram.* [He came to Sichem,] ¹...and there builded he an altar unto the Lord, who appeared unto him. ² And he removed from thence unto a mountain on the east of Beth-el, and pitched his tent...and there he builded an altar.—GEN., ch. 12.

297. — Discarded, the old. *Ahaz.* ¹⁰...king Ahaz...saw an altar that was at Damascus: and...sent to Urijah the priest...the pattern of it...¹¹ And Urijah...built an altar.—2 KINGS, ch. 16.

298. — A despised. *Offerings.* ¹ Ye offer polluted bread upon mine altar; and ye say, Wherein have we polluted thee? In that ye say, The table of the Lord is contemptible. ² And if ye offer the blind for sacrifice, is it not

evil? and if ye offer the lame and sick, is it not evil? offer it now unto thy governor; will he be pleased with thee?—MAL., ch. 1.

299. — A plain. *Earth.* ²⁴ An altar of earth thou shalt make unto me, and shalt sacrifice thereon thy burnt offerings, and thy peace offerings, thy sheep, and thine oxen.—EX., ch. 20.

300. — A protected. *Sword.* ²⁹...the altar of the burnt offering...at Gibeon. ³⁰ But David could not go before it to inquire of God: for he was afraid because of the sword of the angel of the Lord.—1 CHRON., ch. 21.

301. — Repaired before Worship. *At Carmel.* ²⁰...Elijah said...Come near unto me. And all the people came near unto him. And he repaired the altar of the Lord that was broken down.—1 KINGS, ch. 18.

302. — of Refuge. *Adonijah.* ⁵...Adonijah...exalted himself, saying, I will be king: and he prepared him chariots and horsemen, and fifty men to run before him. ²⁰...Adonijah feared because of Solomon, and arose, and went, and caught hold on the horns of the altar.—1 KINGS, ch. 1.

303. — A rent. *Jeroboam's.* ¹...there came a man of God out of Judah...unto Beth-el: and Jeroboam stood by the altar to burn incense...⁵ The altar also was rent, and the ashes poured out...according to the sign which the man of God had given by the word of the Lord.—1 KINGS, ch. 13.

304. — of Witness. *Trans-Jordan Tribes.* ²⁶ Let us...build us an altar, not for burnt offerings, nor for sacrifice: ²⁷ But that it may be a witness between us, and you, and our generations after us, that we might do the service of the Lord...with our burnt offerings, and with our sacrifices...that your children may not say to our children in time to come, Ye have no part in the Lord.—JOSH., ch. 22.

305. ALTARS, Idolatrous. *Manasseh.* ⁴...he built altars in the house of the Lord...⁵ And he built altars for all the host of heaven in the two courts of the house of the Lord.—2 KINGS, ch. 21.

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306. ALTERNATIVE, Only. *Four Lepers.* ⁴ If we say, We will enter into the city, then the famine is in the city, and we shall die there: and if we sit still here, we die also. Now therefore come, and let us fall unto the host of the Syrians: if they save us alive, we shall live; and if they kill us, we shall but die.—2 KINGS, ch. 7.

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307. AMAZEMENT, A great. *Christ on the Sea.* ²⁰...they all saw him, and were troubled...Be of good cheer: it is I; be not afraid. ²¹ And he went...into the ship; and the wind ceased: and they were sore amazed in themselves beyond measure, and wondered.—MARK, ch. 6.

308. — Natural. *Stillling the Storm.* ²⁴...he arose, and rebuked the wind and the raging of the water: and they ceased, and there was a calm. ²⁵...And they being afraid wondered, saying...What manner of man is this! for he commandeth even the winds and water, and they obey him.—LUKE, ch. 8.

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309. AMBASSADORS, Dangerous. Babylonians. ¹³..Hezekiah shewed them all the house of his precious things, the silver, and the gold, and the spices, and the precious ointment, and all the house of his armour, and all that was found in his treasures.—2 KINGS, ch. 20. [He entertained them, and lost all.]

310. — Disregarded. Josiah. [The king of Egypt] ²¹..sent ambassadors to him, saying.. *I come not against thee this day, but against the house wherewith I have war: for God commanded me to make haste: forbear thee from meddling with God, who is with me, that he destroy thee not.*—2 CHRON., ch. 35. [Josiah was slain.]

311. — Maltreated. Half-shaved. ⁴..Hannun took David's servants, and shaved off the one half of their beards, and cut off their garments in the middle, *even to their buttocks, and sent them away.*—2 SAM., ch. 10.

312. — Rejected. Parable. ²⁵..the husbandmen took his servants, and beat one, and killed another, and stoned another. ²⁶Again, he sent other servants more than the first: and they did unto them likewise.—MAT., ch. 21.

313. — Spiritual. Paul. ²⁰..we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God did beseech you by us: we pray you in Christ's stead, be ye reconciled to God.—2 COR., ch. 10.

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314. AMBITION lost in Age. Eighty years old. ²²..the king said unto Barzillai, Come thou..with me in Jerusalem. ²⁴And Barzillai said unto the king, How long have I to live, that I should go up with the king unto Jerusalem?—2 SAM., ch. 19.

315. — Cruelty of. Athaliah. ¹..when Athaliah the mother of Ahaziah saw that her son

was dead, she..destroyed all the seed royal. ²..And Athaliah did reign over the land.—2 KINGS, ch. 11.

316. — A Christian's. Paul. ⁹..we labour, that, whether present or absent, we may be accepted of him.—2 COR., ch. 5.

317. — Evil. Diotrephes. ⁹..Diotrephes, who loveth to have the preeminence among them, receiveth us not. ¹⁰..prating against us with malicious words: and not content therewith, neither doth he himself receive the brethren, and forbiddeth them that would, and casteth them out of the church.—3 JOHN.

318. — A fatal. Asahel. ²²..Abner said again to Asahel, Turn thee aside from following me: wherefore should I smite thee to the ground? ²³Howbeit he refused to turn aside: wherefore Abner with the hinder end of the spear smote him under the fifth rib.—2 SAM., ch. 2. [He sought the honour of killing the general and taking his arms as trophies.]

319. — Prevents Faith. Honour. [Jesus said,] ⁴⁴How can ye believe, which receive honour one of another, and seek not the honour that cometh from God only?—JOHN, ch. 5.

320. — for Greatness. Apostles. [Jesus said,] ³³..What was it that ye disputed among yourselves by the way? ³⁴But they held their peace: for..they had disputed..who should be the greatest.—MARK, ch. 9.

321. — of Hypocrites. Scribes. ⁴⁶Beware of the scribes, which desire to walk in long robes, and love greetings in the markets, and the highest seats in the synagogues, and the chief rooms at feasts.—LUKE, ch. 20.

322. — for Honours. James and John. ²⁵..James and John, the sons of Zebedee, come..saying, Master, we would that thou shouldst do for us whatsoever we shall desire. ²⁷..Grant unto us that we may sit, one on thy right hand, and the other on thy left hand, in thy glory.—MARK, ch. 10.

323. — Instructed. Child. ²..Jesus called a little child unto him, and set him in the midst of them. ⁴Whosoever therefore shall humble himself as this little child, the same is greatest in the kingdom of heaven.—MAT., ch. 18.

324. — A laudable. Paul. ¹⁹..from Jerusalem, and round about unto Illyricum, I have fully preached the gospel of Christ. ²⁰Yea..not where Christ was named, lest I should build upon another man's foundation.—ROM., ch. 15.

325. — A Mother's. Chief Seats. ²⁰Then came..the mother of Zebedee's children..desiring a certain thing. ²¹And he said..What wilt thou? She said..Grant that these my two sons may sit, the one on thy right hand, and the other on the left, in thy kingdom.—MAT., ch. 20.

326. — Promotion fires. Korah. ⁶..Moses said unto Korah.. ⁹Seemeth it but a small thing unto you, that the God of Israel hath separated you from the congregation. ¹⁰And he hath brought thee near to him..and seek ye the priesthood also.—NUM., ch. 16.

327. — Promotion without. David. ¹¹..Are here all thy children? And he said, There remaineth yet the youngest, and, behold, he keepeth the sheep. And Samuel said unto Jesse,

Send and fetch him.—1 SAM., ch. 16. [He was anointed king.]

328. — A presumptuous. Thistle. ¹. The thistle that was in Lebanon sent to the cedar that was in Lebanon, saying, Give thy daughter to my son to wife : and there passed by a wild beast.. and trod down the thistle.—2 KINGS, ch. 14.

329. — Temptation from. Eve. ⁵. in the day ye eat thereof, then your eyes shall be opened, and ye shall be as gods, knowing good and evil. ⁶ And when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was pleasant to the eyes, and a tree to be desired to make one wise, she took of the fruit.—GEN., ch. 3.

330. — Unholy. Korah's Company. ³. they gathered.. against Moses and against Aaron, and said.. Ye take too much upon you, ⁴ seeing all the congregation are holy, every one of them, and the Lord is among them : wherefore then lift ye up yourselves above the congregation.—NUM., ch. 16.

331. — An unspiritual. Simon. ¹⁸. Simon saw that through laying on of the apostles' hands the Holy Ghost was given. he offered them money, ¹⁹ Saying, Give me also this power, that on whomsoever I lay hands, he may receive the Holy Ghost.—ACTS, ch. 8.

332. — Unsatisfied. Haman. ¹². Esther the queen did let no man come in with the king unto the banquet.. but myself ; and to-morrow am I invited.. also with the king. ¹³ Yet all this availeth me nothing, so long as I see Mordecai the Jew sitting at the king's gate.—ESTHER, ch. 5.

333. — Without. Saul. ²¹. Saul.. was taken : and when they sought him, he could not be found. ²². And the Lord answered, Behold, he hath hid himself among the stuff. ²³ And they ran and fetched him thence.—1 SAM., ch. 10. [They crowned him.]

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334. AMBUSCADE, An ineffective. Syrians. ¹. the king of Syria..and took counsel with his servants, saying, In such and such a place shall be my camp. ² And [Elisha] sent unto the king

of Israel, saying, Beware that thou pass not such a place ; for thither the Syrians are come down.—2 KINGS, ch. 6.

335. — A successful. Abimelech. ⁴³. he took the people, and divided them into three companies, and laid wait in the field..the people were come forth out of the city ; and he rose up against them, and smote them. ⁴⁴ And..rushed forward, and stood in the entering of the gate of the city.—JUDGES, ch. 9.

336. AMUSEMENT of Curiosity. Athenians. ²¹ For all the Athenians, and strangers which were there, spent their time in nothing else, but either to tell or to hear some new thing.—ACTS, ch. 18.

337. — Dangerous. Dancing. [The elders] ²⁰. commanded the children of Benjamin, saying, Go and lie in wait in the vineyards ; ²¹. if the daughters of Shiloh come out to dance in dances, then come ye..and catch you every man his wife of the daughters of Shiloh.—JUDGES, ch. 21.

338. — an End. Rich Fool. ¹⁹. I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years ; take thine ease, eat, drink, and be merry. ²⁰ But God said unto him, Thou fool, this night thy soul shall be required.—LUKE, ch. 12.

339. — A fatal. Philistines. ²⁶. when their hearts were merry..they called for Samson out of the prison house ; and he made them sport : and they set him between the pillars. ²⁷. And he bowed himself with all his might ; and the house fell upon the lords, and upon all the people.—JUDGES, ch. 16.

340. — Idolatry an. Israelites. ¹⁶. the people sat down to eat and to drink, and rose up to play. ¹⁹. as he came nigh unto the camp..he saw the calf, and the dancing : and Moses' anger waxed hot.—EX., ch. 32.

341. — Perilous. Amalekites. ¹⁶. they were spread abroad upon all the earth, eating and drinking, and dancing, because of all the great spoil that they had taken..of the Philistines, and..of Judah. ¹⁷ And David smote them from the twilight even unto the evening of the next day : and there escaped not a man.—1 SAM., ch. 30.

342. — Royal. Herodias' Daughter. ¹¹. Herod on his birthday made a supper to his lords, high captains, and chief estates of Galilee ; ¹² And..the daughter of..Herodias came in, and danced, and pleased Herod.—MARK, ch. 6.

343. — Sorrow after. Herod. ²⁵ And she..asked, saying, I will that thou give me by and by in a charger the head of John the Baptist. ²⁶ And the king was exceeding sorry.—MARK, ch. 6.

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344. ANCESTRY respected. Samaritan Woman. ¹² Art thou greater than our father Jacob, which gave us the well, and drank thereof himself, and his children, and his cattle?—JOHN, ch. 4.

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345. ANGEL of the Annunciation. *Gabriel.* "the angel said..Fear not, Mary: for thou hast found favor with God. "And, behold, thou shalt conceive..and bring forth a son, and shalt call his name Jesus.—*LUKE*, ch. 1.

346. — A destroying. *Against Assyrians.* "that night..the angel of the Lord..smote in the camp of the Assyrians a hundred fourscore and five thousand: and when they arose early in the morning, behold, they were all dead corpses.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 19.

347. — Hiding from an. *Ornan.* "the angel of the Lord commanded Gad to say to David, that David should..set up an altar..in the threshingfloor of Ornan.. "And Ornan turned back, and saw the angel; and his four sons with him hid themselves.—*1 CHRON.*, ch. 21.

348. — A manlike. *Manoah's.* "the woman came and told her husband, saying, A man of God came..like the countenance of an angel of God, very terrible: but I asked him not whence he was.—*JUDGES*, ch. 13.

349. — A mysterious. *Manoah's.* "when the flame went up toward heaven..the angel of the Lord ascended in the flame of the altar: and Manoah and his wife looked on it, and fell on their faces to the ground.—*JUDGES*, ch. 13.

350. — Messenger. *To Zacharias.* "I am Gabriel, that stand in the presence of God; and am sent to speak unto thee, and to shew thee these glad tidings.—*LUKE*, ch. 1.

351. — A shining. *By Cornelius.* "Cornelius said, Four days ago I was fasting until this hour; and at the ninth hour I prayed in my house, and, behold, a man stood before me in bright clothing.—*ACTS*, ch. 10.

352. — Sent by an. *Philip.* "the angel of the Lord spake unto Philip, saying, Arise, and go toward the south..desert. "And he..went: and, behold, a eunuch of great authority under Candace, queen of the Ethiopians, who had the charge of all her treasure, and had come to Jerusalem for to worship.—*ACTS*, ch. 8.

353. — A sustaining. *Garden.* "Father, if thou be willing, remove this cup from me: nevertheless, not my will, but thine, be done. "And there appeared an angel unto him from heaven, strengthening him.—*LUKE*, ch. 22.

354. — A swift. *Gabriel.* "while I was speaking in prayer, even the man Gabriel..being caused to fly swiftly, touched me about the time of the evening oblation.—*DAN.*, ch. 9.

355. — Terrifying. *Sepulchre Guard.* "His countenance was like lightning, and his raiment white as snow: "And for fear of him the keepers did shake, and became as dead men.—*MAT.*, ch. 28.

356. — — Women. "entering into the sepulchre, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, clothed in a long white garment; and they were affrighted.—*MARK*, ch. 16.

357. — — Gideon. "when Gideon perceived that he was an angel of the Lord, Gideon

said, Alas, O Lord God! for because I have seen an angel of the Lord face to face.—*JUDGES*, ch. 6.

358. — — At the Altar. "the tabernacle..which Moses made..and the altar of the burnt offering, were..at Gibeon. "But David could not go before it to inquire of God: for he was afraid because of the sword of the angel of the Lord.—*1 CHRON.*, ch. 21.

359. — Deliverance by. *Peter and John.* "the angel of the Lord by night opened the prison doors, and brought them forth. "The prison truly found we shut with all safety, and the keepers standing without..but we found no man within.—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

360. ANGELS, Encouragement from. *Mahanaim.* "Jacob went on his way, and the angels of God met him. "And..he said, This is God's host: and he called the name of that place Mahanaim.—*GEN.*, ch. 32.

361. — guard the Faithful. *In Dothan.* "Elisha..said, Lord, I pray thee, open his eyes..And the Lord opened the eyes of the young man; and he saw: and, behold, the mountain was full of horses and chariots of fire round about Elisha.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 6.

362. — Humility of. *Seraphim.* "I saw also the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up.. "Above it stood the seraphim: each one had six wings; with twain he covered his face, and with twain he covered his feet, and with twain he did fly.—*ISA.*, ch. 6.

363. — Hosts of. *John saw.* "I beheld, and I heard the voice of many angels round about the throne..and the number of them was ten thousand times ten thousand, and thousands of thousands.—*REV.*, ch. 5.

364. — In human Form. *Ascension.* "While they looked steadfastly toward heaven as he went up, behold, two men stood by them in white apparel.—*ACTS*, ch. 1.

365. — — Abraham. "The Lord appeared unto him in the plains of Mamre: and he sat in the tent door in the heat of the day: "And he..looked and, lo, three men stood by him.—*GEN.*, ch. 18.

366. — Reserved Helpers. *In Gethsemane.* "One of them..drew his sword, and struck a servant, and smote off his ear. "Thinkest thou that I cannot now pray to my Father, and he shall presently give me more than twelve legions of angels?—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

367. — Ministry of. *To Shepherds.* "fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. "And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God.—*LUKE*, ch. 2.

368. — — To Peter. "Peter was sleeping between two soldiers, bound with two chains: and the keepers before the door.. "And, behold, the angel..came upon him, and a light shined..and he smote Peter on the side, and raised him up, saying, Arise up quickly. And his chains fell off from his hands.—*ACTS*, ch. 12.

369. — Secondary Ministry of. *To Cornelius.* [The angel said.] "send men to Joppa, and call for..Peter: "He lodgeth with one Simon a tanner, whose house is by the sea side: he shall tell thee what thou oughtest to do.—*ACTS*, ch. 10.

370. — Honor God's Poor. *Lazarus.* ²²..the beggar died, and was carried by the angels into Abraham's bosom: the rich man also died, and was buried.—*LUKE*, ch. 16.

371. — Provision by. *Elijah.* ⁵..as he.. slept under a juniper tree..an angel touched him, and said..Arise and eat. ⁶..There was a cake baken on the coals, and a cruse of water at his head.—1 *KINGS*, ch. 19.

372. — Succor the Tempted. *Jesus.* ¹⁰..Get thee hence, Satan: for it is written, Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God, and him only shalt thou serve. ¹¹ Then the devil leaveth him, and, behold, angels came and ministered unto him.—*MAT.*, ch. 4.

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373. ANGER, Consuming. *Murmurers.* ⁴⁸..they that died in the plague were fourteen thousand and seven hundred, besides them that died about the matter of Korah.—*NUM.*, ch. 16.

374. — Composure amid. *Stephen.* ⁵⁹..they stoned Stephen, calling upon God, and saying, Lord Jesus, receive my spirit. ⁶⁰ And he kneeled down, and cried with a loud voice, Lord, lay not this sin to their charge. And when he had said this, he fell asleep.—*ACTS*, ch. 7.

375. — A childish. *Jonah.* ⁹..God said to Jonah, Doest thou well to be angry for the gourd? And he said, I do well to be angry, even unto death.—*JONAH*, ch. 4.

376. — Control of. *Proverb.* ²⁹ He that is slow to anger is better than the mighty; and he that ruleth his spirit than he that taketh a city.—*PROV.*, ch. 16.

377. — Destroying. *Korah.* ³⁰..the Lord spake unto Moses and unto Aaron, saying, ³¹ Separate yourselves from among this congregation, that I may consume them in a moment.—*NUM.*, ch. 16.

378. — Great Day of. *Judgment.* ¹⁵..the kings..the great..the rich..the chief captains..mighty men..hid themselves in the dens and in the rocks of the mountains; ¹⁶ And said to the mountains and rocks, Fall on us, and hide us from the face of him that sitteth on the throne, and from the wrath of the Lamb: ¹⁷ For the great day of his wrath is come: and who shall be able to stand?—*REV.*, ch. 6.

379. — from Disparagement. *Cain.* ⁴..the Lord had respect unto Abel and to his offering: ⁵ But unto Cain and to his offering he had not respect. And Cain was very wroth, and his countenance fell.—*GEN.*, ch. 4.

380. — from Defeat. *Elihu.* ² Then was kindled the wrath of Elihu..against Job..because he justified himself rather than God. ³ Also against his three friends..because they had found no answer, and yet had condemned Job.—*JOB*, ch. 32.

381. — Envious. *Elder Son.* ²¹..Thy brother is come; and thy father hath killed the fatted calf, because he hath received him safe and sound..thou never gavest me a kid, that I might make merry with my friends: ²⁸ And he was angry, and would not go in..his father..intreated him.—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

382. — Folly of. *Naaman.* ¹¹..Naaman was wroth, and went away, and said, Behold, I thought, He will surely come out to me, and stand, and call on the name of the Lord..and strike his hand over the place. ¹² Are not Abana and Pharpar, rivers of Damascus, better?—2 *KINGS*, ch. 5.

383. — Fratricidal. *Esau.* ⁴¹..Esau hated Jacob because..his father blessed him: and Esau said in his heart, The days of mourning for my father are at hand; then will I slay my brother Jacob.—*GEN.*, ch. 27.

384. — Great. *Idolaters.* ⁶..the children of Israel did evil again..and served Baalim, and Ashtaroth, and the gods. ⁷ And the anger of the Lord was hot..and he sold them into the hands of the Philistines, and..the children of Ammon.—*JUDGES*, ch. 10.

385. — at Half-heartedness. *Solomon.* ⁹..the Lord was angry with Solomon, because his heart was turned from the Lord..which had appeared unto him twice.—1 *KINGS*, ch. 11.

386. — of Indignation. *Moses.* ¹⁹..he saw the calf, and the dancing: and Moses' anger waxed hot, and he cast the tables out of his hands, and brake them.. ²⁰ And he took the calf..and burnt it..and ground it to powder, and strewed it upon the water, and made the children of Israel drink of it.—*EX.*, ch. 32.

387. — — Jonathan. ³³..Jonathan knew that it was determined of his father to slay David. ³⁴ So Jonathan arose from the table in fierce anger, and did eat no meat the second day of the month: for he was grieved for David.—1 *SAM.*, ch. 20.

388. — — Nehemiah. [In their distress the poor Jews sold their children to their wealthy brethren.] ⁶ And I was very angry when I heard their cry and these words. ⁷..and I rebuked the nobles, and the rulers, and said unto them, Ye exact usury, every one of his brother.—*NEH.*, ch. 5.

389. — Intensified. *Three Worthies.* ¹⁸..we will not serve thy gods, nor worship the golden image.. ¹⁹ Then was Nebuchadnezzar full of fury, ²⁰ therefore he..commanded..they should heat the furnace one seven times more than it was wont to be heated.—*DAN.*, ch. 3.

390. — Jesus in. *At Capernaum.* ⁵..when he had looked round about on them with anger, being grieved for the hardness of their hearts, he saith unto the man, Stretch forth thine hand..and his hand was restored.—*MAT.*, ch. 3.

391. — at Murmuring. *Israelites.* ¹..when the people complained..the Lord heard it; and his anger was kindled; and the fire of the Lord burnt among them, and consumed them that were in the uttermost parts of the camp.—*NUM.*, ch. 11.

392. — Maledious. *Pharisees.* [Jesus] ¹⁰..said unto the man, Stretch forth thy hand. And he did so: and his hand was restored whole as the other. ¹¹ And they were filled with madness; and communed..what they might do to Jesus.—*LUKE*, ch. 6.

393. — Overruled. *Nebuchadnezzar.* ²⁸..Nebuchadnezzar..said, Blessed be the God of Shadrach, Meshach, and Abed-nego, who hath sent his angel, and delivered his servants that trusted in him.. ²⁹ Therefore I make a decree,

That every people, nation, and language, which speak any thing amiss against the God... shall be cut in pieces.—*DAN.*, ch. 3.

394. — *God provoked to.* *Ahab.* ³¹ as if it had been a light thing for him to walk in the sins of Jeroboam... he took to wife Jezebel... and went and served Baal... ³² made a grove; and Ahab did more to provoke the Lord... to anger than all the kings of Israel that were before him. — *1 KINGS*, ch. 16.

395. — *Provoked to.* *Moses.* ²³ They angered him also at the waters of strife, so that it went ill with Moses for their sakes: ²⁴ Because they provoked his spirit, so that he spake unadvisedly with his lips.—*PS.* 106.

396. — *Paul.* ⁴ ye fathers, provoke not your children to wrath: but bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord.—*EPH.*, ch. 6.

397. — *Pacification of.* *Jacob.* ¹³ took of that which came to his hand a present for Esau his brother.—*GEN.*, ch. 32.

398. — *David's.* ¹⁸ Abigail made haste, and took two hundred loaves, and two bottles of wine, and five sheep ready dressed, and five measures of parched corn, and a hundred clusters of raisins, and two hundred cakes of figs, and laid them on asses.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 25.

399. — *Petulant.* *Nabal.* [They asked for food.] ¹⁰ Nabal answered David's servants... Who is David? and who is the son of Jesse? there be many servants nowadays that break away... from his master.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 25.

400. — *from wounded Pride.* *Haman.* ⁶ when Haman saw that Mordecai bowed not, nor did him reverence, then was Haman full of wrath. ⁷ And he thought scorn to lay hands on Mordecai alone; for they had shewed him the people of Mordecai.—*ESTH.*, ch. 3.

401. — *Parental.* *Saul.* ²⁸ Jonathan answered Saul, David earnestly asked leave of me to go to Bethlehem: ²⁹ Therefore he cometh not unto the king's table. ³⁰ Then Saul's anger was kindled against Jonathan.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 20.

402. — *at Rebellion.* *Calf.* ⁶ they have made them a molten calf... worshipped it... sacrificed thereunto, and said, These be thy gods, O Israel, which have brought thee up out of the land of Egypt. ¹⁰ Now therefore let me alone, that my wrath may wax hot against them, and that I may consume them.—*EX.*, ch. 32.

403. — *Righteous.* *Saul.* ² Nahash the Ammonite answered them, On this condition will I make a covenant with you, that I may thrust out all your right eyes, and lay it for a reproach upon all Israel... ⁴ And the Spirit of God came upon Saul... and his anger was kindled greatly.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 11.

404. — *of Resentment.* *Herod.* ¹⁶ when he saw that he was mocked of the wise men, was exceeding wroth... and slew all the children that were in Bethlehem, and in all the coasts thereof, from two years old and under.—*MAT.*, ch. 2.

405. — *Elder Son.* ²⁵ drew nigh to the house, he heard music and dancing... ²⁶ And he was angry, and would not go in.—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

406. — *Relentless.* *Herodias.* ¹⁸ John had said unto Herod, It is not lawful for thee to have

thy brother's wife. ¹⁹ Therefore Herodias had a quarrel against him, and would have killed him.—*MARX*, ch. 6.

407. — *at Sedition.* *Miriam and Aaron.* ² Hath the Lord indeed spoken only by Moses? hath he not spoken also by us? And the Lord heard it... ⁹ And the anger of the Lord was kindled against them.—*NUM.*, ch. 12.

408. — *Surrender of.* *Jesus.* ²³ if thou bring thy gift to the altar, and there rememberest that thy brother hath sought against thee; ²⁴ Leave there thy gift before the altar, and go thy way; first be reconciled to thy brother, and then come and offer thy gift.—*MAT.*, ch. 5.

409. — *Slowness to.* *Proverb.* ¹¹ He that is soon angry dealeth foolishly. ²⁹ He that is slow to wrath is of great understanding: but he that is hasty of spirit exalteth folly.—*PROV.*, ch. 14.

410. — *A strange.* *Ninevites.* ¹⁰ God saw... that they turned from their evil way; and God repented of the evil, that he had said that he would do unto them... ¹ But it displeased Jonah exceedingly, and he was very angry.—*JONAH*, chs. 3 and 4.

411. — *Sectarian.* *Saul.* ¹¹ I punished them oft in every synagogue, and compelled them to blaspheme; and being exceedingly mad against them, I persecuted them even unto strange cities.—*ACTS*, ch. 26.

412. — *Tyrannical.* *Pharaoh.* ⁴ Wherefore do ye, Moses and Aaron, let the people from their works? get you unto your burdens... ⁹ Let there be more work laid upon the men.—*EX.*, ch. 5.

413. — *Undeserved.* *Caleb and Joshua.* ¹ The land, which we passed through to search it, is an exceeding good land. ¹⁰ But all the congregation bade stone them with stones.—*NUM.*, ch. 14.

414. — *Unreasonable.* *Nebuchadnezzar.* ¹² the king was angry and very furious, and commanded to destroy all the wise men of Babylon... ¹³ and they sought Daniel and his fellows to be slain.—*DAN.*, ch. 2.

415. — *Victims of.* *Potiphar's.* ¹⁹ his wrath was kindled. ²⁰ And Joseph's master took him, and put him into the prison.—*GEN.*, ch. 39.

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 by the feet: but Gehazi came near to thrust her
 away. And the man of God said, Let her alone;
 for her soul is vexed within her.—2 KINGS, ch. 4.

417. — Bitter. *Esau.* "Esau...cried with
 a great and exceeding bitter cry, and said unto
 his father, Bless me, even me also, O my father.
 —GEN., ch. 27.

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418. ANIMALS, Authority over. *Man.* "Thou
 madest him to have dominion over the works of
 thy hands; thou hast put all things under his
 feet: "All sheep and oxen, yea, and the beasts
 of the field; "The fowl of the air, and the fish
 of the sea.—Ps. 8.

419. — Accursed. *Serpent.* "Because
 thou hast done this, thou art cursed above all
 cattle, and above every beast of the field; upon
 thy belly shalt thou go, and dust shalt thou eat
 all the days of thy life: "And I will put en-
 mity between thee and the woman.—GEN., ch. 3.

420. — Contrasted. *Beasts.* "Thou makest
 darkness, and it is night: wherein all the beasts
 of the forest do creep forth. "The young lions
 roar after their prey, and seek their meat from

God. "The sun ariseth, they gather themselves together, and lay them down in their dens.—Ps. 104.

421. — Dominion over. Adam. "God said unto them. Replenish the earth and subdue it: and have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over every living thing that moveth upon the earth.—Gen., ch. 1.

422. — Destructive. Bears. "There came forth little children out of the city, and mocked him. Go up, thou bald head; "And he cursed them in the name of the Lord. And there came forth two she bears out of the wood, and tare forty and two children of them.—2 KINGS, ch. 2.

423. — Dangerous. Wild. "A lion out of the forest shall slay them, and a wolf of the evenings shall spoil them, a leopard shall watch over their cities: every one that goeth out thence shall be torn in pieces: because their transgressions are many.—JER., ch. 5.

424. — End of the. Solomon. "All go unto one place; all are of the dust, and all turn to dust again. "Who knoweth the spirit of man that goeth upward, and the spirit of the beast that goeth downward to the earth?—ECC., ch. 3.

425. — for Food. Vegetarians. "the Spirit speaketh expressly, that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, "commanding to abstain from meats, which God hath created to be received with thanksgiving.—1 TIM., ch. 4.

426. — Instincts of. God. "Who hath sent out the wild ass free? or who hath loosed the bands of the wild ass? "Whose house I have made the wilderness, and the barren land his dwellings.—JOB, ch. 39.

427. — Overruled. "the ravens brought him bread and flesh in the morning, and bread and flesh in the evening.—1 KINGS, ch. 17.

428. — Divinely guided. Kine. "take two milch kine, on which there hath come no yoke, and tie the kine to the cart, and bring their calves home from them. "And the kine took the straight way to the way of Beth-she-mesh, and went along the highway, lowing as they went, and turned not aside to the right hand or to the left.—1 SAM., ch. 6. [They returned the ark of God to Israel.]

429. — Kindness to. Rebekah. "she said, I will draw water for thy camels also, until they have done drinking. "And she hasted, and emptied her pitcher into the trough, and ran again unto the well, and drew for all his camels.—GEN., ch. 24.

430. — Instruction from. Ant. "Go to the ant, thou sluggard; consider her ways, and be wise. "Provideth her meat in the summer, and gathereth her food in the harvest.—PROV., ch. 6.

431. — Kindness of. Dogs. "There was a certain beggar named Lazarus, which was laid at his gate, full of sores, "And desiring, the crumbs which fell from the rich man's table: moreover the dogs came and licked his sores.—LUKE, ch. 16.

432. — King of. Leviathan. "Canst thou draw out leviathan with a hook? or his tongue with a cord which thou lettest down? "Canst

thou put a hook into his nose? or bore his jaw through with a thorn? "He beholdeth all high things: he is a king over all the children of pride.—JOB, ch. 41.

433. — Forbidden mixing. Jews. "Thou shalt not plough with an ox and an ass together.—DEUT., ch. 22.

434. — Profitable. Fish. "Go thou to the sea, and cast an hook, and take up the fish that first cometh up; and when thou hast opened his mouth, thou shalt find a piece of money.—MAT., ch. 17.

435. — Punishment by. Israelites. "if ye will not hearken unto me. "I will send wild beasts amongst you, which shall rob you of your children, and destroy your cattle, and make you few in number; and your high ways shall be desolate.—LEV., ch. 26.

436. — Providence feeds. Birds. "Behold the fowls of the air: for they sow not, neither do they reap, nor gather into barns; yet your heavenly Father feedeth them.—MAT., ch. 6.

437. — Restrained. Lions. "said Daniel unto the king. "My God hath sent his angel, and hath shut the lions' mouths, that they have not hurt me.—DAN., ch. 6.

438. — Revenge by. Foxes. "Samson caught three hundred foxes, and turned tail to tail, and put a firebrand in the midst between two tails. "he let them go into the standing corn of the Philistines, and burnt up both the shocks, and also the standing corn, with the vineyards and olives.—JUDGES, ch. 15.

439. — Unrestrained. Lions. "they brought those men which had accused Daniel, and they cast them into the den of lions, them, their children, and their wives; and the lions brake all their bones in pieces or ever they came at the bottom of the den.—DAN., ch. 6.

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440. ANNUNCIATION. The. Mary. "the angel Gabriel was sent from God unto. Nazareth, "To a virgin espoused to a man whose name was Joseph. and the virgin's name was Mary.—LUKE, ch. 1.

441. — to Zacharias. *Gabriel*. ¹¹. there appeared unto him an angel of the Lord standing on the right side of the altar of incense. ¹³ But the angel said. Fear not, Zacharias: for thy prayer is heard; and thy wife Elisabeth shall bear thee a son, and thou shalt call his name John.—*LUKE*, ch. 1.

442. ANNOUNCEMENT, A painful. Betrayal. ²¹. as they did eat, he said. one of you shall betray me. ²² And they were exceeding sorrowful, and began every one of them to say unto him, Lord, is it I?—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

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443. ANNOYANCE, A wearisome. Delilah. ²⁶. when she pressed him daily with her words, and urged him, so that his soul was vexed unto death; ²⁷ That he told her all his heart.—*JUDGES*, ch. 16.

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444. ANOINTING for Service. Saul. ⁹. when he had turned his back to go from Samuel, God gave him another heart. ¹⁰ And a company of prophets met him; and the Spirit of God came upon him, and he prophesied among them.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 10. [Samuel had anointed him king of Israel.]

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445. ANSWER, A hasty. Proverb. ¹³ He that answereth a matter before he heareth it, it is folly and shame unto him.—*PROV.*, ch. 18.

446. — An insinuator. *Chief Priests.* ²⁵ The baptism of John, whence was it? from heaven, or of men? And they reasoned with themselves, saying, If we shall say, From heaven; he will say unto us, Why did ye not then believe him? ²⁶ But if we shall say, Of men; we fear the people. ²⁷ And they answered Jesus. We cannot tell.—*MAT.*, ch. 21.

447. — An ill-considered. *James and John.* ²⁸. Ye know not what ye ask: can ye drink of the cup that I drink of? and be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with? ²⁹. they said. We can.—*MARK*, ch. 10.

448. — An unwise. *Rehoboam.* ¹². the king answered the people roughly, and forsook the old men's counsel. ¹⁴ And spake to them after the counsel of the young men, saying, My father made your yoke heavy, and I will add to your yoke.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 12. [Ten tribes seceded.]

449. — A wise. *Pharisees.* ¹⁷. What thinkest thou? Is it lawful to give tribute unto Cesar, or not? ²⁰ And he saith. Whose is this image and superscription? ²¹ They say. Cesar's. Then saith he, Render therefore unto Cesar the things

which are Cesar's; and unto God the things that are God's.—*MAT.*, ch. 22.

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450. ANTAGONISM, Spiritual. Serpent. ¹⁴. Because thou hast done this. ¹⁵. I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel.—*GEN.*, ch. 3.

451. — of Truth. *Sword.* ²⁴ Think not that I am come to send peace on earth: I came not to send peace, but a sword. ²⁵ For I am come to set a man at variance against his father, and the daughter against her mother, and the daughter in law against her mother in law.—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

See ENMITY and references.

452. ANTIDOTE, An effectual. Poison. ⁴⁰. as they were eating of the pottage. they cried out. O thou man of God, there is death in the pot. ⁴¹ But he said, Then bring meal. And he cast it into the pot; and he said, Pour out for the people. And there was no harm in the pot.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 4.

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453. ANXIETY, Burdensome. Moses. ¹³. they weep unto me, saying, Give us flesh, that we may eat. ¹⁴ I am not able to bear all this people alone, because it is too heavy for me. ¹⁵ And if thou deal thus with me, kill me, I pray thee.—*NUM.*, ch. 11.

454. — for God's Cause. *Eli.* ¹². there ran a man of Benjamin out of the army, and came to Shiloh. with his clothes rent, and with earth upon his head. ¹³ And lo, Eli sat upon a seat by the way side watching: for his heart trembled for the ark of God.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 4.

455. — forbidden. *Future.* ²². Take no thought for your life, what ye shall eat; neither for the body, what ye shall put on. ²⁴ Consider the ravens: for they neither sow nor reap; which neither have storehouse nor barn; and God feedeth them: how much more are ye better than the fowls?—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

456. — Parental. *Joseph and Mary.* ⁴⁰. his mother said. Son, why hast thou thus dealt with us? behold, thy father and I have sought thee sorrowing.—*LUKE*, ch. 2.

457. — Relief of. *Spirit.* ¹⁹. when they deliver you up, take no thought how or what ye shall speak: for it shall be given you in that same hour what ye shall speak.—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

458. — Sleepless. *Darius.* ¹⁸. the king went to his palace, and passed the night fasting: neither were instruments of music brought

..and his sleep went from him. ¹⁹..very early in the morning..went in haste unto the den of lions.—DAN., ch. 6.

459. — because of Sickness. Nobleman. ⁴¹..besought him that he would come down, and heal his son: for he was at the point of death. ⁴²The nobleman saith unto him, Sir, come down ere my child die.—JOHN, ch. 4.

460. — Worldly. Martha. ⁴¹..Jesus..said ..Martha, Martha, thou art careful and troubled about many things. ⁴²But one thing is needful.—LUKE, ch. 10.

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461. APOSTASY, Angelic. *Deut.* ⁶..the angels which kept not their first estate, but left their own habitation, he hath reserved in everlasting chains under darkness unto the judgment of the great day.—JUDG.

462. — in old Age. Solomon. ⁴..when Solomon was old..his wives turned away his heart after other gods. ⁵For Solomon went after Ashtoreth the goddess of the Zidonians, and after Milcom the abomination of the Ammonites.—1 KINGS, ch. 11.

463. — Deception in. Paul. ¹..the Spirit speaketh expressly, that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils; ²Speaking lies in hypocrisy; having their conscience seared with a hot iron.—1 TIM., ch. 4.

464. APOSTATE, Enmity of. Alexander. ¹⁴Alexander the coppersmith did me much evil. ¹⁵Of whom be thou ware also; for he hath greatly withstood our words.—2 TIM., ch. 4.

465. — Hopeless. Presumption. ¹⁶..if we sin wilfully after that we have received the knowledge of the truth, there remaineth no more sacrifice for sins. ¹⁷But a certain fearful looking for of judgment and fiery indignation, which shall devour the adversaries.—HEB., ch. 10.

466. — Inconsiderate. Esau. ²⁸..he sold his birthright unto Jacob. ³⁴Then Jacob gave Esau bread and pottage of lentiles; and he did eat and drink, and rose up, and went his way. Thus Esau despised his birthright.—GEN., ch. 25.

467. — to Idolatry. Ahab. ²¹..took to wife Jezebel the daughter of Ethbaal king of the Zidonians, and went and served Baal, and worshipped him.—1 KINGS, ch. 16.

468. — in Prosperity. Jeshurun. ¹⁵..Jeshurun waxed fat, and kicked: thou art waxen fat, thou art grown thick, thou art covered with fatness; then he forsook God which made him, and lightly esteemed the Rock of his salvation.—DEUT., ch. 32.

469. — Responsibility for. Drowned. ⁶..whoso shall offend one of these little ones which believe in me, it were better for him that a mill-stone were hanged about his neck, and that he were drowned in the depth of the sea.—MAT., ch. 18.

470. — a Shipwreck. Hymeneus—Alexander. ¹⁹Holding faith, and a good conscience; which some having put away, concerning faith have made shipwreck: ²⁰Of whom is Hymeneus and Alexander; whom I have delivered unto Satan, that they may learn not to blaspheme.—1 TIM., ch. 1.

See BACKSLIDING and references.

471. APPAREL, Angelic. Ascension. ¹⁰..while they looked steadfastly toward heaven as he went up, behold, two men stood by them in white apparel.—ACTS, ch. 1.

472. — Separate. Law. ⁵The woman shall not wear that which pertaineth unto a man, neither shall a man put on a woman's garment: for all that do so are abomination unto the Lord.—DEUT., ch. 22.

See CLOTHES and references.

473. APPEAL for Sympathy. Saul. ⁸..there is none that sheweth me that my son hath made a

league with the son of Jesse, and *there is none of you that is sorry for me, or sheweth unto me that my son hath stirred up my servant against me, to lie in wait, as at this day?*—1 SAM., ch. 22.

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474. **APPEARANCES** conceal. Joseph. ¹. Joseph saw his brethren, and he knew them, but made himself strange... and spake roughly... and he said... Whence come ye?—GEN., ch. 42.

475. — **Evil. Tribute.** ²¹. lest we should offend them, go thou to the sea, and cast a hook, and take up the fish that first cometh up; and when thou hast opened his mouth, thou shalt find a piece of money: that take, and give unto them.—MAT., ch. 17.

476. — **False. Scribes.** ⁴⁶ Beware of the scribes, which desire to walk in long robes, and love greetings in the markets, and the highest seats in the synagogues, and the chief rooms at feasts. ⁴⁷ Which devour widows' houses, and for a shew make long prayers.—LUKE, ch. 20.

477. — **Hurtful. Example.** ¹⁰. if any man see thee which hast knowledge sit at meat in the idol's temple, shall not the conscience of him which is weak be emboldened to eat those things which are offered to idols; ¹¹ And through thy knowledge shall the weak brother perish, for whom Christ died?—1 COR., ch. 8.

478. — **uncertain. Eliab.** ⁶. he looked on Eliab, and said, Surely the Lord's anointed is before him. ⁷. the Lord said unto Samuel, Look not on his countenance, or on the height of his stature; because I have refused him: for the Lord seeth not as man seeth; for man looketh on the outward appearance, but the Lord looketh on the heart.—1 SAM., ch. 16.

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479. **APPETITE, Control of. Solomon.** ¹ When thou sittest to eat with a ruler, consider diligently what is before thee. ² And put a knife to thy throat, if thou be a man given to appetite. ³ Be not desirous of his dainties: for they are deceitful meat.—PROV., ch. 23.

480. — **Dangers of. Israelites.** ⁴. wept again, and said, Who shall give us flesh to eat? ⁵ We remember the fish, which we did eat in Egypt freely; the cucumbers, and the melons, and the leeks, and the onions, and the garlic.—NUM., ch. 11.

481. — **Headless. Israelites.** ²¹. they smote the Philistines... and the people were very faint. ²². flew upon the spoil, and took sheep, and oxen, and calves, and slew them on the ground;

and the people did eat them with the blood.—1 SAM., ch. 14.

482. — **Sin from. Israelites.** ¹⁹. ye have wept in the ears of the Lord, saying, Who shall give us flesh to eat? for it was well with us in Egypt: therefore the Lord will give you flesh... ²⁰. even a whole month, until it come out at your nostrils, and it be loathsome unto you.—NUM., ch. 11.

483. — **Temptation by. Jesus.** ². when he had fasted forty days and forty nights, he was afterward a hungered. ³. the tempter... said, If thou be the Son of God, command that these stones be made bread.—MAT., ch. 4.

484. — **Unrestrained. Esau.** ²². Esau said, Behold, I am at the point to die: and what profit shall this birthright do to me? ²⁴ Then Jacob gave Esau bread and pottage of lentiles; and he did eat and drink, and rose up, and went his way. Thus Esau despised his birthright.—GEN., ch. 25.

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485. **APPLAUSE, Love of. Pharisees.** ⁴⁴ How can ye believe, which receive honour one of another, and seek not the honour that cometh from God only?—JOHN, ch. 5.

486. — **Temptation to seek. Jesus.** ⁶. the devil taketh him up into the holy city, and setteth him on a pinnacle of the temple. ⁶ And saith... If thou be the Son of God, cast thyself down.—MAT., ch. 4.

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487. **APPLICATION, Direct. Traitor.** ²¹. Verily, I say unto you, that one of you shall betray me. ²² And they were exceeding sorrowful. ²³ Then Judas, which betrayed him, answered and said, Master, is it I? He said unto him, Thou hast said.—MAT., ch. 26.

488. — **Personal. Parable.** ⁴. There came a traveller unto the rich man, and he spared to take of his own flock and of his own herd... but took the poor man's lamb... And Nathan said to David, Thou art the man.—2 SAM., ch. 12.

489. — **Unmistakable. Peter.** ¹⁰. by the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, whom ye crucified, whom God raised from the dead, even by him doth this man stand here before you whole. ¹¹ Neither is there salvation in any other.—ACTS, ch. 4.

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490. **ARBITRATOR, A wise. Solomon.** ²². Divide the living child in two, and give half to the one, and half to the other. ²³ Then spake the woman whose the living child was... for her bowels yearned upon her son, and she said, O my lord, give her the living child.—1 KINGS, ch. 3.

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492. ARCHITECTURE, Ornamental. *Temple.* ²⁵. he carved upon them carvings of cherubim and palm trees and open flowers, and overlaid them with gold, and spread gold upon the cherubim, and upon the palm trees.—1 Kings, ch. 6.

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495. — A rejected. *David.* ²⁹. David girded his sword upon his armor, and he essayed to go; for he had not proved it. And David said unto Saul, I cannot go with these.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

496. ARMS, Destitution of. *Israelites.* ¹⁹. there was no smith found throughout all the land of Israel: for the Philistines said, Lest the Hebrews make them swords or spears. ²². in the day of battle..there was neither sword nor spear found in the hand of any..that were with Saul and Jonathan.—1 SAM., ch. 13.

497. ARMY, A great. *Uzziah.* ¹³ The whole number of the chief..of the mighty men of valour were two thousand and six hundred. ¹² And under their hand was an army, three hundred thousand and seven thousand and five hundred.—2 CHRON., ch. 26.

498. — impressed. *Saul.* ²². there was sore war against the Philistines all the days of Saul: and when Saul saw any strong man, or any valiant man, he took him unto him.—1 SAM., ch. 14.

499. — A strange. *David's.* ². every one that was in distress..that was in debt, and..that was discontented, gathered themselves unto him; and he became a captain over them..about four hundred men.—1 SAM., ch. 22.

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502. ARROGANCE, Contemptible. *Bramble.* ¹⁵. the bramble said unto the trees, If in truth ye anoint me king over you, then come and put your trust in my shadow; and if not, let fire come out of the bramble, and devour the cedars of Lebanon.—JUDGES, ch. 9.

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505. — Beginning of. Eden. ²..the Lord God planted a garden eastward in Eden; and there he put the man whom he had formed.—GEN., ch. 2.

506. — Defence by. Chariots. ¹⁹..The Lord was with Judah; and he drove out the inhabitants of the mountain; but could not drive out the inhabitants of the valley, because they had chariots of iron.—JUDGES, ch. 1.

507. — Destruction of corrupted. Canaanites. ²³..Ye shall drive out all the inhabitants..and destroy all their pictures, and destroy all their molten images.—NUM., ch. 33.

508. — in Deception. Rebekah. ¹⁵..upon Jacob her younger son: ¹⁶..she put the skins of the kids of the goats upon his hands, and upon the smooth of his neck.—GEN., ch. 27.

509. — Helped by. Uziah. ¹⁵..he made in Jerusalem engines, invented by cunning men, to be on the towers and upon the bulwarks, to shoot arrows and great stones withal. And his name spread far abroad.—2 CHRON., ch. 26.

510. — Inspiration for. Bezaleel. ³¹..he hath filled him with the spirit of God, in wisdom, in understanding, and in knowledge, and in all manner of workmanship; ³² And to de-

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511. — Prostituted. Calf. ¹..all the people brake off the golden earrings which were in their ears, and brought them unto Aaron. ⁴ And he..fashioned it with a graving tool, after he had made it a molten calf.—EX., ch. 32.

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513. — shadowed. Athens. ¹⁶..while Paul waited..at Athens, his spirit was stirred in him, when he saw the city wholly given to idolatry.—ACTS, ch. 17.

514. — Woman's. Ark. ²..when she could not longer hide him, she took for him an ark of bulrushes, and daubed it with slime and with pitch, and put the child therein; and she laid it in the flags by the river's brink.—EX., ch. 2.

515. ARTS, Deceptive. Ephesians. ¹⁹ Many of them also which used curious arts brought their books together, and burned them before all men: and they counted the price..fifty thousand pieces of silver.—ACTS, ch. 19.

516. — of Wickedness. Adulteress. ¹⁶ I have decked my bed with coverings of tapestry, with carved works, with fine linen of Egypt. ¹⁷ I have perfumed my bed with myrrh, aloes, and cinnamon.—PROV., ch. 7.

517. ARTIFICE, Discovered. David. ¹⁹..the king said, Is not the hand of Joab with thee in all this? And the woman answered..As thy soul liveth, my lord the king, none can turn to the right hand or to the left from aught that my lord the king hath spoken.—2 SAM., ch. 14.

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518. ASCENSION, An Angel's. Flame. ²⁰..when the flame went up toward heaven from off the altar..the angel of the Lord ascended in the flame..and Manoah and his wife..fell on their faces to the ground.—JUDGES, ch. 13.

519. — of Enoch. Translation. ⁶ By faith Enoch was translated that he should not see death; and was not found, because God had

translated him: for .he had this testimony, and he pleased God.—**HEB.**, ch. 11.

520. — of *Elijah. Whirlwind.* ¹¹. as they still went on, and talked, *there appeared* a chariot of fire, and horses of fire, and parted them both asunder; and Elijah went up by a whirlwind into heaven.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 2.

521. — of *Jesus. Blessing.* ⁵⁰. he led them out as far as to Bethany, and he lifted up his hands and blessed them. ⁵¹ And .while he blessed them, he was parted from them, and carried up into heaven.—**LUKE**, ch. 24.

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523. ASSASSINATION, A foul. *Kissed Amasa.* ¹⁰. Amasa took no heed to the sword that was in Joab's hand: so he smote him therewith in the fifth rib, and shed out his bowels to the ground, and struck him not again; and he died.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 20.

524. — *Hired. Amnon.* ²⁸. Absalom had commanded his servants, saying, Mark ye now when Amnon's heart is merry with wine, and when I say unto you, Smite Amnon; then kill him, fear not.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 13.

525. — *Patriotic. King of Moab.* ¹¹. he brought the present unto Eglon king of Moab. . . And Ehud put forth his left hand, and took the dagger from his right thigh, and thrust it into his belly.—**JUDGES**, ch. 3.

526. — *Revenge by. Abner.* ²¹ When Abner was returned to Hebron, Joab took him aside in the gate to speak with him quietly, and smote him there under the fifth rib, that he died, for the blood of Asahel his brother.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 3.

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527. ASSEMBLY, An eager. *Jesus.* ¹⁰. the multitude cometh together again, so that they could not so much as eat bread. ²¹ And when his friends heard of it, they went out to lay hold on him: for they said, He is beside himself.—**MARK**, ch. 3.

528. — *An evil. Murderers.* ³ Then assembled together the chief priests, and the scribes, and the elders of the people, unto the palace of the high priest, who was called Caiaphas. ⁴ And

consulted that they might take Jesus by subtilty, and kill him.—**MAT.**, ch. 26.

529. — *A great. Josiah.* ². the king went up into the house of the Lord .and the priests, and the prophets, and all the people, both small and great: and he read in their ears all the words of the book.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 23.

530. — *An important. Mount Carmel.* ¹⁹. Gather to me all Israel .and the prophets of Baal four hundred and fifty, and the prophets of the groves four hundred. . . [Fire fell upon Elijah's altar.] ²⁰ And when all the people saw it, they fell on their faces: and they said, The Lord, he is the God.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 18.

531. — *of Nobility. Nebuchadnezzar.* ³. the princes, the governors, and captains, the judges, the treasurers, the counsellors, the sheriffs, and all the rulers of the provinces, were gathered together unto the dedication of the image.—**DAN.**, ch. 3.

532. — *of Nations. Judgment.* ²¹ When the Son of man shall come in his glory, and all the holy angels with him, then shall he sit upon the throne of his glory; ²² And before him shall be gathered all nations.—**MAT.**, ch. 25.

533. — *A persistent. Five Thousand.* ²¹. Come ye yourselves apart into a desert place, and rest a while: for there were many coming and going, and they had no leisure so much as to eat. ²². and many .ran afoot thither out of all cities, and outwent them, and came together unto him.—**MARK**, ch. 6.

534. — *A pious. Ezra.* ¹. all the people gathered themselves together as one man into the street that was before the water gate; and they spake unto Ezra the scribe to bring the book of the law of Moses. . . ². and the ears of all the people were attentive unto the book.—**NEH.**, ch. 8.

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535. ASSESSMENT for Tribute. Menahem. ¹⁰ Pul the king of Assyria came against the land: and Menahem gave Pul a thousand talents of silver. .to confirm the kingdom in his hand. [About \$1,811,000.] ²⁰ And Menahem exacted the money of Israel, even of all the mighty men of wealth, of each man fifty shekels of silver. [About \$27 each.]—2 KINGS**, ch. 15.**

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536. ASSIMILATION, Gospel. Leaven. ²³..the kingdom of heaven is like unto leaven which a woman took, and hid in three measures of meal, till the whole was leavened.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

537. ASSISTANCE, Independent of. Paul. ³¹ I have coveted no man's silver, or gold, or apparel. ³⁴..these hands have ministered unto my necessities, and to them that were with me.—*ACTS*, ch. 20. [To Ephesian elders.]

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538. ASSOCIATES, Apostasy from. Solomon. ¹..king Solomon loved many strange women, together with the daughter of Pharaoh, women of the Moabites, Ammonites, Edomites, Zidonians, and Hittites. ⁸..and his wives turned away his heart.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 11.

539. — Burdensome. David. ²⁹..I am this day weak, though anointed king; and these men the sons of Zeruiah be too hard for me.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 3.

540. — Beneficial. Sons and Wives. ¹..Come thou and all thy house into the ark; for thee have I seen righteous before me in this generation. ¹And Noah went in, and his sons, and his wife, and his sons' wives with him, into the ark.—*GEN.*, ch. 7.

541. — Corrupt. Israelites. ²⁴They did not destroy the nations, concerning whom the Lord commanded them: ²⁵But were mingled among the heathen, and learned their works. ²⁶And

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542. — Dangerous. Sodomites. ¹¹..Lot chose him all the plain of Jordan; and Lot journeyed east. ¹²..Lot dwelt in the cities of the plain, and pitched his tent toward Sodom. ¹³But the men of Sodom were wicked and sinners before the Lord exceedingly.—*GEN.*, ch. 13.

543. — Forbidden. Paul. ¹¹..I have written unto you not to keep company, if any man that is called a brother be a fornicator, or covetous, or an idolater, or a railer, or a drunkard, or an extortioner; with such a one no not to eat.—*1 COR.*, ch. 5.

544. — Disobedient. ¹⁴..if any man obey not our word by this epistle, note that man, and have no company with him, that he may be ashamed. ¹⁵Yet count him not as an enemy, but admonish him as a brother.—*2 THESS.*, ch. 3.

545. — Hurtful. Canaanites. ²⁵..if ye will not drive out the inhabitants of the land..then those which ye let remain of them shall be pricks in your eyes, and thorns in your sides, and shall vex you in the land wherein ye dwell.—*NUM.*, ch. 33. [See No. 541.]

546. — Intolerable. Sodomites. [God]'..delivered just Lot, vexed with the filthy conversation of the wicked: ⁸For that righteous man dwelling among them, in seeing and hearing vexed his righteous soul from day to day with their unlawful deeds.—*2 PET.*, ch. 2.

547. — Ill-chosen. Peter. ³⁴..Peter followed him afar off, even into the palace of the high priest: and he sat with the servants, and warmed himself at the fire.—*MARK*, ch. 14.

548. — Influence of. Solomon. ²⁴Make no friendship with an angry man; and with a furious man thou shalt not go. ²⁵Lest thou learn his ways, and get a snare to thy soul.—*PROV.*, ch. 22.

549. — Likeness to. Antediluvians. ¹..the sons of God saw the daughters of men that they were fair; and they took them wives of all which they chose.—*GEN.*, ch. 6. [See No. 552.]

550. — Saved by. Paul. ¹³..the woman which hath a husband that believeth not, and if he be pleased to dwell with her, let her not leave him. ¹⁴For the unbelieving husband is sanctified by the wife, and the unbelieving wife is sanctified by the husband.—*1 COR.*, ch. 7.

551. — Brothers. ¹⁴Simon..and Andrew his brother, James and John [his brother], Philip and Bartholomew, ¹⁵Matthew and Thomas, James the son of Alphaeus, and Simon called Zelotes, ¹⁶And Judas the brother of James, and Judas Iscariot, which also was the traitor.—*LUKE*, ch. 6. [Three pairs of brothers.]

552. — Uncorrupted by. Antediluvians. ⁶God saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every imagination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually. ⁸But Noah found grace in the eyes of the Lord.—*GEN.*, ch. 6.

553. — Worthy. Hebrew Children. ¹⁶Melzar took away the portion of their meat, and the wine that they should drink; and gave them pulse. ¹⁷..God gave them knowledge and skill in all learning and wisdom: and Daniel had

understanding in all visions and dreams.—DAN., ch. 1.

554. ASSOCIATIONS, Happy. *Queen of Sheba to Solomon.* ⁸Happy are thy men, happy are these thy servants, which stand continually before thee, and that hear thy wisdom.—1 KINGS, ch. 10.

555. — *Helpful. Jehoram.* ¹⁴Elisha said, As the Lord of hosts liveth, before whom I stand, surely, were it not that I regard the presence of Jehoshaphat the king of Judah, I would not look toward thee, nor see thee.—2 KINGS, ch. 3.

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557. ASSURANCE, Believer's. *Job.* ²⁵I know that my Redeemer liveth, and that he shall stand at the latter day upon the earth.—JOB, ch. 19.

558. — *A full.* *Paul.* ²⁸I am persuaded, that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, ²⁹Nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate us from the love of God.—ROM., ch. 8.

559. — *A heavenly.* *Paul.* ¹..we know that, if our earthly house of this tabernacle were dissolved, we have a building of God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.—2 COR., ch. 5.

560. — *Inferential. Manoah.* ²²..his wife said unto him, If the Lord were pleased to kill us, he would not have received a burnt offering and a meat offering at our hands, neither would he have shewed us all these things.—JUDGES, ch. 13.

561. — *Impudent. Bramble.* ¹⁵The bramble said unto the trees, If in truth ye anoint me king over you, then come and put your trust in my shadow; and if not, let fire come out of the bramble, and devour the cedars of Lebanon.—JUDGES, ch. 9.

562. — *A personal.* *Paul.* ²⁰..I am not ashamed; for I know whom I have believed, and am persuaded that he is able to keep that which

I have committed unto him against that day.—1 TIM., ch. 1.

563. — *The Victor's.* *Paul.* ³⁵Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? ³⁷Nay, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him that loved us.—ROM., ch. 8.

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564. ASTONISHMENT, Great. *Disciples.* ²⁴..he arose, and rebuked the wind and the raging of the water: and they ceased, and there was a calm. ²⁵..And they being afraid wondered, saying..What manner of man is this? for he commandeth even the winds and water, and they obey him.—LUKE, ch. 8.

565. — *at a Mystery.* *Nebuchadnezzar.* ²⁴..Nebuchadnezzar the king was astonished, and rose up in haste..and said..Did not we cast three men bound into the midst of the fire? ²⁵..Lo, I see four men loose, walking.—DAN., ch. 3.

566. — *Sacred.* *Manoah.* ²⁰..the angel of the Lord ascended in the flame of the altar: and Manoah and his wife looked on it, and fell on their faces to the ground. ²²And Manoah said, We shall surely die, because we have seen God.—JUDGES, ch. 13.

567. — *at Speech.* *Tongues.* ¹..they were all amazed and marvelled, saying..Behold, are not all these which speak Galileans? ⁸And how hear we every man in our own tongue, wherein we were born?—ACTS, ch. 2.

568. — Overwhelming. *Disciples.* ⁴⁹..he cometh unto them, walking upon the sea. ⁵⁰..Be of good cheer: it is I; be not afraid. ⁵¹And he went..into the ship; and the wind ceased: and they were sore amazed in themselves beyond measure, and wondered.—**MARK**, ch. 6.

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569. ASTROLOGERS puzzled. *Babylonians.* ⁹Then came in all the king's wise men: but they could not read the writing, nor make known to the king the interpretation thereof.—**DAN.**, ch. 5.

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570. ATHEISM, Folly of. *David.* ¹..The fool hath said in his heart, *There is no God.*—**PS.** 14.

571. ATONEMENT accepted. *Abel.* ⁴Abel, he also brought of the firstlings of his flock and of the fat thereof. And the Lord had respect unto Abel and to his offering.—**GEN.**, ch. 4.

572. — Blood of. *Law.* ¹¹The life of the flesh is in the blood; and I have given it to you upon the altar to make an atonement for your souls: for it is the blood that maketh an atonement for the soul.—**LEV.**, ch. 17.

573. — Death stayed by. *Plague.* ⁴¹Aaron..ran into the midst of the congregation..and he put on incense, and made an atonement for the people. ⁴²And he stood between the dead and the living; and the plague was stayed.—**NUM.**, ch. 16.

574. — of Justice. *Sheba.* ¹¹..Sheba..hath lifted up his hand against..David: deliver him only, and I will depart from the city. And the woman said unto Joab, Behold, his head shall be thrown to thee over the wall.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 20.

575. — omitted. *Cain.* ³..Cain brought of the fruit of the ground an offering unto the Lord. ⁵But unto Cain and to his offering he had not respect. And Cain was very wroth.—**GEN.**, ch. 4.

576. — Sorrow of. *Gethsemane.* ³⁸..My soul is exceeding sorrowful, even unto death. ³⁹..O my Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass from me.—**MAT.**, ch. 26.

577. — Sufferings of. *Cross.* ⁴⁶..Jesus cried with a loud voice, saying, Eli, Eli, lama sabachthani? that is to say, My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me?—**MAT.**, ch. 27.

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Redemption. Not..silver and gold..precious..of C. **862**
Responsibility. Intend..this man's blood upon us **863**
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578. ATROCITY, Impious. *Pilate.* ¹..some..that told him of the Galileans, whose blood Pilate had mingled with their sacrifices.—**LUKE**, ch. 13.

See **CRUELTY** and references.

579. ATTACHMENT, Affectionate. *Jesus.* [On the night of his betrayal,] ⁶..cometh he to Simon Peter; and Peter saith unto him, Lord, dost thou wash my feet?—**JOHN**, ch. 13.

580. — claimed. *Jesus.* ²⁷He that loveth father or mother..son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me. ²⁸And he that taketh not his cross, and followeth after me, is not worthy of me.—**MAT.**, ch. 10.

581. — An inseparable. *Ruth.* ¹⁶..whither thou goest, I will go; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge: thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God: ¹⁷Where thou diest, will I die, and there will I be buried: the Lord do so to me, and more also, if aught but death part thee and me.—**RUTH**, ch. 1.

See **FRIENDSHIP** and references.

582. ATTENDANCE, A divine. *Joshua.* [The Lord said,] ⁹..Be strong and of a good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: for the Lord thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest.—**JOSH.**, ch. 1.

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" Did not our heart burn within us **6520**
Misjudged. After..after..a still small voice **6521**
Manifested. Cloud covered the tabernacle..fire **6522**
Questioned. Meribah..saying is the L..among us **6523**
Sign. Hearst the sound..mulberry trees..bestir **6524**
Undiscovered. Here am I, thou didst call me [Sam] **6525**
Withdrawn. Ye have turned..the L. will not be **6526**

583. AUTHOR, A voluminous. *Solomon.* ²¹ He spake three thousand proverbs: and his songs were a thousand and five. ²² And he spake of trees, from the cedar tree that is in Lebanon even unto the hyssop that springeth out of the wall: he spake also of beasts, and of fowl, and of creeping things, and of fishes.—1 KINGS, ch. 4.

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Blood. Moses..sprinkled both the book..people 901
Completed. If any add..God shall add the plagues 902
Christian. Ye are our epistle..read of all men 908
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of God. Forgive..and if not blot me out..thy book 905
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Burned Books. [Ephesians] used curious arts..b. 908
Increase. Of making many. there is no end 909
Lost Books. Books of Arnon..book of Jasher 910

584. AUTHORITY, A Brother's. *David* ²¹..said, Let me go, I pray thee; for our family hath a sacrifice in the city; and my brother, he hath commanded me to be there.—1 SAM., ch. 20.

585. — Comparison of. Adulteress. ⁴..Master, this woman was taken in adultery, in the very act. ⁵ Now Moses in the law commanded us, that such should be stoned: but what sayest thou?—JOHN, ch. 8.

586. — False. *Bethel Prophet.* ¹¹..there dwelt an old prophet in Beth-el; ¹² He said..I am a prophet also as thou art; and an angel spake unto me by the word of the Lord, saying, Bring him back with thee into thine house, that he may eat bread and drink water. ¹³ But he lied unto him.—1 KINGS, ch. 13.

587. — Obedience to. *Israelites.* ¹⁴..they answered Joshua, saying, All that thou commandest us we will do, and whatsoever thou sendest us, we will go.—JOHN., ch. 1.

588. — Power of. *Military.* [The centurion said to Jesus,] ⁵..having under me soldiers. I say unto one, Go, and he goeth; and to another, Come, and he cometh; and to my servant, Do this, and he doeth it.—LUKE, ch. 7.

589. — questioned. *Jesus.* ²² When he was come into the temple, the chief priests and the elders..said, By what authority doest thou these things? and who gave thee this authority?—MAT., ch. 21.

590. — recognised. *Jesus.* ¹⁵..made a scourge of small cords, he drove them all out of the temple, and the sheep, and the oxen; and poured out the changers' money, and overthrew the tables; ¹⁶ And said unto them that sold doves, Take these things hence; make not my Father's house a house of merchandise.—JOHN, ch. 2.

591. — Supreme. *Jesus.* ²⁴ They..awoke him, saying, Master, Master, we perish. Then he arose, and rebuked the wind and the raging of the water: and they ceased, and there was a calm. ²⁵..What manner of man is this! for he commandeth even the winds and water, and they obey him.—LUKE, ch. 8.

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592. AVARICE begets Falsehood. *Ananias.* ¹..a certain man named Ananias, with Sapphira his wife, sold a possession, ² And kept back part of the price..and brought a certain part, and laid it at the apostles' feet.—ACTS, ch. 5.

593. — Oppression from. *Jews.* ⁴ Hear this, O ye that swallow up the needy, even to make the poor of the land to fail, ⁵..making the ephah small and the shekel great, and falsifying the balances by deceit? ⁶ That we may buy the poor for silver, and the needy for a pair of shoes; yea, and sell the refuse of the wheat?—AMOS, ch. 8.

594. — Victim of. *Judas.* ⁴..he went his way, and communed with the chief priests and captains, how he might betray him unto them. ⁵ And they were glad, and covenanted to give him money.—LUKE, ch. 22.

See COVETOUSNESS and references.

595. AWAKENING of Conscience. *Herod* [his murderer] ¹⁴..said, That John the Baptist was risen from the dead, and therefore mighty works do shew forth themselves in him.—MARK, ch. 6.

596. — through Fear. *Crucifixion.* ²⁴ When the centurion, and they that were with him, watching Jesus, saw the earthquake, and those things that were done, they feared greatly, saying, Truly this was the Son of God.—MAT., ch. 27.

597. — A great. *Reign of Josiah.* ² The king went up into the house of the Lord..and the priests, and the prophets, and all the people, both small and great: and he read in their ears all the words of the book.—2 KINGS, ch. 23.

598. — A general. *John.* ⁵ There went out unto him all the land of Judea, and they of Jerusalem, and were all baptized of him in the river of Jordan, confessing their sins.—MARK, ch. 1.

599. — *A sudden. Jailer.* ²⁹ He called for a light, and sprang in, and came trembling, and fell down before Paul and Silas, ³⁰ And brought them out, and said, Sirs, what must I do to be saved?—*ACTS*, ch. 16.

600. — *in Trouble. Egyptians.* ²⁴ .in the morning watch the Lord looked unto the . . . Egyptians through the pillar of fire and of the cloud, and troubled the . . . Egyptians, ²⁵ And took off their chariot wheels, that they drove them heavily : so that the Egyptians said, Let us flee from the face of Israel.—*EX.*, ch. 14.

601. — *by the Truth. Felix.* ²⁵ As [Paul] reasoned of righteousness, temperance, and judgment to come, Felix trembled, and answered, Go thy way for this time ; when I have a convenient season, I will call for thee.—*ACTS*, ch. 24.

602. — *Unexpected. Sons of Jacob.* ²¹ They said one to another, We are verily guilty concerning our brother, in that we saw the anguish of his soul, when he besought us, and we would not hear ; therefore is this distress come upon us.—*GEN.*, ch. 42.

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Truth. Josiah . . . heard . . . the book of the . . . he rent 1696
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" All the people wept when they heard 763
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603. AWE, Alarming. Manoa. ²² Manoa said unto his wife, We shall surely die, because we have seen God.—*JUDGES*, ch. 13.

604. — *Painful. Gideon.* ²² When Gideon perceived that he was an angel of the Lord, Gideon said, Alas, O Lord God ! because I have seen an angel of the Lord face to face.—*JUDGES*, ch. 6.

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Commended. Peter fell down at Jesus' . . . fisher 7821
Esteem. Mephibosheth . . . fell on his face and did 7822
Joyous. There came a fire . . . people shouted and 7823

Manifested. [Joshua] Loose thy shoe from off 7824

Necessary. To this man will I look . . . contrite spirit 7825

" Men of Bethshemesh . . . looked into the 7826

Preserved by. Third captain . . . fell on his knees 7827

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of God. Moses hid his face . . . look upon God 3580

605. BABES, Spiritual. Paul. ¹ . . . I, brethren, could not speak unto . . . you as unto spiritual, but as unto carnal, even as unto babes in Christ. ² I have fed you with milk, and not with meat : for hitherto ye were not able to bear it, neither yet now are ye able.—1 *COR.*, ch. 3.

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Massacre. Herod . . . slew all . . . in Bethlehem two yrs. 4453

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606. BACHELOR, Justification of the. Paul. ²⁶ This is good for the present distress, I say, that it is good for a man so to be. ²⁷ Art thou bound unto a wife ? seek not to be loosed. Art thou loosed from a wife ? seek not a wife.—1 *COR.*, ch. 7.

607. — *The unfortunate. Adam.* ¹⁸ The Lord God said, It is not good that the man should be alone ; I will make him a help meet for him.—*GEN.*, ch. 2.

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Folly. He that uttereth a slander is a fool 8104

Hurtful. Then will they not pay tribute 8105

Implous. He saved others ; himself he cannot save 8106

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Sinners. Thou art an austere man 8113

Satan's. Touch all that he hath . . . will curse 8114

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Unbelief. Would to G. we had died . . . by flesh pots 8116

Satan's. God doth know . . . ye shall be as gods 8117

608. BACKSLIDERS, Compassion for. Paul.

⁶ Sufficient to such a man is this punishment, which was inflicted of many. ⁷ So that contrariwise ye ought rather to forgive him, and comfort him, lest perhaps such a one should be swallowed up with overmuch sorrow.—2 *COR.*, ch. 2.

609. — *Deterioration of. Seven Spirits.* ⁴⁸ Then goeth he, and taketh with himself seven other spirits more wicked than himself, and they enter in and dwell there; and the last state of that man is worse than the first.—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

610. — — *Worse.* ⁵⁰ If after they have escaped the pollutions of the world, they are again entangled therein, and overcome, the latter end is worse with them than the beginning.—*2 PETER*, ch. 2.

611. — *entreated. Jeremiah.* ¹² Go and proclaim these words, and say, Return, thou backsliding Israel, saith the Lord; and I will not cause mine anger to fall upon you: for I am merciful, saith the Lord, and I will not keep anger for ever. ¹³ Only acknowledge thine iniquity.—*JER.*, ch. 3.

612. — *Folly of. David.* ¹⁷⁶ I have gone astray like a lost sheep: seek thy servant.—*PS.* 119.

613. — *Image of. Dog—Sow.* ²² It is happened unto them according to the true proverb, The dog is turned to his own vomit again; and, The sow that was washed to her wallowing in the mire.—*2 PETER*, ch. 2.

614. — *Penitence of. Jews.* ²¹ A voice was heard upon the high places, weeping and supplications of the children of Israel; for they have perverted their way, and they have forgotten the Lord their God. ²² Return, ye backsliding children, and I will heal your backslidings. Behold, we come unto thee; for thou art the Lord our God.—*JER.*, ch. 3.

615. — *Unhappiness of. Saul.* ¹⁴ The Spirit of the Lord departed from Saul, and an evil spirit from the Lord troubled him. ¹⁷ And Saul said, Provide me now a man that can play well, and bring him to me.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 16.

616. *BACKSLIDING angers God. Solomon.* ⁹ The Lord was angry with Solomon because his heart was turned from the Lord, which had appeared unto him twice.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 11.

617. — *in old Age. Noah.* ⁵⁰ Noah, planted a vineyard: ⁵¹ And he drank of the wine, and was drunken; and he was uncovered within his tent.—*GEN.*, ch. 9. [More than six hundred years old.]

618. — *Beginning of. Peter.* ⁵⁸ Peter followed him afar off unto the high priest's palace, and went in, and sat with the servants, to see the end.—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

619. — *Cause of. Stony Ground.* ¹⁴ When they have heard the word, immediately receive it with gladness; ¹⁷ And have no root in themselves, and so endure but for a time; afterward, when affliction or persecution ariseth for the word's sake, immediately they are offended.—*MARK*, ch. 4.

620. — *detected. Proverb.* ¹⁴ The backslider in heart shall be filled with his own ways.—*PROV.*, ch. 14.

621. — *Folly of. Broken Cistern.* ¹² My people have committed two evils; they have forsaken me the fountain of living waters, and hewed them out cisterns, broken cisterns, that can hold no water.—*JER.*, ch. 2.

622. — *Origin of. Loss of Love.* ⁴ I have somewhat against thee, because thou hast left thy first love. ⁵ Remember therefore from

whence thou art fallen, and repent, and do the first works; or else I will remove thy candlestick out of his place.—*REV.*, ch. 2.

623. — *Profitless. Amaziah.* ¹⁸ The anger of the Lord was kindled against Amaziah, and he sent unto him a prophet, which said, Why hast thou sought after the gods of the people, which could not deliver their own people out of thine hand?—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 25.

624. — *Perilous. "Die."* ²⁴ When the righteous turneth away from his righteousness, and committeth iniquity, shall he live? All his righteousness that he hath done shall not be mentioned: in his trespass, and in his sin, in them shall he die.—*EZEK.*, ch. 18.

625. — *repeated. Abram.* ¹⁶ Pharaoh called Abram, and said, What is this that thou hast done unto me? why didst thou not tell me that she was thy wife?—*GEN.*, ch. 12. ⁹ Abraham said of Sarah his wife, She is my sister: and Abimelech king of Gerar, took Sarah.—*GEN.*, ch. 20.

626. — *by Wandering. Sheep.* ⁶ All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way.—*ISA.*, ch. 53.

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628. — *ridiculed. Bethel Children.* ²² As he was going up by the way, there came forth little children out of the city, and mocked him, and said unto him, Go up, thou bald head. ²⁴ there came forth two she bears, and tare forty and two children of them.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 2.

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630. — Punishment by. Rebels. [*Wrote Artaxerxes.*] ²⁶ Whosoever will not do the law of thy God, and the law of the king, let judgment be executed speedily upon him, whether it be unto death, or to banishment, or to confiscation of goods, or to imprisonment.—*EZRA*, ch. 7.

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631. BAPTISM, Administration of. *Jesus.* ² Jesus himself baptized not, but his disciples.—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

632. — of Christ. *Jordan.* ¹⁶ Jesus, when he was baptized, went..out of the water: and, lo, the heavens were opened unto him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove, and lighting upon him: ¹⁷ and lo a voice from heaven, saying, This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased.—*MAT.*, ch. 3.

633. — Imperfect. *Apollos.* ²⁴..Apollos..an eloquent man, and mighty in the Scriptures, came to Ephesus. ²⁵..being fervent in the spirit, he spake and taught diligently the things of the Lord, knowing only the baptism of John.—*ACTS*, ch. 18.

634. — promised, Spirit. *Jesus.* ⁶ John truly baptized with water; but ye shall be baptized with the Holy Ghost not many days hence. ⁷ Ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you.—*ACTS*, ch. 1.

635. — Prerequisite for. *Eunuch.* ²⁶..See, here is water; what doth hinder me to be baptized? ²⁷ And Philip said, If thou believest with all thine heart, thou mayest. And he answered..I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God.—*ACTS*, ch. 8.

636. — Reformation before. *Jailer.* ²³ He took them the same hour of the night, and washed their stripes; and was baptized, he and all his, straightway.—*ACTS*, ch. 16.

637. — received, Spirit. *Pentecost.* ² Suddenly there came a sound from heaven as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled all the house.. ³ And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them.—*ACTS*, ch. 2.

638. — Type of. *Sea.* ²² The children of Israel went into the midst of the sea upon the dry ground: and the waters were a wall unto them on their right hand, and on their left.—*EX.*, ch. 14. ² And were all baptized unto Moses in the cloud and in the sea.—*1 COE.*, ch. 10.

639. — Numerous. *Baptist.* ⁶ Then went out to him Jerusalem, and all Judea, and all the region round about Jordan. ⁶ And were baptized of him in Jordan, confessing their sins.—*MAT.*, ch. 3.

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640. BARGAIN, A bad. *Esau.* ²⁰ Esau said to Jacob, Feed me, I pray thee, with that same red pottage: for I am faint.. ²³ And Jacob said, Swear to me this day; and he swore unto him: and he sold his birthright unto Jacob.—*GEN.*, ch. 25.

641. — Tricks in. *Jews.* ¹⁴ It is naught, it is naught, saith the buyer: but when he is gone his way, then he boasteth.—*PROV.*, ch. 20.

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642. BARRENNESS, Condemnation of. *Fig Tree.* ⁶ Let it alone this year also, till I shall dig about it, and dung it: ⁹ And if it bear fruit, well: and if not, then after that thou shalt cut it down.—*LUKE*, ch. 13.

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643. BATTLE, Disarmed for. *Israelites.* ¹⁹ There was no smith found throughout all the land of Israel: for the Philistines said, Lest the Hebrews make them swords or spears: ²⁰ So in the day of battle..there was neither sword nor spear found in the hand of any of the people.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 12.

644. — without Fighting. *Judah.* [*Jahaziel*] ¹⁵ said, Hearken ye, all Judah, and..Jerusalem, and thou king Jehoshaphat, Thus saith the Lord..Be not afraid nor dismayed by reason of this great multitude; for the battle is not yours,

but God's. ¹¹ Ye shall not need to fight in this battle: set yourselves, stand ye still, and see the salvation of the Lord.—2 CHRON., ch. 20. [The allies killed each other.]

645. — **Hailstones in.** *Amorites.* ¹¹ As they fled from before Israel, the Lord cast down great stones from heaven upon them, and they died more, died with hailstones than they slew with the sword.—JOSH., ch. 10.

646. — **The Lord's.** *Moses.* ¹ When thou goest out to battle against thine enemies, and seest horses, and chariots, and a people more than thou, be not afraid of them: for the Lord thy God is with thee.—DEUT., ch. 20.

647. — **David.** ⁴¹ All this assembly shall know that the Lord saveth not with sword and spear: for the battle is the Lord's, and he will give you into our hands. ⁴⁸ And the Philistine arose, and came and drew nigh to meet David.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

648. — **Prayer in.** *Reuben, Gad, Manasseh.* ²⁰ the Hagarites were delivered into their hand, and all that were with them: for they cried to God in the battle, and he was entreated of them.—1 CHRON., ch. 5.

649. — **A sanguinary.** *Syrians.* ²⁹ The battle was joined: and the children of Israel slew of the Syrians a hundred thousand footmen in one day.—1 KINGS, ch. 20.

650. — **Spirits of.** *Enemies.* ²² When Jehoshaphat and his people came to take away the spoil, they found among them an abundance both riches with the dead bodies, and precious jewels, which they stripped off for themselves, more than they could carry away: and they were three days in gathering of the spoil, it was so much.—2 CHRON., ch. 20.

651. — **Hagarites.** [Reuben, Gad, and Manasseh] ²¹ took away their cattle; of their camels fifty thousand, and of sheep two hundred and fifty thousand, and of asses two thousand, and of men a hundred thousand. ²² For there fell down many slain, because the war was of God.—1 CHRON., ch. 5.

652. — **Skill in.** *David.* ⁴⁰ He took his staff, and chose him five smooth stones out of the brook, and his sling was in his hand: and he drew near to the Philistine.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

653. — **Unfit for.** *David.* ²⁸ Saul armed David with his armour, and he put a helmet of brass upon his head; also, a coat of mail. ²⁹ And David girded his sword upon his armour, and he assayed to go; for he had not proved it. And David said, I cannot go with these.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

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654. **BEARD, Indignity to the.** *Half shaved.* ⁴ Hanun took David's servants, and shaved off the one half of their beards, and cut off their garments in the middle, even to their buttocks, and sent them away.—2 SAM., ch. 10.

655. — **shaven in Affliction.** *Penitents.* ⁶ There came certain from Shechem, from Shiloh, and from Samaria, even fourscore men, having their beards shaven, and their clothes rent.—JER., ch. 41.

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656. **BEAUTY for Admiration.** *Eden.* ⁸ The Lord God planted a garden eastward in Eden; and there he put the man. ⁹ And out of the ground made the Lord God to grow every tree that is pleasant to the sight.—GEN., ch. 2.

657. — **A Babe's.** *Moses.* ²⁰ Moses was born, and was exceeding fair, and nourished up in his father's house three months.—ACTS, ch. 7.

658. — **A chosen.** *Rebekah.* ¹⁶ The damsel was very fair to look upon, a virgin.—GEN., ch. 24.

659. — **commends.** *Esther.* ¹ Esther, had neither father nor mother, and the maid was fair and beautiful; whom Mordecai, when her father and mother were dead, took for his own daughter.—ESTHER, ch. 2.

660. — **Dangers of.** *Sarai—Abram.* ¹¹ said unto Sarai his wife, thou art a fair woman to look upon: ¹² Therefore, when the Egyptians shall see thee, they shall say, This is his wife: and they will kill me.—GEN., ch. 12.

661. — **Sons of God. ⁹ That the sons of God saw the daughters of men that they were fair; and they took them wives of all which they chose. ³ And the Lord said, My Spirit shall not always strive with man.—GEN., ch. 6.**

662. — **with Discretion.** *Abigail.* ³ was a woman of good understanding, and of a beautiful countenance. ²² And David said to Abigail, thy advice, has kept me this day from coming to shed blood.—1 SAM., ch. 25.

663. — **Exhibition of.** *Ahasuerus.* ¹⁰ On the seventh day, when the heart of the king was merry with wine, he commanded, ¹¹ To bring Vashti the queen, with the crown royal, to shew the people and the princes her beauty: for she was fair.—ESTHER, ch. 1.

664. — **Favorite.** *Rachel.* ¹⁶ the younger was Rachel. ¹¹ Leah was tender eyed; but Rachel was beautiful and well favoured. ¹⁸ And Jacob loved Rachel.—GEN., ch. 29. [Leah is supposed to have had soft blue eyes.]

665. — **Floral.** *Lilies.* ²⁸ Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they toil not, neither do they spin: ²⁹ And yet, even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these.—MAT., ch. 6.

666. — **Masculine.** *Saul.* ² Saul, a choice young man, and a goodly: and there was not among the children of Israel a goodlier person than he: from his shoulders and upward he was higher than any of the people.—SAM., ch. 9.

667. — **David. ¹³ was ruddy, and withal of a beautiful countenance, and goodly to look to. And the Lord said, Arise, anoint him.—1 SAM., ch. 16.**

668. — **Personal.** *Absalom.* ²⁵ there was none to be so much praised as Absalom for his beauty: from the sole of his foot even to the crown of his head there was no blemish in him.—2 SAM., ch. 14.

669. — **Surpassing.** *Job's Daughters.* ¹⁵ In all the land were no women found so fair as the daughters of Job.—JOB, ch. 42.

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670. BEGGAR, A blind. *Bartimeus.* ⁴⁴ Blind Bartimeus..sat by the highway side begging. ⁴¹ And when he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out..Jesus, thou Son of David, have mercy on me.—**MARK**, ch. 10.

671. — A changed. *Lazarus.* ²² The beggar died, and was carried by the angels into Abraham's bosom.—**LUKE**, ch. 16.

672. — A fraudulent. *Gehazi.* ²⁰ The servant of Elisha..said, Behold, my master hath spared Naaman this Syrian, in not receiving at his hands..I will run after him, and take somewhat of him. ²² And he said..My master hath sent me, saying..there be come to me..two young men..of the prophets: give them..a talent of silver, and two changes of garments.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 5.

673. — A devout. *Josiah.* ⁴⁴ Went unto

Pilate, and begged the body of Jesus. ⁴³ And he took it down, and wrapped it in linen, and laid it in a sepulchre.—**LUKE**, ch. 23.

674. — An undeserving. *Staggard.* ⁴ The sluggard will not plough by reason of the cold; therefore shall he beg in harvest, and have nothing.—**PROV.**, ch. 20.

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675. BEGINNING of all. *Tho. Creation.* ¹ In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth. ² And the earth was without form, and void; and darkness was upon the face of the deep.—**GEN.**, ch. 1.

676. — Cautious. *Tower.* ²⁸ Which of you, intending to building a tower, sitteth down first, and counteth the cost, whether he have sufficient to finish it? ²⁹ Lest haply, after he hath laid the foundation, and is not able to finish it, all that behold it begin to mock him.—**LUKE**, ch. 14.

677. — War. ²¹ What king, going to make war..sitteth not down first, and consulteth whether he be able with ten thousand to meet him that cometh against him with twenty thousand?—LUKE**, ch. 14.**

678. — A dangerous. *Peter.* ⁴⁶ Peter followed him afar off unto the high priest's palace, and went in, and sat with the servants, to see the end.—**MAT.**, ch. 26.

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679. BELIEF from Conviction. *Bereans.* ¹¹ Were more noble than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness of mind, and searched the Scriptures daily, whether those things were so.—**ACTS**, ch. 17.

680. — from Signs. *Nobleman.* ⁴¹ Besought him that he would come down, and heal his son..at the point of death. ⁴⁶ Then said Jesus..Except ye see signs and wonders, ye will not believe.—**JOHN**, ch. 4.

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681. BELIEVERS, Joy of. Unspeakable. * Whom having not seen, ye love; in whom, though now ye see him not, yet believing, ye rejoice with joy unspeakable and full of glory.—1 PETER, ch. 1.

682. — Possibilities of. All Things. * Oft-times it hath cast him into the fire, and into the waters, to destroy him; but if thou canst do anything, have compassion on us, and help us. * Jesus said..If thou canst believe, all things are possible to him that believeth.—MARK, ch. 9.

683. — Weak. Corinthians. * I, brethren, could not speak unto you as unto spiritual, but as unto carnal, even as unto babes in Christ. * I have fed you with milk, and not with meat.—1 COR., ch. 3.

684. BENEFITS, Return from. Fig Tree. * Behold, these three years I come seeking fruit on this fig tree, and find none: cut it down; why cumbereth it the ground?—LUKE, ch. 13.

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686. — — — Moses. * They said unto Moses, Because there were no graves in Egypt, hast thou taken us away to die in the wilderness?.. * Is not this the word that we did tell thee in Egypt, saying, Let us alone, that we may serve the Egyptians?—EX., ch. 14.

687. — honoured. Bartimeus. * Lord, that I might receive my sight. * And Jesus said..Go thy way; thy faith hath made thee whole. And immediately he received his sight, and followed Jesus in the way.—MARK, ch. 10.

688. — remembered. Centurion. * When they came to Jesus, they besought him instantly, saying, That he was worthy for whom he should do this: * For he loveth our nation, and he hath built us a synagogue.—LUKE, ch. 7.

689. — *alandered. Moses—Aaron.* ³² The earth opened her mouth, and swallowed them up, and their houses, and all the men that *appertained* unto Korah, and all *their goods*. . . ⁴¹ . . . all . . . murmured against Moses and against Aaron, saying, Ye have killed the people of the Lord.—*Num.*, ch. 16.

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690. **BENEVOLENCE** according to Ability. *Antiochians.* ¹⁹ The disciples, every man according to his ability, determined to send relief unto the brethren . . in Judea.—*Acts*, ch. 11.

691. — *Active. Jesus.* ²⁵ Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and preaching the gospel . . and healing . . every disease among the people.—*MAT.*, ch. 9.

692. — *to Brethren. Law.* ²⁵ If thy brother be waxen poor . . then thou shalt relieve him : yea, though he be a stranger, or a sojourner . . ²⁷ Thou shalt not give him thy money upon usury, nor lend him thy victuals for increase.—*LEV.*, ch. 25.

693. — *blesses the Giver. Isaiah.* ¹⁰ If thou draw out thy soul to the hungry, and satisfy the afflicted soul ; then shall thy light rise in obscurity, and thy darkness be as the noonday : ¹¹ And the Lord shall guide thee continually, and satisfy thy soul in drought, and make fat thy bones : and thou shalt be like a water garden, and like a spring of water, whose waters fail not.—*ISA.*, ch. 58.

694. — *benefits Children. David.* ²⁵ I have been young, and now am old ; yet have I not seen the righteous forsaken, nor his seed begging bread. ²⁶ He is ever merciful, and lendeth ; and his seed is blessed.—*PS.* 37.

695. — *Consolations of. David.* ¹ Blessed is he that considereth the poor : the Lord will

deliver him in time of trouble. ³ The Lord will strengthen him upon the bed of languishing : thou wilt make all his bed in his sickness.—*PS.* 41.

696. — *Cheerful. Paul.* ¹ Every man according as he purposeth in his heart, so let him give ; not grudgingly, or of necessity : for God loveth a cheerful giver.—*2 COR.*, ch. 9.

697. — *Compensated. Resurrection.* ¹³ When thou makest a feast, call the poor, the maimed, the lame, the blind : ¹⁴ And thou shalt be blessed ; for they cannot recompense thee : for thou shalt be recompensed at the resurrection of the just.—*LUKE*, ch. 14.

698. — *Delicacy in. Boaz.* ¹⁵ Boaz commanded his young men, saying, Let her glean even among the sheaves . . ¹⁶ . . And let fall also some of the handfuls of purpose for her, and leave them, that she may glean them.—*RUTH*, ch. 2.

699. — *Essential. Law.* ²⁵ A certain lawyer . . tempted him, saying, Master, what shall I do to inherit eternal life ? ²⁶ He said . . What is written in the law ? . . ²⁷ And he answering said, Thou shalt love the Lord . . and thy neighbour as thyself. ²⁸ And he said . . Thou hast answered right : this do, and thou shalt live.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

700. — *Female. Women.* ¹ He went throughout every city and village, preaching . . and the twelve were with him. ² And certain women, which had been healed of evil spirits and infirmities . . ³ . . ministered unto him of their substance.—*LUKE*, ch. 8.

701. — *better than Fasting. To Poor.* ⁶ Is not this the fast that I have chosen ? to loose the bands of wickedness, to undo the heavy burdens, and to let the oppressed go free, and that ye break every yoke ? ⁷ . . deal thy bread to the hungry . . bring the poor that are cast out to thy house ? when thou seest the naked, that thou cover him.—*ISA.*, ch. 58.

702. — *Great. Zaccheus.* ⁹ Zaccheus . . said . . Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

703. — *Hospitable. Nehemiah.* ¹⁷ There were at my table a hundred and fifty of the Jews and rulers, besides those that came unto us from among the heathen that are about us.—*NEH.*, ch. 5.

704. — *an Investment. Paul.* ²⁵ I have shewed you . . how . . ye ought to support the weak, and to remember the words of the Lord Jesus . . It is more blessed to give than to receive.—*ACTS*, ch. 20.

705. — *ignoring. Proverb.* ¹³ Whoso stoppeth his ears at the cry of the poor, he also shall cry himself, but shall not be heard.—*PROV.*, ch. 21.

706. — *Imposition on. Gehazi.* ²⁵ My master hath sent me, saying . . there be come to me . . two young men of the sons of the prophets : give them, I pray thee, a talent of silver, and two changes of garments.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 5. [Elisha had declined the gifts of Naaman.]

707. — *Increase by. Elisha.* ⁴⁶ Brought the man of God bread of the first fruits, twenty loaves of barley, and full ears of corn in the husk thereof. And he said, Give unto the people . . ⁴⁷ And his servitor said, What, should I set this

before a hundred men?.. ⁴⁴ So he set it before them, and they did eat, and left thereof.—2 KINGS, ch. 4.

708. — *Joys of Job.* ¹¹ When the ear heard me, then it blessed me; and when the eye saw me, it gave witness to me: ¹² Because I delivered the poor that cried, and the fatherless, and him that had none to help him.—JOB, ch. 29.

709. — *Law of Commandment.* ¹⁸ One of the scribes, asked him, Which is the first commandment of all? ¹⁹ And Jesus answered.. ²⁰..Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart.. ²¹ And the second is like, namely this, Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself. There is none other commandment greater than these.—MARK, ch. 12.

710. — *A Memorial.* *Cornelius.* ³ An angel of God coming in.. ⁴..he was afraid, and said, What is it, Lord? And he said..Thy prayers and thine alms are come up for a memorial before God.—ACTS, ch. 10.

711. — *Divine Measure of Widow.* ⁴³ This poor widow hath cast more in, than all they which have cast into the treasury: ⁴⁴ For all they did cast in of their abundance; but she of her want did cast in all that she had, even all her living.—MARK, ch. 12.

712. — *Office of Job.* ¹⁵ I was eyes to the blind, and feet was I to the lame. ¹⁶ I was a father to the poor: and the cause which I knew not I searched out. ¹⁷ And I brake the jaws of the wicked, and plucked the spoil out of his teeth.—JOB, ch. 29.

713. — *High Office of Judgment.* ²⁷..Lord, when saw we thee a hungered, and fed thee? or thirsty, and gave thee drink? ⁴⁰ And the King shall answer.. Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me.—MAT., ch. 25.

714. — *Pious.* *Cornelius.* ¹ There was.. Cornelius, a centurion of the..Italian band, ² A devout man, and one that feared God with all his house, which gave much alms to the people, and prayed to God always.—ACTS, ch. 10.

715. — *Primitive.* *Communitic.* ⁴⁴ All that believed were together, and had all things common; ⁴⁵ And sold their possessions and goods, and parted them to all men, as every man had need.—ACTS, ch. 2.

716. — *Practical.* *Dorcas.* ³⁵ All the widows stood by him weeping, and shewing the coats and garments which Dorcas made.—ACTS, ch. 9.

717. — *of the Poor.* *Widow.* ¹³ She said.. I have not a cake, but a handful of meal in a barrel, and a little oil in a cruse.. ¹⁵ And Elijah said..Fear not..but make me thereof a little cake first.—1 KINGS, ch. 17.

718. — *Procrastinated.* *Proverb.* ²¹ Withhold not good from them to whom it is due, when it is in the power of thine hand to do it. ²² Say not unto thy neighbour, Go, and come again, and to-morrow I will give; when thou hast it by thee.—PROV., ch. 3.

719. — *Religious.* *Jacob.* ²⁰ Jacob vowed..If God will be with me, and will keep me in this way that I go.. ²¹..then shall the Lord be my God.. ²²..and of all that thou shalt give me I will surely give the tenth unto thee.—GEN., ch. 28.

720. — *by Rule.* *Zaccheus.* ³ Zaccheus.. said..Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor; and if I have taken any thing from any man by false accusation, I restore him fourfold.—LUKE, ch. 19.

721. — *Riches for.* *Paul.* ¹¹ Charge them that are rich in this world.. ¹² That they do good, that they be rich in good works, ready to distribute, willing to communicate.—1 TIM., ch. 6.

722. — *refused.* *Priest.* ²⁰ A certain man..fell among thieves, which stripped him of his raiment, and wounded him, and departed, leaving him half dead. ²¹..There came down a certain priest that way; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side.—LUKE, ch. 10.

723. — *Real.* *Samaritan.* ²³ A certain Samaritan..came where he was; and..he had compassion on him, ²⁴ And went to him, and bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine, and set him on his own beast, and brought him to an inn, and took care of him.—LUKE, ch. 10. [See No. 731.]

724. — *repaid.* *Measure.* ²⁸ Give, and it shall be given unto you; good measure, pressed down, and shaken together, and running over, shall men give into your bosom. For with the same measure that ye mete withal it shall be measured to you again.—LUKE, ch. 6.

725. — *rewarded.* *The least.* *Water.* ⁴¹ Whosoever shall give you a cup of water to drink in my name, because ye belong to Christ, verily I say unto you, he shall not lose his reward.—LUKE, ch. 9.

726. — *Systematic.* *Paul.* ² Upon the first day of the week let every one of you lay by him in store, as God hath prospered him, that there be no gatherings when I come.—1 COR., ch. 16.

727. — *with Sacrifice.* *Macedonians.* ³ In a great trial of affliction, the abundance of their joy and their deep poverty abounded unto the riches of their liberality. ⁵ For to their power, ..yea, and beyond their power they were willing of themselves; ⁴ Praying us with much entreaty that we would receive the gift.—2 COR., ch. 8.

728. — *Sufficient.* *Socialistic.* ³⁴ Neither was there any among them that lacked: for as many as were possessors of lands or houses sold them, and brought the prices.. ³⁵ And laid them down at the apostles' feet: and distribution was made unto every man according as he had need.—ACTS, ch. 4.

729. — *to the Sick.* *Jesus.* ⁴⁰ When the sun was setting, all they that had any sick with divers diseases brought them unto him; and he laid his hands on every one of them, and healed them.—LUKE, ch. 4.

730. — *Spirit of.* *Apostles.* ⁶ Heal the sick, cleanse the lepers, raise the dead, cast out devils: freely ye have received, freely give.—MAT., ch. 10.

731. — *Sentimental.* *Levite.* ³ A Levite.. came and looked on him, and passed by on the other side.—LUKE, ch. 10. [See Nos. 722, 723.]

732. — *a Test.* *Young Ruler.* ²¹ Jesus beholding him loved him, and said..One thing thou lackest: go thy way, sell whatsoever thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven.—MARK, ch. 10.

733. — Unselfish. Feast. ¹² When thou makest a dinner, call not thy friends, nor thy brethren, neither thy kinsmen, or thy rich neighbours; lest they also bid thee again, and a recompense be made thee. ¹³ But call the poor, the maimed, the lame, the blind.—*LUKE*, ch. 14.

734. — Willing. Tabernacle. ²¹ Every one whose heart stirred him up, and his spirit made willing, brought the Lord's offering to the work of the tabernacle. ²² both men and women, and brought bracelets, and earrings, and rings, and tablets, all jewels of gold.—*EX.*, ch. 35.

735. — according to Willingness. Paul. ¹¹ If there be first a willing mind, it is accepted according to that a man hath, and not according to that he hath not.—*2 COR.*, ch. 8.

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736. BEREAVEMENT, Consolation in. David. ¹⁸ the servants of David feared to tell him that the child was dead. ²³ But now he is dead, wherefore should I fast? can I bring him back again? I shall go to him, but he shall not return to me.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 12.

737. — Despondency in. Joseph. ²⁴ Jacob rent his clothes, and put sackcloth upon his loins, and mourned for his son many days. ²⁵ And all his sons and all his daughters rose up to comfort him; but he refused to be comforted; and he said, For I will go down into the grave unto my son mourning.—*GEN.*, ch. 37.

738. — A genuine. Dorcas. ⁹ All the widows stood by him weeping, and shewing the coats and garments which Dorcas made.—*ACTS*, ch. 9.

739. — Official Mourning in. Jacob. ³ The Egyptians mourned for him threescore and ten days.—*GEN.*, ch. 50.

740. — — Joseph. ⁹ There went up. chariots and horsemen: and it was a very great company. ¹⁰ And they came. beyond Jordan; and there they mourned with a great and very sore lamentation. seven days.—*GEN.*, ch. 50.

741. — Repeated. Nain. ¹² When he came nigh to the gate of the city, behold, there was a dead man carried out, the only son of his mother, and she was a widow: and much people of the city was with her.—*LUKE*, ch. 7.

742. — Sudden. Job. ¹⁸ Thy sons and thy daughters were eating and drinking wine in their eldest brother's house: ¹⁹ And. a great wind from the wilderness. smote the four corners of the house, and it fell upon the young men, and they are dead.—*JOB*, ch. 1.

743. — Submission in. Israel. ¹⁸ Take also your brother, and arise, go again. ¹⁴ And God Almighty give you mercy before the man, that he may send away your other brother, and Benjamin. If I be bereaved of my children, I am bereaved.—*GEN.*, ch. 42.

744. — Universal. Egypt. ²⁹ At midnight the Lord smote all the firstborn in the land of Egypt, from the firstborn of Pharaoh that sat on his throne unto the firstborn of the captive that was in the dungeon.—*EX.*, ch. 12.

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745. BETRAYAL, Dastardly. *Joab.* ⁹ Joab said to Amasa, *Art thou in health, my brother?* And Joab took Amasa by the beard with the right hand to kiss him. ¹⁰ But Amasa took no heed to the sword that was in Joab's hand: so he smote him therewith in the fifth rib.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 20.

746. — *Judas* ⁴⁸ Gave them a sign, saying, Whomsoever I shall kiss, that same is he; hold him fast. ⁴⁹ And forthwith he came to Jesus, and said, Hail, Master; and kissed him.—**MAT.**, ch. 26.

747. — *A Lover's, Samson.* ¹⁸ When Delilah saw that he had told her all his heart, she sent . . . for the lords of the Philistines, saying, Come up this once, for he hath shewed me all his heart. ¹⁹ The Philistines took him, and put out his eyes.—**JUDGES**, ch. 16.

748. — *Woe of, Jesus.* ³¹ Woe unto that man by whom the Son of man is betrayed! it had been good for that man if he had not been born.—**MAT.**, ch. 26.

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749. BETROTHAL, Privilege of, Israelite. ¹ What man is there that hath betrothed a wife, and hath not taken her? let him go and return unto his house, lest he die in the battle, and another man take her.—**DEUT.**, ch. 20.

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750. BIBLE, Alarm from the, Jews. ¹⁸ Baruch read the book in the ears of the people. ¹⁹ Now. . . when they had heard all the words, they were afraid both one and other.—**JER.**, ch. 36.

751. — *studied in Childhood, Timothy.* ¹⁴ Continue thou in the things which thou hast learned. . . knowing of whom thou hast learned them; ¹⁵ And that from a child thou hast known the holy Scriptures.—**2 TIM.**, ch. 3.

752. — *Edification from the, Paul.* ³³ Brethren, I commend you to God, and to the word of his grace, which is able to build you up, and to give you an inheritance among all them which are sanctified.—**ACTS**, ch. 20.

753. — *awakens Emotion, The, Josiah.* ¹⁰ . . . Shaphan read it before the king. ¹¹ And. . . when the king had heard the words of the book of the law. . . he rent his clothes.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 22.

754. — *in the Home, Teaching.* ⁶ These words, which I command thee. . . ⁷ And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up.—**DEUT.**, ch. 6.

755. — *warms the Heart, The, Disciples.* [See No. 758.]

756. — *in the Heart, David.* ³⁰ The mouth of the righteous speaketh wisdom, and his tongue talketh of judgment. ³¹ The law of his God is in his heart; none of his steps shall slide.—**PS.** 24.

757. — *Ignorance of, Sadducees.* ²⁸ In the resurrection, whose wife shall she be of the

seven? for they all had her. ²⁹ Jesus answered. . . Ye do err, not knowing the Scriptures, nor the power of God.—**MAT.**, ch. 22.

758. — *reveals Jesus, The, Emmaus.* ³¹ Their eyes were opened, and they knew him; and he vanished out of their sight. ³² And they said to one another, Did not our heart burn within us, while he talked with us by the way, and while he opened to us the Scriptures?—**LUKE**, ch. 24.

759. — *Kept by the, David.* ⁴ Concerning the works of men, by the word of thy lips I have kept me from the paths of the destroyer.—**PS.** 17.

760. — *Light of the, Lamp.* ¹⁰⁵ Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path.—**PS.** 119.

761. — *Mighty in the, Apollos.* ³⁴ A certain Jew named Apollos. . . an eloquent man, and mighty in the Scriptures, came to Ephesus.—**ACTS**, ch. 18.

762. — *misquoted, Sa'an.* ⁶ For it is written, He shall give his angels charge concerning thee [to keep thee in all thy ways]: and in their hands they shall bear thee up, lest at any time thou dash thy foot against a stone.—**MAT.**, ch. 4.

763. — *brings Prosperity, The, God.* ⁸ This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth; but thou shalt meditate therein day and night, that thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein: for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success.—**JOSEPH.**, ch. 1.

764. — *awakens Penitence, The, Jews.* ⁹ Nehemiah. . . and Ezra. . . and the Levites. . . said unto all the people, This day is holy unto the Lord your God; mourn not, nor weep. For all the people wept, when they heard the words of the law.—**NEH.**, ch. 8.

765. — *The People's, Joshua.* ⁹ When ye shall pass over Jordan unto the land. . . thou shalt set thee up great stones, and plaster them with plaster: ¹⁰ And. . . write upon them all the words of this law.—**DEUT.**, ch. 27.

766. — *Perpetuity of the, For ever.* ²⁴ All flesh is as grass, and all the glory of man as the flower of grass. The grass withereth, and the flower thereof falleth away: ²⁵ But the word of the Lord endureth for ever.—**1 PETER**, ch. 1.

767. — *Reading appointed, Moses to Joshua.* ¹⁰ . . . At the end of every seven years, ¹¹ When all Israel is come. . . before the Lord. . . thou shalt read this law. . . in their hearing. ¹² Gather the people together, men, and women, and children, and thy stranger that is within thy gates.—**DEUT.**, ch. 31.

768. — *Reading, An effective, Josiah.* ³ The king went up into the house of the Lord. . . and the priests, and the prophets, and all the people, both small and great: and he read in their ears all the words of the book of the covenant which was found in the house of the Lord. . . ⁴ . . . And all the people stood to the covenant.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 23.

769. — *Reading, A faithful, Joshua.* ²⁴ He read all the words of the law, the blessings and cursings. . . ²⁵ There was not a word of all that Moses commanded, which Joshua read not before all the congregation of Israel, with the women, and the little ones, and the strangers.—**JOSHUA**, ch. 8.

770. — Reading, An earnest. *Ezra.* ³ He read therein... from the morning until midday, before the men and the women, and those that could understand; and the ears of all the people were attentive unto the book of the law.—*NEH.*, ch. 8.

771. — Reading, Explanatory. *Levites.* ² They read in the book in the law of God distinctly, and gave the sense, and caused them to understand the reading.—*NEH.*, ch. 8.

772. — for Rulers. *The King.* ¹⁸ When he sitteth upon the throne of his kingdom... he shall write him a copy of this law in a book... ¹⁹ And it shall be with him, and he shall read therein all the days of his life.—*DEUT.*, ch. 17.

773. — Reverence for the. *Jews.* ⁵ Ezra opened the book in the sight of all the people... and when he opened it, all the people stood up: ⁶ And Ezra blessed the Lord, the great God. And all the people answered, Amen, Amen, with lifting up their hands: and they bowed their heads, and worshipped.—*NEH.*, ch. 8.

774. — Study of the. *Eunuch.* ¹⁹ The Spirit said... join thyself to this chariot. ²⁰ And Philip ran thither to him, and heard him read the prophet Esaias.—*ACTS.*, ch. 8.

775. — Students of the. *Bereans.* ¹¹ These were more noble than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness of mind, and searched the Scriptures daily, whether those things were so.—*ACTS.*, ch. 17.

776. — understood, The. *Jesus* [journeying to Emmaus]. ⁴³ Then opened he their understanding, that they might understand the Scriptures, ⁴⁴ And said... Thus it is written, and thus it behooved Christ to suffer, and to rise from the dead the third day.—*LUKE.*, ch. 24.

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777. BIGOTRY, Blindness of. *Jews.* ⁴⁸ Then answered the Jews, and said... Say we not well that thou art a Samaritan, and hast a devil?—*JOHN.*, ch. 8.

778. — Fastidious. *Pharisees.* ² The Pharisees and scribes murmured, saying, This man receiveth sinners, and eateth with them.—*LUKE.*, ch. 15.

779. — Love kills. *Gentile.* ²² Moses said unto Hobab... Moses' father-in-law, We are journeying unto the place of which the Lord said, I will give it you: come thou with us, and we will do thee good: for the Lord hath spoken good concerning Israel.—*NUM.*, ch. 10.

780. — Religious. *Jews.* ¹... he entered... the synagogue; and there was a man there which had a withered hand. ² And they watched him, whether he would heal him on the sabbath day; that they might accuse him.—*MARK.*, ch. 3.

781. — Unhappiness of. *Priests.* ¹⁴ The blind and the lame came to him in the temple; and he healed them. ¹⁵ And when the chief

priests and scribes saw the wonderful things that he did, and the children crying... Hosanna to the Son of David; they were sore displeased.—*MAT.*, ch. 21.

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782. BIRD, An emblematic. *Eagle.* ¹¹ As an eagle stirreth up her nest, fluttereth over her young, spreadeth abroad her wings, taketh them, beareth them on her wings: ¹² So the Lord alone did lead him.—*DEUT.*, ch. 32.

783. — A symbolical. *Dove.* ¹⁶ Jesus, when he was baptized, went up straightway out of the water: and, lo, the heavens were opened unto him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove, and lighting upon him.—*MAT.*, ch. 3.

784. — A welcome. *Dove.* ¹¹ The dove came in to him in the evening, and, lo, in her mouth was an olive leaf plucked off: so Noah knew that the waters were abated from off the earth.—*GEN.*, ch. 8.

785. BIRDS, God's Care of. *Nest.* ⁶ If a bird's nest chance to be... in any tree, or on the ground, whether they be young ones or eggs... thou shalt not take the dam with the young: ⁷... let the dam go, and take the young to thee; that it may be well with thee, and that thou mayest prolong thy days.—*DEUT.*, ch. 22.

786. BIRDS for Food. *Quails.* ²¹ A wind from the Lord... brought quails from the sea, and let them fall by the camp, as it were a day's journey on this side, and as... on the other side... and as it were two cubits high... ²² And the people stood up all that day, and all that night, and all the next day, and they gathered the quails.—*NUM.*, ch. 11.

787. — Service by. *Ravens.* ⁵ Elijah went and dwelt by the brook Cherith... ⁶ And the ravens brought him bread and flesh in the morning, and... in the evening; and he drank of the brook.—*1 KINGS.*, ch. 17.

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789. — a Misfortune. Trailor. ²⁴. woe unto that man by whom the Son of man is betrayed! it had been good for that man if he had not been born.—*Mat.*, ch. 26.

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²² And..the daughter of..Herodias came in, and danced, and pleased Herod.—*Mark*, ch. 6.

791. — Lamented. *Job.* ³ Let the day perish wherein I was born, and the night in which it was said, There is a man child conceived. ⁴ Let that day be darkness; let not God regard it from above, neither let the light shine upon it.—*Job*, ch. 3.

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793. — of the Firstborn. Inheritance. ¹¹ He shall acknowledge the son of the hated for the firstborn, by giving him a double portion of all that he hath: for he is the beginning of his strength; the right of the firstborn is his.—*Deut.*, ch. 21.

794. — Priesthood by. Law. ⁹ Sanctify unto me all the firstborn..among the children of Israel, both of man and of beast: it is mine.—*Ex.*, ch. 13.

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797. — given Benefactors. *Moses and Aaron.* ²¹ And they said unto them, The Lord look upon you, and judge; because ye have made our savour to be abhorred in the eyes of Pharaoh, and in the eyes of his servants, to put a sword in their hand to slay us.—*Ex.*, ch. 5.

798. — Misapplied. *Israelites.* [The Lord destroyed Korah and his company.] ⁴¹ All the congregation of the children of Israel murmured against Moses and against Aaron, saying, Ye have killed the people of the Lord.—*Num.*, ch. 16.

799. — for Others. Egyptians. ¹ Pharaoh's servants said..How long shall this man be a snare unto us? let the men go, that they may serve the Lord their God: knowest thou not yet that Egypt is destroyed?—*Ex.*, ch. 10.

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801. BLASPHEMY, Accused of. *Jesus.* ²² For which of those works do ye stone me? ²³ The Jews answered him. . . For a good work we stone thee not; but for blasphemy; and because that thou, being a man, makest thyself God.—*JOHN*, ch. 10.

802. — Evidence of. *Trial of Jesus.* ⁴⁴ Hereafter shall ye see the Son of man sitting on the right hand of power, and coming in the clouds of heaven. ⁴⁵ Then the high priest rent his clothes, saying, He hath spoken blasphemy; what further need have we of witnesses?—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

803. — forbidden. *Commandment.* ¹ Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain: for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain.—*EX.*, ch. 20.

804. — The greatest. *Holy Spirit.* ²² Whosoever speaketh a word against the Son of man, it shall be forgiven him: but whosoever speaketh against the Holy Ghost, it shall not be forgiven him, neither in this world, neither in the world to come.—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

805. — Headless. *Gehazi.* ²⁰ Gehazi, the servant of Elisha. . . said, Behold, my master hath spared Naaman this Syrian, in not receiving at his hands. . . but, as the Lord liveth, I will run after him, and take somewhat of him.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 5.

806. — Habit of. *Stephen.* ¹³ The elders, and the scribes. . . brought him to the council, ¹⁴ And set up false witnesses, which said, This man ceaseth not to speak blasphemous words against this holy place, and the law.—*ACTS*, ch. 6.

807. — Murdered for. *Jesus.* ⁶ Pilate

saith. . . Take ye him, and crucify him: for I find no fault in him. ⁷ The Jews answered him. . . by our law he ought to die, because he made himself the Son of God.—*JOHN*, ch. 19.

808. — No. *Jesus.* [He healed and forgave the palsied.] ⁶ But there were certain of the scribes sitting there, and reasoning in their hearts, ⁷ Why doth this man thus speak blasphemies? who can forgive sins but God only?—*MARK*, ch. 2.

809. — Punishment of. *Stones.* ¹⁰ The son of the Israelitish woman and a man of Israel strove together in the camp; ¹¹ And the Israelitish woman's son blasphemed the name of the Lord, and cursed. . . ¹⁴ Bring forth him that hath cursed without the camp; and let all that heard him lay their hands upon his head, and let all the congregation stone him.—*LEV.*, ch. 24.

810. — A strange. *Peter.* ¹⁰ Peter, Surely thou art one of them: for thou art a Galilean, and thy speech agreeth thereto. ¹¹ But he began to curse and to swear, saying, I know not this man of whom ye speak.—*MARK*, ch. 14.

811. — Unpardonable. *Spirit.* [Jesus said,] ³¹ All manner of sin and blasphemy shall be forgiven unto men: but the blasphemy against the Holy Ghost shall not be forgiven unto men.—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

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813. BLEMISH disqualifies. *Priesthood.* ¹¹ Whosoever he be of thy seed. . . that hath any blemish, let him not approach to offer the bread of his God. ¹⁸ . . a blind man, or a lame, or he that hath a flat nose, or any thing superfluous, ¹⁹ Or a man that is brokenfooted, or brokenhanded, ²⁰ Or crookedbacked, or a dwarf, or that hath a blemish in his eye.—*LEV.*, ch. 21.

814. — Without. *Absalom.* ²⁵ There was none to be so much praised as Absalom for his beauty: from the sole of his foot even to the crown of his head there was no blemish in him.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 14.

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816. — Disguised. Jacob. ¹³ Take also your brother..go again.. ¹⁴ And God Almighty give you mercy before the man, that he may send away your other brother, and Benjamin. If I be bereaved of *my children*, I am bereaved.—*GEN.*, ch. 43. [Joseph was thereby discovered.]

817. — A double. Water. [The allied kings were famishing for water, during the war with Moab. God gave water.] ²²..the sun shone upon the water, and the Moabites saw the water on the other side as red as blood: ²³ And they said, This is blood: the kings are surely slain, and they have smitten one another: now therefore, Moab, to the spoil.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 3. [They were easily defeated.]

818. — in Fruitage. Rod. ¹ Moses laid up the rods before the Lord in the tabernacle.. ⁵..on the morrow..the rod of Aaron..was budded, and brought forth buds, and bloomed blossoms, and yielded almonds.—*NUM.*, ch. 17.

819. — A farewell. Christ. ⁵⁰ He led them..to Bethany, and he lifted up his hands, and blessed them. ⁵¹ And..while he blessed them, he was parted from them, and carried up into heaven.—*LUKE*, ch. 24.

820. — Greatness by God's. Abram. ⁵ Neither shall thy name any more be called Abram, but..Abraham; for a father of many nations have I made thee. ⁶ And I will make thee exceeding fruitful, and I will make nations of thee, and kings shall come out of thee.—*GEN.*, ch. 17.

821. — An irrevocable. Jacob. ²² Isaac trembled very exceedingly, and said, Who? where is he that hath taken venison, and brought # me, and I have eaten..and have blessed him? yes, and he shall be blessed.—*GEN.*, ch. 27.

822. — Increase of. Israelites. ¹² The more they afflicted them, the more they multiplied and grew. And they were grieved because of the children of Israel.—*EX.*, ch. 1.

823. — Misused, A. Strange Fire. ¹ Nadab and Abihu, the sons of Aaron, took either of them his censer..and put incense thereon, and offered strange fire before the Lord, which he commanded them not. ² And there went out fire from the Lord, and devoured them.—*LEV.*, ch. 10.

824. — more than asked. Paralytic. ⁴ They let down the bed wherein the sick of

the palsy lay. ⁵ When Jesus saw their faith, he said..Son, thy sins be forgiven thee. ¹¹..Arise, and take up thy bed, and go thy way.—*MARK*, ch. 2.

825. — of Obedience. Temporalities. ³ Blessed *shall* thou be in the city, and..in the field. ⁴ Blessed *shall* be the fruit of thy body, and..of thy ground, and..of thy cattle, the increase of thy kine, and the flocks of thy sheep. ⁵ Blessed *shall* be thy basket and thy store.—*DEUT.*, ch. 28.

826. — Qualification for. Conquest. ¹ Moses my servant is dead..go over this Jordan, thou, and all this people. ² Every place that the sole of your foot shall tread upon, that have I given unto you.—*JOSHUA*, ch. 1.

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828. — delivered, The. Clay. ⁶ He spat on the ground, and made clay of the spittle, and he anointed the eyes of the blind man with the clay, ⁷ And said..Go, wash in the pool of Siloam.—*JOHN*, ch. 9.

829. — easily led, The. Syrians. ¹⁸..Elisha prayed..Smite this people..with blindness. And he smote them with blindness. ¹⁹ And Elisha said unto them..follow me, and I will bring you to the man whom ye seek. But he led them to Samaria.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 6.

830. — restored, The. Spittle. ¹² He took the blind man by the hand, and led him out of the town; and when he had spit on his eyes, and put his hands upon him.. ¹³..he was restored.—*MARK*, ch. 8.

831. BLINDNESS of Age. Isaac. ¹ When Isaac was old, his eyes were dim, so that he could not see.—*GEN.*, ch. 27.

832. — An affecting. Zedekiah. [The last Jewish king was conquered.] ¹ And they slew the sons of Zedekiah before his eyes, and put out the eyes of Zedekiah, and bound him with fetters of brass, and carried him to Babylon.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 25.

833. — by Brightness. Paul. ¹¹ When I could not see for the glory of that light, being led by the hand..I came into Damascus.—*ACTS*, ch. 22.

834. — and Bondage. Samson. ¹¹ The Philistines..put out his eyes, and brought him

down to Gaza, and bound him with fetters of brass; and he did grind in the prison house.—*JUDGES*, ch. 16.

S35. — of Bigots. *Pharisees.* ³³ Then said the Jews. Now we know that thou hast a devil. Abraham is dead, and the prophets; and thou sayest, If a man keep my saying, he shall never taste of death.—*JOHN*, ch. 8.

S36. — Disqualified by. *Priesthood.* ¹¹ Let him not approach to offer the bread of his God. ¹⁸ For whatsoever man he be that hath a blemish, he shall not approach: a blind man.—*LEV.*, ch. 21.

S37. — inflicted. *Sodomites.* [*Angels*] ¹¹ smote the men that were at the door of the house with blindness, both small and great: so that they wearied themselves to find the door.—*GEN.*, ch. 19.

S38. — Infirmary of. *Ahijah.* ² Jeroboam said to his wife. disguise thyself. ³ he shall tell thee what shall become of the child. ⁴ And Jeroboam's wife did so. and went to Shiloh. But Ahijah could not see; for his eyes were set by reason of his age.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 14.

S39. — Judicial. *Jews.* [Two days before his death, Jesus said,] ³⁸ Esaias said, ⁴⁰ He hath blinded their eyes, and hardened their heart; that they should not see with their eyes, nor understand with their heart, and be converted.—*JOHN*, ch. 12.

S40. — in Leadership. *Guides.* ¹⁶ Woe unto you, ye blind guides, which say, Whosoever shall swear by the temple, it is nothing; but whosoever shall swear by the gold of the temple, he is a debtor! ¹⁷ Ye fools and blind: for whether is greater, the gold, or the temple that sanctifieth the gold.—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

S41. — Protected in. *Stumblingblock.* ¹⁴ Thou shalt not curse the deaf, nor put a stumblingblock before the blind, but shalt fear thy God: I am the Lord.—*LEV.*, ch. 19.

S42. — of Prejudice. *Jews.* ¹² Moses, which put a vail over his face, that the children of Israel could not steadfastly look to the end of that which is abolished: ¹⁴ But their minds were blinded: for until this day remaineth the same vail untaken away in the reading of the old testament.—*2 COR.*, ch. 3.

S43. — Relief from. *Bartimeus.* [On his last journey to Jerusalem,] ³¹ Jesus. said. What wilt thou that I should do unto thee? The blind man said. Lord, that I might receive my sight. ³⁸ Jesus said. Go thy way; thy faith hath made thee whole. And immediately he received his sight.—*MARK*, ch. 10.

S44. — Ruin from. *Jews.* ⁴¹ He beheld the city, and wept over it, ⁴⁸ Saying, If thou hadst known. the things which belong unto thy peace! but now they are hid from thine eyes. ⁴³ For the days shall come. that thine enemies shall cast a trench.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

S45. — removed. *Syrians.* ²⁰ When they were come into Samaria. Elisha said, Lord, open the eyes of these men. And the Lord opened their eyes. and, behold, they were in the midst of Samaria.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 6.

S46. — by Satan. *Pharaoh.* [After the eighth plague of locusts,] ¹ Pharaoh's servants said. How long shall this man be a snare unto

us? let the men go, that they may serve the Lord their God: knowest thou not yet that Egypt is destroyed?—*EX.*, ch. 10.

S47. — Spiritual. *Description.* ¹⁸ Having the understanding darkened, being alienated from the life of God through the ignorance that is in them, because of the blindness of their heart: ¹⁹ Who being past feeling have given themselves over unto lasciviousness, to work all uncleanness with greediness.—*EPH.*, ch. 4.

S48. — Unconscious. *Pharisees.* ²⁰ Jesus said, For judgment I am come into this world, that they which see not might see; and that they which see might be made blind. ⁴⁰ And some of the Pharisees. said unto him, Are we blind also?—*JOHN*, ch. 9.

S49. — Visitation of. *Elymas.* [Paul said,] ¹¹ thou shalt be blind, not seeing the sun for a season. And immediately there fell on him a mist and a darkness; and he went about seeking some to lead him by the hand.—*ACTS*, ch. 13.

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S50. BLOOD, Atonement by. *Abel.* ³ Cain brought of the fruit of the ground. ⁴ And Abel. firstlings of his flock and of the fat thereof. And the Lord had respect unto Abel and to his offering: ⁶ But unto Cain and to his offering he had not respect.—*GEN.*, ch. 4.

S51. — Access by. *Paul.* ¹⁹ Having therefore, brethren, boldness to enter into the holiest by the blood of Jesus, ²⁰ By a new and living way, which he hath consecrated for us, through the vail, that is to say, his flesh.—*HEB.*, ch. 10.

S52. — Acceptance by. *Sinai.* ¹⁹ When Moses had spoken every precept. he took the blood of calves and of goats, with water, and scarlet wool, and hyssop, and sprinkled both the book and all the people. ²² and without shedding of blood is no remission.—*HEB.*, ch. 9.

S53. — Appearance of. *Moabites.* ²² Early in the morning. the sun shone upon the water, and the Moabites saw the water on the other side as red as blood: ²³ And they said, This is blood: the kings. have smitten one another: now therefore, Moab, to the spoil.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 3.

S54. — Behold the. *Israelites.* [Slaying of the paschal lamb in Egypt.] ¹ They shall take of the blood, and strike it on the two side posts and on the upper doorpost of the houses, wherein they shall eat it.—*EX.*, ch. 12.

S55. — for Blood. *Rechab and Baanah.* [They had slain Ish-bosheth.] ¹¹ How much more, when wicked men have slain a righteous person in his own house upon his bed? shall I not therefore now require his blood of your hand? ¹² And David commanded his young men, and they slew them.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 4.

S56. — Cleansing. *Jesus.* ¹³ If the blood of bulls and of goats, and the ashes of a heifer sprinkling the unclean, sanctifieth to the purifying of the flesh; ¹⁴ How much more shall the blood of Christ. purge your conscience from dead works to serve the living God?—*HEB.*, ch. 9.

S57. — of Consecration. *Priests.* [Moses] ²² brought. the ram of consecration: and Aaron and his sons laid their hands upon the head of

the ram. ²² And he slew it; and Moses took of the blood of it, and put it upon the tip of Aaron's right ear, and upon the thumb of his right hand, and upon the great toe of his right foot.—*LEV.*, ch. 8. [Also on Aaron's sons.]

858. — Changed to. *River.* ²⁰ He lifted up the rod, and smote the waters that were in the river, and all the waters were turned to blood.—*Ex.*, ch. 7.

859. — Defilement of. *David.* ⁹ . . . hast made great wars: thou shalt not build a house unto my name, because thou hast shed much blood upon the earth.—*1 CHRON.*, ch. 22.

860. — Protection by. *Israelites.* ¹² I will pass through the land of Egypt this night, and will smite all the firstborn. . . ¹³ And the blood shall be to you for a token upon the houses where ye are: and when I see the blood, I will pass over you.—*Ex.*, ch. 12.

861. — Prohibition of. *Food.* ¹⁰ Whatsoever man there be of the house of Israel, or of the strangers, that eateth any manner of blood; I will even set my face against that soul, and will cut him off from among his people.—*LEV.*, ch. 17.

862. — Redeemed by. *Christ.* ¹⁸ Ye know that ye were not redeemed with corruptible things, as silver and gold. . . ¹⁹ But with the precious blood of Christ, as of a lamb without blemish.—*1 PETER*, ch. 1.

863. — Responsibility for. *Peter and John.* ²¹ They set them before the council: and the high priest asked them, ²⁸ . . . Did we not straitly command you that ye should not teach in this name? and, behold, ye have filled Jerusalem with your doctrine, and intend to bring this man's blood upon us.—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

864. — The Speaking. *Better Things.* ²² Ye are come unto mount Zion. . . ²⁴ And to Jesus the mediator of the new covenant, and to the blood of sprinkling, that speaketh better things than that of Abel.—*HEB.*, ch. 12.

865. — The Sprinkling. *Israelites.* ⁶ Moses took the blood, and sprinkled it on the people, and said, Behold, the blood of the covenant, which the Lord hath made with you.—*Ex.*, ch. 24.

866. — Sweat of. *Gethsemane.* ⁴³ There appeared an angel, strengthening him. ⁴⁴ And being in an agony he prayed more earnestly: and his sweat was as it were great drops of blood falling down to the ground.—*LUKE*, ch. 22.

867. — with the Truth. *Sinai.* [See No. 852.]

868. — Testament in the. *Jesus.* ¹⁹ He took bread, and gave thanks, and brake it, and gave unto them, saying, This is my body which is given for you: this do in remembrance of me. ²⁰ Likewise also the cup, saying, This cup is the new testament in my blood, which is shed for you.—*LUKE*, ch. 22.

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869. BOASTING, A glorious. *Paul.* ²² Are they Hebrews? so am I. Are they Israelites?

so am I. Are they the seed of Abraham? so am I. ²³ Are they ministers of Christ? . . . I am more; in labours more abundant, in stripes above measure, in prisons more frequent, in deaths oft.—*2 COR.*, ch. 11.

870. — Inoffensive. *Paul.* ¹⁴ If I have boasted any thing to him of you, I am not ashamed; but as we spake all things to you in truth, even so our boasting, which I made before Titus, is found a truth.—*2 COR.*, ch. 7.

871. — in Prayer. *Pharisee.* ¹¹ The Pharisee stood and prayed thus with himself, God, I thank thee, that I am not as other men are, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this publican. ¹² I fast twice in the week, I give tithes of all that I possess.—*LUKE*, ch. 18.

872. — prevented. *Gideon.* ³ The Lord said unto Gideon, The people that are with thee are too many for me to give the Midianites into their hands, lest Israel vaunt themselves against me, saying, Mine own hand hath saved me. ⁴ . . . proclaim. . . Whosoever is fearful and afraid, let him return.—*JUDGES*, ch. 13.

873. — rebuked. *Peter.* ²⁷ . . . Lord, why cannot I follow thee now? I will lay down my life for thy sake. ²⁸ Jesus answered him, Wilt thou lay down thy life for my sake? Verily, verily, I say unto thee, The cock shall not crow, till thou hast denied me thrice.—*JOHN*, ch. 13.

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874. BODY AND MIND, Care of. *Hebrew Children.* [Nebuchadnezzar commanded the selection of] ⁴ Children in whom was no blemish, but well favoured, and skilful in all wisdom, and cunning in knowledge, and understanding science, and such as had ability in them to stand in the king's palace. ⁵ And the king appointed them a daily provision. . . three years.—*DAN.*, ch. 1.

875. BODY, Surrender of the. Three Worthies. ²⁸ Nebuchadnezzar. . . said, Blessed be the God. . . who hath sent his angel, and delivered his servants that trusted in him. . . and yielded their bodies, that they might not serve nor worship any god, except their own God.—*DAN.*, ch. 3.

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876. BOILS, Plague of. Egypt. ¹⁰ They took ashes of the furnace..and Moses sprinkled it up toward heaven; and it became a boil breaking forth with blains upon man, and upon beast. ¹¹ And the magicians could not stand before Moses because of the boils.—Ex., ch. 9.

877. — Smitten with. Job. ¹ So went Satan forth..and smote Job with sore boils from the sole of his foot unto his crown.—Job, ch. 2.

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878. BOLDNESS, Angels urge to. Peter and John. ¹⁹ The angel of the Lord by night opened the prison doors, and brought them forth, and said, ²⁰ Go, stand and speak in the temple to the people all the words of this life.—Acts, ch. 5.

879. — Apostolic. Council. ²³ Then came one..saying, Behold, the men whom ye put in prison are standing in the temple, and teaching the people.—Acts, ch. 5.

880. — of Believers. Three Worthies. ¹⁸ Shadrach, Meshach, and Abed-nego, answered..O Nebuchadnezzar, we are not careful to answer thee in this matter. ¹¹ If it be so, our God whom we serve is able to deliver us from the burning fiery furnace, and he will deliver us.—Dan., ch. 3.

881. — Brasen. Ahab. ¹¹ When Ahab saw Elijah..Ahab said..Art thou he that troubleth Israel? ¹⁶ And he answered, I have not troubled Israel; but thou, and thy father's house, in that ye have forsaken the commandments of the Lord, and thou hast followed Baalim.—1 Kings, ch. 18.

882. — of Innocence. Sons of Jacob. ⁸ The money, which we found in our sacks' mouths, we brought again unto thee out of the land of Canaan: how then should we steal out of thy lord's house silver or gold? ⁹ With whomsoever of thy servants it [the cup] be found, both let him die, and we also will be my lord's bondmen.—Gen., ch. 44.

883. — Influence of. Council. ¹² When they saw the boldness of Peter and John, and perceived that they were unlearned and ignorant men, they marvelled; and they took knowledge

of them, that they had been with Jesus.—Acts, ch. 4.

884. — for the Right. Command. ¹ When thou goest out to battle against thine enemies, and seest horses, and chariots, and a people more than thou, be not afraid of them: for the Lord thy God is with thee.—Deut., ch. 20.

885. — in Sin. Ahab. ³¹ As if it had been a light thing for him to walk in the sins of Jeroboam..he took to wife Jezebel..of the Zidonians, and went and served Baal.. ²² And he reared up an altar for Baal.—1 Kings, ch. 16.

886. — in Shame. Absalom. ²² They spread Absalom a tent upon the top of the house; and Absalom went in unto his father's concubines in the sight of all Israel.—2 Sam., ch. 16.

887. — in Prayer. Paul. ¹⁵ We have not a high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities.. ¹⁶ Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need.—Heb., ch. 4.

888. — A venturesome. Walking on the Sea. ²³ Peter..said, Lord, if it be thou, bid me come unto thee on the water. ²⁹ And he said, Come. And..Peter..walked on the water, to go to Jesus. ³⁰ But when he saw the wind boisterous, he was afraid; and beginning to sink, he cried.. Lord, save me.—Mat., ch. 14.

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889. BONDS broken. Samson. ¹⁸ Delilah..took new ropes, and bound him therewith, and said..The Philistines be upon thee, Samson.. And he brake them from off his arms like a thread.—Judges, ch. 16.

890. — Innocence in. Arrested. ¹⁹ The band and the captain and officers of the Jews took Jesus, and bound him, ¹² And led him away to Annas first.—John, ch. 18.

891. — Imprisonment with. Paul. ²⁸..when they saw the chief captain and the soldiers, they left beating of Paul. ²³ Then the chief captain..took him, and commanded him to be bound with two chains.—Acts, ch. 21.

892. — Resting in. Peter. ⁶ When Herod would have brought him forth, the same night Peter was sleeping between two soldiers bound with two chains.—Acts, ch. 12.

893. — A strong Man in. Samson. ²¹ The Philistines..put out his eyes..and bound him with fetters of brass; and he did grind in the prison house.—Judges, ch. 16.

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894. BONDAGE, Degrading. Gibeonites. ²² Joshua..spake..saying, Wherefore have ye beguiled us.. ²³ Now therefore ye are cursed, and there shall none of you be freed from being bondsmen, and hewers of wood and drawers of water for the house of my God.—Josh., ch. 9.

895. — Rigorous. Egyptian. ¹⁰ The taskmasters of the people..spake..Thus saith Pharaoh, I will not give you straw. ¹¹ Go ye, get you straw where ye can find it: yet not aught of your work shall be diminished.—Ex., ch. 5.

896. — Unendurable. Israelites. ¹⁶ Another

king arose, which knew not Joseph. ¹⁹ The same dealt subtilly..and evil entreated our fathers, so that they cast out their young children, to the end they might not live.—*ACTS*, ch. 7.

897. — to Wealth. Young Ruler. ²¹ Jesus beholding him loved him, and said..go thy way, sell whatsoever thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven : and come, take up the cross, and follow me. ²² And he was sad..and went away grieved : for he had great possessions.—*MARK*, ch. 10.

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898. BONES, Life-giving. Elisha. ²¹ As they were burying a man..they spied a band of men [Moabites] ; and they cast the man into the sepulchre of Elisha : and when the man..touched the bones of Elisha, he revived, and stood up.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 13.

899. — Made of. Eve. ²¹ The Lord God caused a deep sleep to fall upon Adam..and he took one of his ribs, and closed up the flesh..²² And the rib..made he a woman.—*GEN.*, ch. 2.

900. — Removal of. Joseph's. ¹⁹ Moses took the bones of Joseph with him : for he had straitly sworn the children of Israel, saying, God will surely visit you ; and ye shall carry up my bones away hence with you.—*EX.*, ch. 13.

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901. BOOK, A blood-sprinkled. Law. ¹⁹ When Moses had spoken every precept..he took the blood of calves and of goats, with water, and scarlet wool, and hyssop, and sprinkled both the book and all the people.—*HEB.*, ch. 9.

902. — A completed. Bible. ¹⁸ If any man shall add unto these things, God shall add unto him the plagues that are written in this book : ¹⁹ And if any man shall take away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God shall take away his part out of the book of life.—*REV.*, ch. 22.

903. — The Christian a. Heart. ³ Ye are our epistle written in our hearts, known and read of all men : ⁴ Forasmuch as ye are manifestly declared to be the epistle of Christ ministered by us, written not with ink, but with the Spirit of the living God ; not in tables of stone, but in fleshy tables of the heart.—*2 COR.*, ch. 3.

904. — The discovered. Law. ⁸ Hilkiab the high priest said unto Shaphan the scribe, I have found the book of the law in the house of the Lord. And Hilkiab gave the book to Shaphan, and he read it.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 22.

905. — of God. Record. ²¹ Oh, this people have sinned a great sin, and have made them gods of gold. ²² Yet now, if thou wilt forgive their sin—; and if not, blot me, I pray thee, out of thy book which thou hast written. ²³ And the Lord said unto Moses, Whosoever hath sinned against me, him will I blot out of my book.—*EX.*, ch. 32.

906. — of Life, The. Record. ²² There shall in no wise enter into it anything that defileth, neither whatsoever worketh abomination, or maketh a lie : but they which are written in the Lamb's book of life.—*REV.*, ch. 21.

907. — of Remembrance. History. ¹⁶ They that feared the Lord spake often one to another : and the Lord hearkened, and heard it, and a book of remembrance was written before him for them that feared the Lord, and that thought upon his name.—*MAL.*, ch. 3.

908. — Burned, Bad. Ephesians. ¹⁹ Many of them also which used curious arts brought their books together, and burned them before all men : and they counted the price..and found it fifty thousand pieces of silver.—*ACTS*, ch. 19.

909. — Increase of. Solomon. ¹² Of making many books there is no end ; and much study is a weariness of the flesh.—*ECCLES.*, ch. 12.

910. — Lost. Lost. ¹⁴ It is said in the book of the wars of the Lord, What he did in the Red sea, and in the brooks of Arnon.—*NUM.*, ch. 21. ¹⁵ The sun stood still, and the moon stayed, until the people had avenged

themselves. *Is not this written in the book of Jasher?—JOSHUA, ch. 10.* ²⁹ The acts of David . . . they are written in the book of Samuel the seer, and in the book of Nathan the prophet, and in the book of Gad the seer.—1 *CHRON.*, ch. 29.

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911. BOOTY, A great. *Israelites.* [From the Midianites,] ²⁸ . . . the booty . . . which the men of war had caught, was six hundred thousand and seventy thousand and five thousand sheep. ²⁹ And threescore and twelve thousand beeves. ³⁰ And threescore and one thousand asses.—*NUM.*, ch. 31.

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912. BORROWER a Servant. *The.* *Proverb.*

¹ The rich ruleth over the poor, and the borrower is servant to the lender.—*PROV.*, ch. 22.

913. — Trouble of a. *Axe.* ⁴ When they came to Jordan, they cut down wood. ⁵ But as one was felling a beam, the axe head fell into the water: and he cried, and said, Alas, master! for it was borrowed.—2 *KINGS*, ch. 6.

914. BORROWERS, Distress of. *Jews.* ³ Some . . . said, We have mortgaged our lands, vineyards, and houses, that we might buy corn, because of the dearth. ⁴ . . . and, lo, we bring into bondage our sons and our daughters to be servants.—*NEH.*, ch. 5.

915. — Ruined by. *Egyptians.* ²⁸ They borrowed of the Egyptians jewels of silver, and jewels of gold, and raiment: ²⁹ And the Lord gave the people favour . . . so that they lent unto them *such things as they required*: and they spoiled the Egyptians.—*EX.*, ch. 12.

916. BORROWING forbidden. *Paul.* ⁶ Owe no man anything, but to love one another.—*ROM.*, ch. 13.

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Army. Every one that was in debt . . . gathered

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Destructive. Same servant [debtor] took him by

2011

Gratitude. To whom little is forgiven . . . loveth little

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917. BOTANY, Knowledge of. *Solomon.* ²⁸ He spake of trees, from the cedar tree that is in Lebanon even unto the hyssop that springeth out of the wall.—1 *KINGS*, ch. 4.

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918. BRAVERY, Useless. *Peter.* ¹⁰ Simon Peter having a sword drew it, and smote the high priest's servant, and cut off his right ear.—*JOHN*, ch. 18.

919. — Youthful. *David.* ²⁸ Let no man's heart fail because of him: thy servant will go and fight with this Philistine. ²⁹ And Saul said . . . Thou art not able to go against this Philistine . . . for thou art but a youth, and he a man of war from his youth.—1 *SAM.*, ch. 17.

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920. BRAVADO, Impious. *Goliath.* ⁴³ The Philistine cursed David by his gods. ⁴⁴ And . . . said to David, Come to me, and I will give thy flesh unto the fowls of the air, and to the beasts of the field.—1 *SAM.*, ch. 17.

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921. BRETHREN, Compassion toward. *Debtors.*

²⁸ The same servant went out, and found one of his fellow servants, which owed him a hundred pence: and he . . . took him by the throat, saying, Pay me that thou owest. ²⁹ Shouldest not thou also have had compassion on thy fellow servant, even as I had pity on thee?—*MAT.*, ch. 18.

922. — Dangerous. *Paul.* ²⁵ I have been in the deep; ²⁶ In journeyings often, in perils of waters, in perils of robbers, in perils by mine own countrymen, in perils by the heathen, in perils in the city, in perils in the wilderness, in perils in the sea, in perils among false brethren.—2 *COR.*, ch. 11.

923. — Encouragement from. *Romans.*

¹⁵ When the brethren heard of us, they came to meet us as far as Appii Forum, and the Three Taverns, whom when Paul saw, he thanked God, and took courage.—*ACTS*, ch. 28.

924. — Forgiveness of. *490 Times.* ²¹ Peter . . . said, Lord, how shalt my brother sin against me, and I forgive him? till seven times? ²² Jesus saith . . . I say not unto thee, Until seven times: but, Until seventy times seven.—*MAT.*, ch. 18.

925. — False. *Paul.* ⁴ False brethren unawares brought in . . . came in privily to spy out our liberty which we have in Christ Jesus, that they might bring us into bondage.—*GAL.*, ch. 2.

926. — Love of. *Christian.* ¹ Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God. ² He that loveth not, knoweth not God; for God is love.—1 *JOHN*, ch. 4.

927. — — Practical. ¹⁶ He laid down his life for us: and we ought to lay down our lives for the brethren. ¹⁷ But whoso hath this world's good, and seeth his brother have need, and shutteth up his bowels of compassion from him, how dwelleth the love of God in him?—1 *JOHN*, ch. 3.

928. — Spurious. *Tares.* ²⁸ The servants said . . . Wilt thou then that we go and gather them up? ²⁹ But he said, Nay; lest while ye gather up the tares, ye root up also the wheat.

with them. ²⁰ Let both grow together until the harvest.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

939. — Unity of. Refreshing. ¹ Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity! ² *It is like the precious ointment upon the head, that ran down upon the beard, even Aaron's beard.* ³ As the dew of Hermon, and as the dew that descended upon the mountains of Zion.—*PS.* 133.

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¹ They gave large money unto the soldiers,
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931. — Desecrated for. Ahaz. ²⁰ Tilgath-pileser king of Assyria came, and distressed him. ²¹ For Ahaz took away a portion out of the house of the Lord, and gave it unto the king of Assyria: but he helped him not.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 28.

932. — of Friendship. Delilah. ⁵ The lords of the Philistines, said unto her, Entice him, and see wherein his great strength lieth, and by what means we may prevail against him, that we may bind him to afflict him: and we will give thee every one of us eleven hundred pieces of silver.—*JUDGES*, ch. 16.

933. — Horrible. Judas. ¹⁴ Then one of the twelve, called Judas Iscariot, went unto the chief priests, ¹⁵ And said, What will ye give me, and I will deliver him unto you? And they covenanted with him for thirty pieces of silver.—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

934. — Official. Felix. ²⁶ He hoped also that money should have been given him of Paul, that he might loose him: wherefore he sent for him the oftener, and communed with him.—*ACTS*, ch. 24.

935. — Rulers. ²² Thy princes are rebellious, and companions of thieves: every one loveth gifts, and followeth after rewards: they judge not the fatherless, neither doth the cause of the widow come unto them.—*ISA.*, ch. 1.

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936. BROKERS, Expulsion of. Jesus. [Near the beginning of his ministry, and also near its close,] ¹⁵ When he had made a scourge of small cords, he drove them all out of the temple, and the sheep and the oxen; and poured out the changers' money, and overthrew the tables; ¹⁶ And said unto them that sold doves, Take these things hence; make not my Father's house a house of merchandise.—*JOHN*, ch. 2; also *MAT.*, ch. 21.

937. BROTHER, Authority of a. Young David.
²⁹ He said, Let me go, I pray thee; for our family hath a sacrifice in the city; and my brother, he hath commanded me to be there.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 20.

938. — A bloody. Abimelech. ⁵ He went unto his father's house at Ophrah, and slew his brethren the sons of Jerubbaal, being threescore and ten persons, upon one stone. yet Jotham the youngest son, hid himself.—*JUDGES*, ch. 9.

939. — A Christian. Andrew. ⁴¹ He first findeth his own brother Simon, and saith, We have found the Messiah, which is, being interpreted, the Christ. ⁴² And he brought him to Jesus.—*JOHN*, ch. 1.

940. — Contempt for a. Eliab. ²⁶ Eliab's anger was kindled against David, and he said, Why camest thou down hither? and with whom hast thou left those few sheep in the wilderness? I know thy pride, and the naughtiness of thine heart; for thou art come down that thou mightest see the battle.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 17. [Eliab was his oldest brother.]

941. — Deed of a. Samaritan. ²⁴ Went to him, and bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine, and set him on his own beast, and brought him to an inn, and took care of him. ²⁵ And on the morrow when he departed, he took out two pence, and gave them to the host, and said, Take care of him: and whatsoever thou spendest more, when I come again, I will repay thee.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

942. — A disdainful. Elder Son. ²⁶ He was angry, and would not go in: therefore came his father out, and entreated them. ³⁰ But as soon as this thy son was come, which hath devoured thy living with harlots, thou hast killed for him the fatted calf.—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

943. — The erring. Paul. ¹⁴ If any man obey not our word by this epistle, note that man, and have no company with him, that he may be ashamed. ¹⁵ Yet count him not as an enemy, but admonish him as a brother.—*2 THESS.*, ch. 3.

944. — A favorite. Benjamin. ²⁴ He sent messes unto them from before him: but Benjamin's mess was five times so much as any of theirs. And they drank, and were merry with him.—*GEN.*, ch. 43.

945. — The Lord's. Christian. ⁴⁰ He stretched forth his hand toward his disciples, and said, Behold my mother and my brethren! ⁴¹ For whosoever shall do the will of my Father which is in heaven, the same is my brother, and sister, and mother.—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

946. — A loving. Joseph. ²⁰ Joseph made haste; for his bowels did yearn upon his brother: and he sought where to weep; and he entered into his chamber, and wept there.—*GEN.*, ch. 43.

947. — A revengeful. Esau. ⁴¹ Esau hated

Jacob because . . his father blessed him . . said in his heart, The days of mourning for my father are at hand : then will I slay my brother Jacob. —GEN., ch. 27.

948. — *Absalom.* ²⁸ When Amnon's heart is merry with wine, and when I say unto you, Smite Amnon ; then kill him, fear not : have not I commanded you ? be courageous, and be valiant. ²⁹ And the servants of Absalom did. —2 SAM., ch. 13. [Amnon had dishonoured Absalom's sister.]

949. — *Regard for a Weak.* ⁹ Take heed lest . . become a stumblingblock to them that are weak. ¹⁰ For if any man see thee which hast knowledge sit at meat in the idol's temple, shall not the conscience of him . . be emboldened to eat those things which are offered to idols ; ¹¹ And through thy knowledge shall the weak brother perish, for whom Christ died ? —1 COR., ch. 8.

950. — *A rejected. Obstinate.* ¹³ If thy brother shall trespass against thee . . ¹⁴ If he shall neglect to hear them, tell it unto the church : but if he neglect to hear the church, let him be unto thee as a heathen man and a publican. —MAT., ch. 18.

951. — *A poor. No Usury.* ³⁵ If thy brother be waxen poor, and fallen in decay with thee ; then thou shalt relieve him : yea, though he be a stranger, or a sojourner . . ³⁷ Thou shalt not give him thy money upon usury, nor lend him thy victuals for increase. —LEV., ch. 25.

952. — *Christian. Apostles.* ¹³ He chose twelve, whom also he named apostles ; ¹⁴ . . Peter, and Andrew his brother, James and John [his brother] . . ¹⁵ . . James the son of Alphaeus . . ¹⁶ And Judas the brother of James. —LUKE, ch. 6.

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953. BUILDER, A royal. *Jotham.* ³ He built the high gate of the house of the Lord, and on the wall of Ophel he built much. ⁴ Moreover he built cities in the mountains of Judah, and in the forests he built castles and towers. —2 CHRON., ch. 27.

954. — *An unsuccessful. Tower.* ²⁸ Which of you, intending to build a tower, sitteth not down first, and counteth the cost, whether he have sufficient to finish it ? ²⁹ Lest haply, after he hath laid the foundation, and is not able to finish it, all that behold it begin to mock him, ³⁰ Saying, this man began to build, and was not able to finish. —LUKE, ch. 14.

955. — *A visionary. Rich Fool.* ¹⁷ He thought within himself, saying, What shall I do, because I have no room where to bestow my fruits ? ¹⁸ . . This will I do : I will pull down my barns, and build greater ; and there will I bestow all my fruits and my goods. —LUKE, ch. 12.

956. BUILDERS, Joyful. Walls. ⁴² And the singers sang loud, with Jezrahiah their overseer. ⁴³ Also that day they offered great sacrifices, and rejoiced . . the wives also and the children rejoiced : so that the joy of Jerusalem was heard even afar off. —NEH., ch. 12.

957. — *Shouts of. Temple.* ¹² But many of the priests and Levites and chief of the fathers, who were ancient men, that had seen the first house, when the foundation of this house was laid before their eyes, wept with a loud

voice ; and many shouted aloud for joy. —EZRA, ch. 3.

958. — *Volunteer. Exiles.* [Cyrus proclaimed,] ³ Who is there among you of all his people ? his God be with him, and let him go up to Jerusalem, which is in Judah, and build the house of the Lord. —EZRA, ch. 1.

959. BUILDING, A great. Babel. ³ They had brick for stone, and slime . . for mortar. ⁴ And they said, Go to, let us build us a city, and a tower whose top may reach unto heaven ; and let us make us a name, lest we be scattered abroad upon the face of the whole earth. —GEN., ch. 11.

960. — *A glorious. Temple.* ¹⁴ Solomon . . ¹⁵ . . built the walls . . within with boards of cedar, both the floor . . and the . . ceiling : ²² And the whole house he overlaid with gold . . also the whole altar that was by the oracle he overlaid with gold. ²⁹ And he carved all the walls . . with carved figures of cherubim and palm trees and open flowers, within and without. —1 KINGS, ch. 6.

961. — *hindered. Adversaries.* ⁴ The people of the land weakened the hands of the people of Judah, and troubled them in building, ⁵ And hired counsellors against them, to frustrate their purpose . . ¹⁷ Then sent the king . . ²¹ . . commandment to cause these men to cease, and that this city be not builded. —EZRA, ch. 4.

962. — *necessitated. Walls.* [Nehemiah said,] ¹¹ Ye see the distress that we are in, how Jerusalem lieth waste, and the gates thereof are burned with fire : come, and let us build up the wall of Jerusalem, that we be no more a reproach. —NEH., ch. 2.

963. — *An outgrown. School.* ¹ The sons of the prophets said unto Elisha, Behold now, the place where we dwell with thee is too strait for us. ² Let us go . . unto Jordan . . and let us make us a place there, where we may dwell . . Go ye. —2 KINGS, ch. 6.

964. — *prevented. Babel.* ⁶ This they begin to do : and now nothing will be restrained from them, which they have imagined to do. ⁷ Go to, let us go down, and there confound their language . . ⁸ So the Lord scattered them . . upon the face of all the earth : and they left off to build the city. —GEN., ch. 11.

965. — *prohibited. Rechabites.* ⁶ Jonadab the son of Rechab our father commanded us, saying . . ye, nor your sons for ever : ⁷ Neither shall ye build house . . but all your days ye shall dwell in tents. —JER., ch. 35.

966. — *Revival after. Jews.* [After the temple was rebuilt,] ¹ When Ezra had prayed, and when he had confessed, weeping and casting himself down before the house of God, there assembled unto him out of Israel a very great congregation of men and women and children : for the people wept very sore. —EZRA, ch. 10.

967. — *A spiritual. Christians.* ²⁰ Are built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ being himself the chief corner stone ; ²¹ In whom all the building fitly framed together groweth unto a holy temple in the Lord : ²² In whom ye also are builded together for a habitation of God through the Spirit. —EPH., ch. 2.

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968. BURDEN of Cares. *Martha.* ⁴⁰ Martha was cumbered about much serving, and came to him [to complain of Mary]. ⁴¹ And Jesus answered. . . Martha, Martha, thou art careful and troubled about many things: ⁴² But one thing is needful.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

969. — divided, The. *In Babylon.* ⁴ Who-soever remaineth. . . let the men of his place help him with silver, and with gold, and with goods, and with beasts, besides the freewill offering for the house of God that is in Jerusalem.—*EZRA*, ch. 1. [Volunteers went up to rebuild the temple.]

970. — divested. *Race.* ¹ Wherefore, seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us.—*HEB.*, ch. 12.

971. — Equality in bearing. *Reuben and Gad.* ⁴ Let this land be given unto thy servants for a possession, and bring us not over Jordan. ⁶ And Moses said. . . Shall your brethren go to war, and shall ye sit here?—*NUM.*, ch. 32.

972. — according to Strength. *War.* ¹¹ God led them *through* the way of the land of the Philistines, although that *was* near. . . Lest per-adventure the people repent when they see war, and they return to Egypt: ¹⁸ But God led the people about, *through* the way of the wilderness.—*EX.*, ch. 13.

See CARE and references.

973. BURGLAR, Killing a. *Night.* ² If a thief be found breaking up, and be smitten that he die, *there shall no blood be shed* for him. ³ If the sun be risen upon him, *there shall be blood shed* for him.—*EX.*, ch. 22.

See CRIME and references.

974. BURIAL denied. *Idolaters.* ¹ Saith the Lord, they shall bring out the bones of the kings of Judah. . . his princes. . . priests. . . prophets, and. . . of the inhabitants of Jerusalem, out of their graves: ² And they shall spread them before the sun, and the moon, and all the host of heaven, whom they have loved, and whom they have served.—*JER.*, ch. 8.

975. — Life from. *Revived.* ²¹ As they were burying a man. . . behold, they spied a band of men [Moabites]; and they cast the man into the sepulchre of Elisha: and when the man. . . touched the bones of Elisha, he revived, and stood up on his feet.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 13.

976. — A living. *Korah.* ²⁸ The earth opened her mouth, and swallowed them up, and their houses, and all the men that *appertained* unto Korah, and all *their* goods.—*NUM.*, ch. 16.

977. — A mournful. *Abner.* ²¹ King David himself followed the bier. ²² And they buried Abner in Hebron: and the king lifted up his voice, and wept at the grave of Abner; and all the people wept.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 3.

978. — A mysterious. *Moses.* ⁵ Moses. . . died. . . according to the word of the Lord. ⁶ And he buried him in a valley in the land of Moab. . . but no man knoweth of his sepulchre unto this day.—*DEUT.*, ch. 34.

979. — A Patriarch's. *Jacob.* ¹ Joseph went up to bury his father: and with him went up all the servants of Pharaoh, the elders of his

house, and all the elders of the land of Egypt, ⁸ And all the house of Joseph, and his brethren, and his father's house.—*GEN.*, ch. 50.

980. — A perfumed. *Asa.* ¹⁴ They buried him in his own sepulchres. . . and laid him in the bed which was filled with sweet odours and divers kinds of spices prepared by the apothecaries' art: and they made a very great burning for him.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 16.

981. BURIAL-PLACE, A chosen. *Barzillai [to David].* ²¹ Let thy servant. . . turn back again, that I may die in mine own city, and be buried by the grave of my father and of my mother.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 19.

982. — First. *Cave.* ¹¹ The field of Ephron. . . in Machpelah. . . and the cave which *was* therein, and all the trees that *were* in the field, that *were* in all the borders round about, were made sure ¹⁸ Unto Abraham.—*GEN.*, ch. 23.

983. — A Family. *Machpelah.* [Expiring, Jacob said,] ²⁰ Bury me with my fathers in the cave that is in the field of Ephron the Hittite. ²¹ There they buried Abraham and Sarah. . . Isaac and Rebekah. . . and there I buried Leah.—*GEN.*, ch. 49.

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984. BUSINESS abandoned. *Levi.* [Jesus] ²⁷. . . saw a publican, named Levi, sitting at the receipt of custom: and he said unto him, Follow me. ²⁸ And he left all, rose up, and followed him.—*LUKE*, ch. 5.

985. — Capacity for. *Joseph.* ²³ Pharaoh said unto Joseph, Forasmuch as God hath shewed thee all this, *there is none* so discreet and wise as thou art: ⁴⁰ Thou shalt be over my house, and according unto thy word shall all my people be ruled.—*GEN.*, ch. 41.

986. — Diligence in. *Proverb.* ²⁸ Seest thou a man diligent in his business? he shall stand before kings; he shall not stand before mean men.—*PROV.*, ch. 22.

987. — Excuses. *Great Supper.* ⁵ They made light of it, and went their ways, one to his farm, another to his merchandise.—*MAT.*, ch. 22.

988. — Frauds in. *Unjust Steward.* ⁸ How much owest thou unto my lord? ⁹ And he said, A hundred measures of oil. And he said. . . Take thy bill, and sit down quickly, and write fifty. ¹¹. . . another. . . said, A hundred measures of wheat. And he said unto him, Take thy bill, and write fourscore.—*LUKE*, ch. 16.

989. — Hindrances of. *Invited Guests.* ¹⁸ They all with one consent began to make excuse. The first said. . . I have bought a piece of ground, and I must needs go and see it: ¹⁹ And another said, I have bought five yoke of oxen, and I go to prove them.—*LUKE*, ch. 14.

990. — before Pleasure. *Abraham's Servant.* ²³ The man came into the house: and he ungirded. . . and gave straw and provender for the camels, and water to wash his feet. . . ²⁴. . . set

meat before him to eat : but he said, I will not eat, until I have told mine errand.—GEN., ch. 24.

991. — Spiritual Men for. Stewards. ² It is not reason that we should leave the word of God, and serve tables. ³ Wherefore, brethren, look ye out among you seven men of honest report, full of the Holy Ghost and wisdom, whom we may appoint over this business.—ACTS, ch. 6.

992. — Secrecy in. Fugitive. ² David said unto Ahimelech the priest, The king hath commanded me a business, and hath said. . . Let no man know anything of the business whereabout I send thee.—1 SAM., ch. 21. [He asked for bread and a sword.]

993. — Success in. Joseph. ¹⁴ Joseph gathered up all the money that was found in the land of Egypt, and . . . of Canaan, for the corn which they bought. . . brought the money into Pharaoh's house.—GEN., ch. 47.

994. — Talent for. Jacob. ⁴³ The feebler were Laban's, and the stronger Jacob's. ⁴⁵ And the man increased exceedingly, and had much cattle, and maidservants, and menservants, and camels, and asses.—GEN., ch. 30.

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995. CALAMITY, A destructive. Wall. ²⁹ The children of Israel slew of the Syrians a hundred thousand footmen in one day. ³⁰ But the rest fled to Aphek, into the city ; and there a wall fell upon twenty and seven thousand of the men that were left.—1 KINGS, ch. 20.

996. — God sent. Korah. ³¹ As he had made an end of speaking. . . ³² The earth opened her mouth, and swallowed them up, and their houses, and all the men that appertained unto Korah.—NUM., ch. 16.

997. — Predicted, A. Temple. ² Jesus said. . . See ye not all these things ? verily I say unto you, There shall not be left here one stone upon another, that shall not be thrown down.—MAT., ch. 24.

998. — from Sin. Achan. [The Lord said to defeated Joshua.] ¹¹ They have even taken of the accursed thing, and have also stolen, and dissembled also, and they have put it even among their own stuff. ¹² Therefore the children of Israel could not stand before their enemies.—JOSH., ch. 7.

999. — Waiting for a. Nineveh. ⁵ Jonah went. . . and sat on the east side of the city, and there made him a booth, and sat under it in the shadow, till he might see what would become of the city.—JONAH, ch. 4.

1000. CALAMITIES, Fear of. The Wicked. ¹⁰ The snare is laid for him in the ground, and a trap for him in the way. ¹¹ Terrors shall make him afraid on every side, and shall drive him to his feet. ¹² His strength shall be hungerbitten, and destruction shall be ready at his side.—JOB, ch. 18.

1001. — Hardened by. Israelites. ⁹ I have smitten you with blasting and mildew : when your gardens. . . vineyards. . . fig trees and. . . olive trees increased, the palmerworm devoured them : yet have ye not returned unto me, saith the Lord.—AMOS, ch. 4.

1002. — Indiscriminate. Judgments. ¹ The Lord maketh the earth empty. . . waste, and turneth it upside down. . . ² And it shall be, as with the people, so with the priest ; as with the servant, so with his master : as with the maid, so with her mistress ; as with the buyer, so with the seller ; as with the lender, so with the borrower.—ISA., ch. 24.

1003. — Misjudged. Jesus. ⁴ Those eighteen, upon whom the tower in Siloam fell, and slew them, think ye that they were sinners above all men that dwelt in Jerusalem ? ⁵ I tell you, Nay : but, except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish.—LUKE, ch. 13.

1004. — Overwhelming. Eli. ¹⁷ The messenger. . . said, Israel is fled before the Philistines. . . a great slaughter. . . thy two sons also, Hophni and Phinehas, are dead, and the ark of God is taken. ¹⁸ . . . he fell from off the seat backward. . . and his neck brake !—1 SAM., ch. 4.

1005. — Reflection in. Job. ² Oh that I

were as in months past, as in the days when God preserved me ; ³ When his candle shined upon my head, and when by his light I walked through darkness ; ⁴ As I was in the days of my youth.—*JOB*, ch. 29.

1006. — Sudden. *Job*. ¹⁵ The oxen . . the Sabeans took them . . ¹⁶ While he was yet speaking, there came also another, and said, The fire of God . . hath burned up the sheep. ¹⁷ While he was yet speaking, there came also another, and said, The Chaldeans . . fell upon the camels. ¹⁸ While he was yet speaking, there came also another, and said, Thy sons and thy daughters.—*JOB*, ch. 1. [All were dead.]

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1008. — of Children. *Samuel*. ³ Ere the lamp of God went out in the temple . . and Samuel was laid down to sleep ; ⁴ The Lord called Samuel : and he answered, Here am I. ⁵ And he ran unto Eli, and said . . thou calledst me.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 3.

1009. — Dishonoured, A. *At Capernaum*. ¹⁹ He said . . Follow me. But he said, Lord, suffer me first to go and bury my father. ²⁰ Jesus said . . Let the dead bury their dead : but go thou and preach the kingdom of God.—*LUKE*, ch. 9.

1010. — to Earnestness. *Looking Back*. ⁴ Lord, I will follow thee ; but let me first go bid them farewell, which are at home . . ⁵ And Jesus said . . No man, having put his hand to the plough, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God.—*LUKE*, ch. 9.

1011. — An Instrumental. *Moses*. ¹⁸ Take thee Joshua . . a man in whom is the spirit, and lay thine hand upon him : ¹⁹ And set him before Eleazar the priest, and before all the congregation ; and give him a charge in their sight.—*NUM.*, ch. 27.

1012. — A ministerial. *Levite*. ⁹ I am a Levite . . and I go to sojourn where I may find a place. ¹⁰ And Micah said . . Dwell with me, and be unto me a father and a priest, and I will give thee ten shekels of silver by the year, and a suit of apparel, and thy victuals. So the Levite went in.—*JUDGES*, ch. 17.

1013. — Obedience to Christ's. *Peter—Andrew*. ¹⁶ He saw Simon and Andrew his brother casting a net into the sea : for they were fishers. ¹⁷ And Jesus said . . Come ye after me, and I will make you to become fishers of men. ¹⁸ And straightway they forsook their nets, and followed him.—*MAT.*, ch. 1.

1014. — to Preach. *Paul*. ¹⁶ Necessity is laid upon me ; yea, woe is unto me, if I preach not the gospel ! ¹⁷ For if I do this thing willingly, I have a reward : but if against my will, a dispensation of the gospel is committed unto me.—*1 COR.*, ch. 9.

1015. — Response to God's. *Isaiah*. ⁶ Then flew one of the seraphim . . having a live coal in his hand . . from off the altar : ⁷ And he laid it upon my mouth, and said, Lo, this hath touched thy lips ; and thine iniquity is taken away . . ⁸ Also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, Whom shall I send, and who will go for us ? Then said I, Here am I ; send me.—*ISA.*, ch. 6.

1016. — of the Spirit. *Isaiah*. ²⁰ Thine eyes shall see thy teachers : ²¹ And thine ears shall hear a word behind thee, saying, This is the way, walk ye in it, when ye turn to the right hand, and when ye turn to the left.—*ISA.*, ch. 30.

1017. — Sacrifice at Christ's. *James—John*. ¹⁹ He saw James . . and John his brother . . mending their nets. ²⁰ He called them : and they left their father Zebedee in the ship with the hired servants, and went after him.—*MAT.*, ch. 1.

1018. — in a Vision. A. *Paul*. ⁹ There stood a man of Macedonia . . saying, Come over into Macedonia, and help us. ¹⁰ And . . immediately we endeavoured to go into Macedonia, assuredly gathering that the Lord had called us for to preach the gospel unto them.—*ACTS*, ch. 16.

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and the raging of the water : and they ceased, and there was a calm.—*LUKE*, ch. 8.

1020. — *A holy. Stephen.* ³⁹ They stoned Stephen, calling upon *God*, and saying, Lord Jesus, receive my spirit. ⁴⁰ And he kneeled down, and cried with a loud voice, Lord, lay not this sin to their charge. And when he had said this, he fell asleep.—*ACTS*, ch. 7.

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1021. CAPTAIN, A divine. Angel. ¹³ When Joshua was by Jericho . . he . . behold, there stood a man over against him with his sword drawn in his hand : and Joshua . . said . . *Art thou for us, or for our adversaries?* ¹⁴ And he said, Nay ; but as captain of the host of the Lord am I now come.—*JOSH.*, ch. 5.

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1022. CAPTIVE, Compassion for the. Divine. [God said to Moses,] ⁵ I have also heard the groaning of the children of Israel, whom the Egyptians keep in bondage ; and I have remembered my covenant.—*EX.*, ch. 6.

1023. — *A victorious. Samson.* ¹⁴ Philistines shouted against him : and the Spirit of the Lord came mightily upon him, and the cords that were upon his arms became as flax that was burnt with fire, and his bands loosed from off his hands. ¹⁵ And he found a new jawbone of an ass . . and slew a thousand men therewith.—*JUDGES*, ch. 15.

1024. — *Kindness to. Judah.* ¹³ The men . . took the captives, and with the spoil clothed all that were naked . . and gave them to eat and to drink, and anointed them, and carried all the feeble of them upon asses . . to Jericho, the city of palm trees, to their brethren.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 28.

1025. — *Mercy to. Syrians.* ²¹ The king of Israel said unto Elisha . . shall I smite them ? . . ²² . . Thou shalt not smite them : wouldest thou smite those whom thou hast taken captive . . set bread and water before them, that they may eat and drink, and go to their master.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 6.

1026. — *Mourning of. Jews.* ¹ By the rivers of Babylon, there we sat down, yea, we wept, when we remembered Zion. ² We hanged our harps upon the willows in the midst thereof.—*PS.* 137.

1027. CAPTIVES, Songless. Jews. ³ There they that carried us away captive required of us a song ; and they that wasted us required of us mirth, saying, Sing us one of the songs of Zion. ⁴ How shall we sing the Lord's song in a strange land ?—*PS.* 137.

1028. — *Return from. Joyful.* ¹⁰ The ransomed of the Lord shall return, and come to Zion with songs and everlasting joy upon their heads : they shall obtain joy and gladness, and sorrow and sighing shall flee away.—*ISA.*, ch. 35.

1029. — *Sin brings. Jews.* ²² The children of Israel walked in all the sins of Jeroboam . . ²³ Until the Lord removed Israel out of his sight . . So was Israel carried away out of their own land to Assyria.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 17.

1030. — — — *Israelites.* ¹² The Lord strengthened Eglon the king of Moab against Israel, because they had done evil . . ¹⁴ So the children of Israel served Eglon . . eighteen years.—*JUDGES*, ch. 3.

1031. — *An unexpected. At Ziklag.* ³ David and his men came to the city, and, behold, it was burned with fire ; and their wives . . sons, and . . daughters, were taken captives. ⁴ Then David and the people . . lifted up their voice and wept, until they had no more power to weep.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 30.

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1032. CARE at the Beginning. Builder. ²⁸ Which of you, intending to build a tower, sitteth not down first, and counteth the cost, whether he have sufficient to finish it ? ²⁹ Lest haply, after he hath laid the foundation, and is not able to finish it, all that behold it begin to mock him.—*LUKE*, ch. 14.

1033. — *for Others, Christian. Samaritan.* ³³ When he saw him, he had compassion . . ³⁴ . . and bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine, and set him on his own beast, and brought him to an inn, and took care of him.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

1034. — *for Birds. Birds.* ⁶ If a bird's nest chance to be . . in any tree, or on the ground, whether they be young ones, or eggs, and the dam sitting upon the young, or upon the eggs, thou shalt not take the dam with the young : ⁷ . . that it may be well with thee . . mayest prolong thy days.—*DEUT.*, ch. 22.

1035. — *of God for Animals. Fowls.* [Jesus said,] ²⁶ Behold the fowls of the air : for they sow not, neither do they reap, nor gather into barns ; yet your heavenly Father feedeth them. Are ye not much better than they ?—*MAT.*, ch. 6.

1036. — *of God acknowledged. Jacob.* ¹⁵ He blessed Joseph, and said, God, before whom my fathers Abraham and Isaac did walk, the God which fed me all my life long unto this day, ¹⁶ The Angel which redeemed me from all evil, bless the lads.—*GEN.*, ch. 48.

1037. — *of God, Delicate. Eye.* ⁸ Thus saith the Lord of hosts . . he that toucheth you, toucheth the apple of his eye. ⁹ For, behold, I will shake mine hand upon them.—*ZECH.*, ch. 2.

1038. — *of God, Defending. Hedge.* ⁹ Satan . . said, Doth Job fear God for nought ? ¹⁰ Hast not thou made a hedge about him, and about his house, and about all that he hath on every side ?—*JOB*, ch. 1.

1039. — *of God illustrated. Sparrows.* [Jesus said,] ²⁹ Are not two sparrows sold for a farthing ? and one of them shall not fall on the ground without your Father.—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

1040. — *of God, Perfect. Promise.* ¹¹ He shall feed his flock like a shepherd : he shall gather the lambs with his arm, and carry them in his bosom, and shall gently lead those that are with young.—*ISA.*, ch. 40.

1041. — *God's protecting. Horses of Fire.* ¹⁵ Alas, my master ! how shall we do ? ¹⁶ And he

answered, Fear not: for they that be with us are more than they that be with them. ¹¹ And Elisha prayed. And the Lord opened the eyes of the young man; and he saw: and, behold, the mountain was full of horses and chariots of fire round about Elisha.—2 KINGS, ch. 6.

1042. — *The Good Shepherd's. David.* ¹ The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. ² He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters.—PS. 23.

1043. — *of God, Sheltering. Eagle.* ¹¹ As an eagle stirreth up her nest, fluttereth over her young, spreadeth abroad her wings, taketh them, beareth them on her wings: ¹² So the Lord alone did lead him.—DEUT., ch. 32.

1044. — *of God, Sustaining. Drought.* ¹¹ The Lord shall guide thee continually, and satisfy thy soul in drought, and make fat thy bones: and thou shalt be like a watered garden, and like a spring of water, whose waters fail not.—ISA., ch. 58.

1045. — *of God, Sleepless. In Night.* ² He will not suffer thy foot to be moved: he that keepeth thee will not slumber.—PS. 121.

1046. — *of God, Tender. Wings.* [Jesus said,] ²⁷ O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, thou that killest the prophets, and stonest them: how often would I have gathered thy children together, even as a hen gathereth her chickens under her wings, and ye would not!—MAT., ch. 23.

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1048. — *Disturbing. The Rich.* ¹⁹ The sleep of a labouring man is sweet, whether he eat little or much: but the abundance of the rich will not suffer him to sleep.—ECC., ch. 5.

1049. — *Ministerial. Paul.* ²⁷ In weariness

and painfulness, in watchings often, in hunger and thirst, in fastings often, in cold and nakedness. ²⁸ Beside those things that are without, that which cometh upon me daily, the care of all the churches.—2 COR., ch. 11.

1050. — *of Wealth. Dives.* ¹⁶ The ground of a certain rich man brought forth plentifully: ¹⁷ And he thought within himself, saying, What shall I do, because I have no room where to bestow my fruits? ¹⁸..I will pull down my barns, and build greater.—LUKE, ch. 12.

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1052. — Presumptuous. Oz. ³⁵ If one man's ox hurt another's, that he die, then they shall sell the live ox, and divide the money of it; and the dead ox also they shall divide. ³⁶ Or if it be known that the ox hath used to push in time past, and his owner hath not kept him in, he shall surely pay ox for ox; and the dead shall be his own.—*Ex.*, ch. 21.

1053. — Responsibility for. Pit. ²³ If a man shall open a pit..and not cover it, and an ox, or an ass fall therein; ²⁴ The owner of the pit shall make it good..and the dead *beast* shall be his.—*Ex.*, ch. 21.

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1056. — Egyptian. Joseph. ²¹ They set on for him by himself, and for them by themselves, and for the Egyptians..by themselves: because the Egyptians might not eat bread with the Hebrews; for that is an abomination unto the Egyptians.—*GEN.*, ch. 43.

1057. — Ignored. "The Canaanite." ¹⁴ And he ordained twelve..Thomas, and James..and Thaddeus, and Simon the Canaanite.—*MARK*, ch. 3.

1058. — Jewish. Samaritans. ⁹ Saith the woman of Samaria unto him, How is it that thou, being a Jew, askest drink of me, which am a woman of Samaria? for the Jews have no dealings with the Samaritans.—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

1059. — No more. Vision. ¹¹ A great sheet knit at the four corners, and let down to the earth: ¹² Wherein were all manner of four-footed beasts..wild beasts, and creeping things, and fowls.. ¹³ And there came a voice to him, Rise, Peter; kill, and eat.. ¹⁴ Then Peter..said, Of a truth I perceive that God is no respecter of persons: ¹⁵ But in every nation he that feareth him, and worketh righteousness, is accepted with him.—*ACTS*, ch. 10.

1060. — No Respect for. Death. ²⁹ At midnight the LORD smote all the firstborn in the land of Egypt, from the firstborn of Pharaoh that sat on his throne unto the firstborn of the captive that was in the dungeon.—*Ex.*, ch. 12.

1061. — Religious. John. ²³ Master, we saw one casting out devils in thy name..and we forbade him, because he followeth not us. ²⁹ But Jesus said, Forbid him not.—*MARK*, ch. 9.

1062. — Super-religious. Pharisee. ²⁶ Began to wash his feet with tears, and did wipe them with the hairs of her head, and kissed his feet, and anointed them with the ointment. ²⁹ The Pharisee..spake within himself..if he were a prophet, would have known who and what manner of woman *this is*..for she is a sinner.—*LUKE*, ch. 7.

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1064. — Hypocritical. *Pharisees.* ²³ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye pay tithe of mint and anise and cummin, and have omitted the weightier matters of the law, judgment, mercy, and faith.—*MAT.*, ch. 23.
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1065. CATHOLICITY, Example of. *John.* [See No. 1061.]

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1067. CAUTION, Confidence without. *Ben-jamites.* ²³ Said, They are smitten down before us, as at the first. But the children of Israel said, Let us flee, and draw them from the city unto the highways.. ⁴⁴ And there fell of Benjamin eighteen thousand men.—*JUDGES*, ch. 20.

1068. — in Eating. *Proverb.* ¹ When thou sittest to eat with a ruler, consider diligently what is before thee : ² And put a knife to thy throat, if thou be a man given to appetite. ³ Be not desirous of his dainties : for they are deceitful meat.—*PROV.*, ch. 23.

1069. — in Hearing. *Sower.* ⁸ Other fell on good ground, and..increased, and brought forth, some thirty, and some sixty, and some a hundred. ⁹ And he said..He that hath ears to hear, let him hear.—*MAR.*, ch. 4.

1070. — Necessary. *Proverb.* ¹⁵ The simple believeth every word : but the prudent man looketh well to his going. ¹⁶ A wise man feareth, and departeth from evil : but the fool rageth, and is confident.—*PROV.*, ch. 14.

1071. — A prudent. *Retreat.* ²⁸ The children of Dan said unto him, Let not thy voice be heard among us, lest angry fellows run upon thee, and thou lose thy life, with the lives of thy household. ²⁹..And when Micah saw that they were too strong for him, he turned and went back unto his house.—*JUDGES*, ch. 18.

1072. — of the Wise. *Proverb.* ¹¹ A fool uttereth all his mind : but a wise man keepeth it in till afterwards.—*PROV.*, ch. 29.

See CARE and references.

1073. CAVE, Home in a. *David.* ¹ David..escaped to the cave Adullam..and all his father's house..went down thither to him.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 22.

1074. — Refuge in a. *Elijah.* [He went] ¹ Unto Horeb the mount of God. ² And he came thither unto a cave, and lodged there.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 19.

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" I. were in a strait..hide..caves 5278
" Obadiah took 100 prophets and hid 5417
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1075. CELEBRATION, A worthy. *Jerusalem.* ²³ They cast their garments upon the colt, and they set Jesus thereon. ²⁴..they spread their clothes in the way. The whole multitude of the disciples began to rejoice and praise God with a loud voice. ²⁵ Saying, Blessed be the King that cometh in the name of the Lord : peace in heaven, and glory in the highest.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

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1076. CEMETERY, The first mentioned. *Jacob.* ²⁹ Bury me with my fathers. ³⁰ In the cave that is in the field of Machpelah..which Abraham bought..for a..burying place.—*GEN.*, ch. 49.

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Denied. Bring out the bones of the kings..spread 974
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Chosen. Bury me with my fathers in the cave 3708
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Crematory. Valiant men..body of Saul..sons..burnt 1898
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1077. CENSURE, Preparation for. *Jesus.* ⁵ Thou hypocrite, first cast out the beam out of thine own eye ; and then shalt thou see clearly to cast out the mote out of thy brother's eye.—*MAT.*, ch. 7. [See No. 1080.]

1078. — Severe. *Israelites.* ¹³ Is not this the word that we did tell thee in Egypt, saying, Let us alone, that we may serve the Egyptians? For it had been better for us..than that we should die in the wilderness.—*EX.*, ch. 14.

1079. — Undeserved. *Israelites.* ²⁰ They met Moses and Aaron..as they came forth from Pharaoh : ²¹ And..said..ye have made our savour to be abhorred in the eyes of Pharaoh, and..his servants, to put a sword in their hand to slay us.—*EX.*, ch. 5.

1080. CENSORIOUSNESS *reproved. Jesus.* *Why beholdest thou the mote that is in thy brother's eye, but considerest not the beam that is in thine own eye? *Or how wilt thou say.. Let me pull out the mote out of thine eye; and, behold, a beam *is* in thine own eye.—*MAT., ch. 7.* [See No. 1077.]

1081. — Unbrotherly. James. ¹¹Speak not evil one of another, brethren. He that speaketh evil of his brother, and judgeth his brother, speaketh evil of the law, and judgeth the law.—*JAMES, ch. 4.*

See **BLAME** and references.

1082. CEREMONY, A powerless. Gehazi. ¹¹Gehazi..laid the staff upon the face of the child; but *there was* neither voice, nor hearing. Wherefore he went..saying, The child is not awaked.—*2 KINGS, ch. 4.*

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Heartless. Ye said, What a weariness is it 3374
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1083. CHALLENGE to Battle. Goliath. ¹⁰The Philistine said, I defy the armies of Israel this day; give me a man, that we may fight together. ¹¹Saul and all Israel..were dismayed, and greatly afraid.—*1 SAM., ch. 17.*

1084. — of Champions. Duels. ¹⁴Abner said to Joab, Let the young men..play before us ¹⁵Then..twelve of Benjamin, which pertained to Ish-bosheth the son of Saul, and twelve of the servants of David. ¹⁶And they caught every one his fellow by the head, and thrust his sword in his fellow's side; so they fell down together.—*2 SAM., ch. 2.*

1085. — a Prayer. Elijah. ²²Said Elijah..I, even I only, remain a prophet of the Lord; but Baal's prophets are four hundred and fifty men. ²⁴And call ye on the name of your gods, and I will call on the name of the Lord: and the God that answereth by fire, let him be God..the people..said, It is well spoken.—*1 KINGS, ch. 18.*

1086. — for War. Jehu. ¹Jehu wrote letters..to them that brought up Ahab's children, saying. ²Look even out the best and meetest of your master's sons, and set him on his father's throne, and fight for your master's house.—*2 KINGS, ch. 10.*

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1087. CHAMPION, A Boastful. Goliath. ¹⁰The Philistine said, I defy the armies of Israel this day. ⁴⁴And..said to David, Come to me, and I will give thy flesh unto the fowls of the air, and to the beasts of the field.—*1 SAM., ch. 17.*

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Adino. Mighty men whom David had..chief among 5332
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Faith. He took his staff..five smooth stones 9443
Lords. They cried, The sword of the L. and Gideon 8532
Ominous. David saw the angel having a drawn 8534
" Joshua was by Jericho..stood a man 1021
Outfit. Take the sword of the S. which is the sword 8539

1088. CHANCE *disproved. Kine.* ¹¹They laid the ark of the Lord upon the cart. ¹²And the kine took the straight way to. Beth-shemesh..lowing as they went, and turned not aside to the right hand or to the left.—*1 SAM., ch. 6.* [They left their calves behind.]

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EXPERIMENT.

Dietetic. Ten days, let them give us pulse to eat 2817
Faith's. Peter walked on the water to go to Jesus 2818

FUTURE.

God's Will. If the L. will, we shall live and do this 3494
Ignorance. If thou hadst known..hid from thine 3495
Piety. Let me first go and bid them farewell 3496
Presuming. I will pull down my barns..ease, eat 3497
Uncertainty. Boast not..of to-morrow..knowest 3498
Unseen. God said, Thou fool, this night thy soul 3499

LOT.

Condemnation. Brought his household..Achan 5087
" Let us cast lots that we may 5088
Called. Custom of the priests, his lot was to burn 5090
Division. Divide the land by lot for an inheritance 5090
Gambling. Soldiers..took his coat..cast lots for it 5091
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Believers. Went into the midst of the sea..waters 9185
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Manslaughter. Axe..head slippeth upon his 5214
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1089. CHANGE by Conversion. Saul. ¹⁹Then was Saul certain days with the disciples which were at Damascus. ²⁰And straightway he preached Christ in the synagogues, that he is the Son of God.—*ACTS, ch. 9.*

1090. — deplored. Job. ²Oh that I were as in months past, as in the days when God preserved me. ³When his candle shined upon my head, and when by his light I walked through darkness.—*JOB, ch. 29.*

1091. — of Disposition. King Saul. ¹⁴The Spirit of the Lord departed from Saul, and an evil spirit from the Lord troubled him.—*1 SAM., ch. 16.*

1092. — A delivering. From Haman. ¹When the king's..decree drew near to be put in execution, in the day that the enemies of the Jews hoped to have power over them..it was turned to the contrary, that the Jews had rule over them that hated them.—*ESTHER, ch. 9.*

1093. — A happy. Four Lepers. ⁸Came to the uttermost part of the camp, they went in-

to one tent, and did eat and drink, and carried thence silver and gold. ⁹ Then they said, We do not well : this day is a day of good tidings, and we hold our peace.—2 KINGS, ch. 7.

1094. — Impossible. Blessing. ³³ Isaac trembled very exceedingly, and said, Who? where is he that hath taken venison, and brought it me, and I have blessed him? yea, and he shall be blessed.—GEN., ch. 27.

1095. — An official. Administration. ²² Moses took Joshua, and set him before Eleazar the priest, and before all the congregation : ²³ And he laid his hands upon him, and gave him a charge.—NUM., ch. 27.

1096. — of Opinions. Barbarians. ⁴ When the barbarians saw the venomous beast hang on his hand, they said, No doubt this man is a murderer, whom, though he hath escaped the sea, yet vengeance suffereth not to live. ⁶ . . . saw no harm come to him, they changed their minds, and said that he was god.—ACTS, ch. 28.

1097. — Great social. Job. ¹ When I went out to the gate through the city. ² The young men saw me, and hid themselves : and the aged arose, and stood up. ³ The princes refrained talking.—JOB, ch. 29. ¹ But now they that are younger than I have me in derision, whose fathers I would have disdained to have set with the dogs of my flock. ⁹ And now am I their song. . . their byword. ¹⁰ They abhor me. . . and spare not to spit in my face.—JOB, ch. 30.

1098. — A sudden. Saul. ¹ Saul, yet breathing out threatenings and slaughter against the disciples of the Lord. ⁶ And he trembling and astonished said, Lord, what wilt thou have me to do?—ACTS, ch. 9.

1099. — of Seasons. Regular. [After the flood, God said,] ²¹ Neither will I again smite any more every thing living, as I have done. ²² While the earth remaineth, seedtime and harvest, and cold and heat, and summer and winter, and day and night shall not cease.—GEN., ch. 8.

1100. — A surprising. Mordecai. ¹⁵ Mordecai went out from the presence of the king in royal apparel of blue and white, and with a great crown of gold, and with a garment of fine linen and purple : and the city of Shushan rejoiced and was glad.—ESTHER, ch. 8.

1101. — Undesired. Aged. [Being invited to go,] ²⁴ Barzillai said unto the king, How long have I to live, that I should go up with the king unto Jerusalem? ²⁵ I am this day fourscore years old.—2 SAM., ch. 19.

1102. CHANGES by Affliction. Job's Friends. ¹⁹ When they lifted up their eyes afar off, and knew him not, they lifted up their voice, and wept ; and they rent every one his mantle, and sprinkled dust upon their heads towards heaven.—JOB, ch. 2.

1103. — by Bereavement. Naomi. ⁵ The woman was left of her two sons and her husband. ²¹ I went out full, and the Lord hath brought me home again empty : why then call ye me Naomi, seeing. . . the Almighty hath afflicted me.—RUTH, ch. 1.

1104. — Desolating. Job. [After all his losses,] ²⁰ Job arose, and rent his mantle, and shaved his head, and fell down upon the ground,

and worshipped, ²¹ And said, Naked came I out of my mother's womb, and naked shall I return thither.—JOB, ch. 1.

1105. — of Spring-time. Flowers. ¹¹ Lo, the winter is past, the rain is over and gone ; ¹² The flowers appear on the earth ; the time of the singing of birds is come, and the voice of the turtle is heard in our land ; ¹³ The fig tree putteth forth her green figs, and the vines with the tender grape give a good smell.—SOLOMON'S SONG, ch. 2.

1106. — Speedy spiritual. Jailer. [To the would-be suicide,] ²⁹ Paul cried, Do thyself no harm : for we are all here. ²⁹ Then he called for a light. . . sprang in. . . trembling, and fell down before Paul and Silas, ³⁰ And brought them out, and said, Sirs, what must I do to be saved?—ACTS, ch. 16.

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Continuous. Flourish like the palm tree. . . fruit in	3740
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Divine. Jesus increased in wisdom and stature	3742
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Grace. Like a tree planted by the rivers of water	3745
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Wicked. Elymas the sorcerer. . . seeking to turn	6109
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Lord's. Every man a lamb. . . for a house. . . smote	8419
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Sudden. Sick of the palsy. . . let down. . . take up thy 824

Translation. Enoch walked with G. G. took him 8880

Transfiguration. As he prayed. . . his countenance 8882

" With open face, beholding. . . are 8881

Vocation. Elisha. . . left the oxen and ran after 176

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1107. CHAOS, Original. *Creation.* ² The earth was without form, and void ; and darkness was upon the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters. ³ And God said, Let there be light : and there was light.—*GEN.*, ch. 1.

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CONFUSION.

Excitement. Some cried one thing, some another 1544

Public Opinion. Some say thou art John..Elias 1545

Assembly was confused..knew 1546

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1108. CHARACTER, An assumed. *Joseph.* ⁷ Joseph..knew them, but made himself strange ..and spake roughly ; and he said..Whence come ye ? And they said, From the land of Canaan to buy food.—*GEN.*, ch. 42.

1109. — Decision of. *Daniel.* ⁸ Daniel purposed in his heart that he would not defile himself with the portion of the king's meat, nor with the wine which he drank : therefore he requested..that he might not defile himself.—*DAN.*, ch. 1.

1110. — disguised. *Chief Priests.* ²⁰ They watched him, and sent forth spies, which should feign themselves just men, that they might take hold of his words, that so they might deliver him unto..the governor.—*LUKE*, ch. 20.

1111. — Deterioration of. *Demoniac.* ⁴⁸ Taketh with himself seven other spirits more wicked than himself, and they enter in and dwell there : and the last state of that man is worse than the first.—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

1112. — Dress indicates. *Prodigal.* ²² The father said to his servants, Bring forth the best robe, and put it on him ; and put a ring on his hand, and shoes on his feet.—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

1113. — Deeds prove. *Blind Man*, [being healed, said,] ²² Since the world began was it not heard that any man opened the eyes of one that was born blind. ²³ If this man were not of God, he could do nothing.—*JOHN*, ch. 9.

1114. — Failure of. *Adam.* ⁶ When the woman saw that the tree was good for food..pleasant to the eyes..to be desired to make one wise, she took of the fruit thereof, and did eat, and gave also unto her husband.—*GEN.*, ch. 3.

1115. — Heroic. *Paul.* ¹² Besought him not to go up to Jerusalem. ¹³ Then Paul answered, What mean ye to weep and to break mine heart ? for I am ready not to be bound only, but also to die at Jerusalem for the name the Lord Jesus.—*ACTS*, ch. 21.

1116. — Judged by. *Eliab rejected.* ⁷ The Lord said unto Samuel, Look not on his countenance, or on the height of his stature ; because I have refused him : for the Lord seeth not as man seeth ; for man looketh on the outward appearance, but the Lord looketh on the heart.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 16.

1117. — misjudged. *By Murderers.* ⁶ Rehob and Baanah..came about the heat of the day to the house of Ish-bosheth, who lay on a bed at noon. ⁸..as though they would have fetched wheat. ⁹ And they brought the head of Ish-bosheth unto David.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 4. [They expected to please him, but he put them to death.]

1118. — proved. *Abraham.* ¹ God did

tempt Abraham.. ¹⁶ By myself have I sworn, saith the Lord, for because thou..hast not withheld thy son, thine only son. ¹⁷ That in blessing I will bless thee.—*GEN.*, ch. 22.

1119. — Relapse of. *Backslider.* ²⁰ If after they have escaped the pollutions of the world ..they are again entangled therein, and overcome, the latter end is worse with them than the beginning.—*2 PETER*, ch. 2.

1120. — Return of. *Apostate.* ²¹ It had been better for them not to have known the way of righteousness, than, after they have known it, to turn.. ²² But it is happened..The dog is turned to his own vomit again ; and, The sow that was washed to her wallowing in the mire.—*2 PETER*, ch. 2.

1121. — Strength of. *Hebrew Worthies.* ¹⁶ But if not, be it known unto thee, O king, that we will not serve thy gods, nor worship the golden image which thou hast set up.—*DAN.*, ch. 3.

1122. — tested. *Adam.* ¹⁶ The Lord God commanded..Of every tree of the garden thou mayest freely eat : ¹⁷ But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt not eat of it.—*GEN.*, ch. 2.

1123. — formed by Trial. *Israelites* ²² Walked upon dry land in the midst of the sea ; and the waters were a wall unto them on their right hand, and on their left.—*EX.*, ch. 14. [Bondmen's perilous route to freedom. Slaves to be a nation.]

1124. — An unimpeachable. *Daniel.* ⁴ The presidents and princes sought to find occasion against Daniel concerning the kingdom ; but they could find none occasion nor fault ; forasmuch as he was faithful, neither was there any error.—*DAN.*, ch. 6.

1125. — verified. *Nicodemus* ² Came to Jesus by night, and said..Rabbi, we know that thou art a teacher come from God : for no man can do these miracles that thou doest, except God be with him.—*JOHN*, ch. 8.

1126. CHARACTERS differ. *Esau—Jacob.* ²⁷ The boys grew..Esau was a cunning hunter, a man of the field. Jacob was a plain man, dwelling in tents.—*GEN.*, ch. 25.

1127. — Mixed. *Wheat and Tares.* ²⁸ Wilt thou then that we go and gather them up ? ²⁹ But he said, Nay ; lest while ye gather up the tares, ye root up also the wheat with them. ³⁰ Let both grow together until the harvest.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

1128. — Opposite. *Two Creditors.* ³² O thou wicked servant, I forgave thee all that debt, because thou desiredst me.. ³³ Shouldest not thou also have had compassion on thy fellow servant, even as I had pity on thee ? ³⁴ And his lord was wroth.—*MAT.*, ch. 18.

1129. — Separation of. *Ten Virgins* ¹ Took their lamps, and went forth to meet the bridegroom. ² And five of them were wise, and five were foolish.. ¹¹ Afterward came also the other virgins, saying, Lord, Lord, open to us.—*MAT.*, ch. 25.

1130. — unlike. *Two Sons.* ¹³ The younger son gathered all together, and took his journey into a far country, and there wasted his substance with riotous living..[The elder son

said.] ¹⁰ Lo, these many years do I serve thee, neither transgressed I at any time thy commandment.—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

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DISPOSITION.

Angry. Saul servants said, An evil spirit	2413
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Curious. Levite came and looked on him and	2415
Changed. Countenance of Laban was not..as b.	2416
Giving. Every man that giveth willingly with	2418
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Religious. Ye men of Athens..ye are too	2420

MORALITY.

Complete. All these..observed from my youth	5561
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Insufficient. I am not as other men are	5563
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Acknowledged. Thy G. whom thou servest..will	7160
Advantage. Been shown me, all thou hast done	7161
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Gaining. Let not mercy and truth forsake thee	7166
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Divine. Proclaimed the L...merciful and	3585
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1131. CHASTISEMENT of Children. *Proverb.* ³⁴ He that spareth his rod hateth his son: but he that loveth him chasteneth him betimes.—*Prov.*, ch. 13.

1132. — Fruits of. Righteousness. ¹¹ No chastening for the present seemeth to be joyous, but grievous: nevertheless, afterward it yieldeth the peaceable fruit of righteousness unto them which are exercised thereby.—*HEB.*, ch. 12.

1133. — for Good. Parental. ⁹ Fathers..corrected us, and we gave them reverence: shall we not much rather be in subjection unto the Father of spirits, and live? ¹⁰ For they..chastened us after their own pleasure; but he for our profit.—*HEB.*, ch. 12.

1134. — in Love. Solomon. ¹¹ My son, despise not the chastening of the Lord; neither be weary of his correction: ¹² For whom the Lord loveth he correcteth; even as a father the son in whom he delighteth.—*Prov.*, ch. 3.

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Children. Beat him with a rod..save his soul from	1205
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1135. CHASTITY commended. Solomon. ⁹ Lest thou give thine honour unto others, and thy years unto the cruel., ¹¹ And thou mourn at the

last, when thy flesh and thy body are consumed, ¹² And say, How have I hated instruction, and my heart despised reproof.—*Prov.*, ch. 5.

1136. — Invincible. Joseph. [Potiphar's wife] ¹⁰ spake to Joseph day by day..he hearkened not unto her, to lie by her, or to be with her.—*GEN.*, ch. 39.

1137. CHEATING in Trade. Dealers. ⁵ Making the ephah small, and the shekel great, and falsifying the balances by deceit? ⁶ That we may buy the poor for silver, and the needy for a pair of shoes; yea, and sell the refuse of the wheat?—*AMOS*, ch. 8.

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1138. CHEERFULNESS in Benevolence. To needy Saints. ⁵ That the same might be ready, as a matter of bounty, and not as of covetousness. ¹ Every man according as he purposeth in his heart, so let him give; not grudgingly, or of necessity: for God loveth a cheerful giver.—*2 COR.*, ch. 9.

1139. — commended. Proverb. ¹³ A merry heart maketh a cheerful countenance: but by sorrow of the heart the spirit is broken. ¹⁵ All the days of the afflicted are evil: but he that is of a merry heart hath a continual feast.—*Prov.*, ch. 15.

1140. — Strange. Haman. ¹⁴ Said Zeresh his wife and all his friends..Let a gallows be made of fifty cubits high..that Mordecai may be hanged thereon: then go thou in merrily with the king unto the banquet. ¹⁵ And the thing pleased Haman.—*ESTHER*, ch. 5.

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1142. — Dying. *David's.* ¹⁸ On the seventh day . . . the child died. And the servants of David feared to tell him . . . for they said, Behold, while the child was yet alive, we spake unto him, and he would not hearken unto our voice : how will he then vex himself.—2 SAM., ch. 12.

1143. — — Shunammite's. ²⁰ He sat on her knees till noon, and then died. ²¹ And she . . . laid him on the bed of the man of God, and shut the door upon him, and went out.—2 KINGS, ch. 4. [See No. 1158.]

1144. — A dutiful. *Jesus.* ⁵¹ He went down with them [his parents], and came to Nazareth, and was subject unto them.—LUKE, ch. 2.

1145. — A guarded. *Moses.* ³ She took for him an ark of bulrushes . . . and put the child therein ; and she laid it in the flags by the river's brink. ⁴ And his sister stood afar off, to wit what would be done to him.—EX., ch. 2.

1146. — A holy. *John Baptist.* [The angel said to Zacharias,] ¹⁴ Thy wife Elisabeth shall bear thee a son . . . ¹⁵ . . . and he shall be filled with the Holy Ghost, even from his mother's womb. ¹⁶ And many of the children of Israel shall he turn to the Lord.—LUKE, ch. 1. [See No. 1153.]

1147. — in Heaven. *A. David's.* ²³ But now he is dead, wherefore should I fast ? can I bring him back again ? I shall go to him, but he shall not return to me.—2 SAM., ch. 12. [See No. 1142.]

1148. — Help from a. *Boy.* ²⁶ Samson said unto the lad that held him by the hand, Suffer me that I may feel the pillars whereupon the

house standeth, that I may lean upon them.—JUDGES, ch. 16. [He pulled the house down.]

1149. — heard in Heaven. *A. Ishmael.* [Hagar] ¹⁶ went, and sat her down a good way off . . . for she said, Let me not see the death of the child. And she . . . lifted up her voice, and wept. ¹⁷ And God heard the voice of the lad.—GEN., ch. 21.

1150. — brings Joy. *A. John.* ⁵¹ Elisabeth's full time came . . . and she brought forth a son. ⁵² And her neighbours and her cousins . . . rejoiced with her.—LUKE, ch. 1.

1151. — A lost. *Jesus.* ⁴³ When he was twelve years old . . . ⁴³ . . . the child Jesus tarried behind in Jerusalem ; and Joseph and his mother . . . ⁴⁴ . . . supposing him to have been in the company, went a day's journey ; and they sought him among their kinsfolk and acquaintance. ⁴⁵ . . . they turned back again to Jerusalem, seeking him.—LUKE, ch. 2.

1152. — Ministry of a. *Samuel.* ¹⁸ Samuel ministered before the Lord, being a child, girded with a linen ephod.—1 SAM., ch. 2.

1153. — born in Old Age. *John.* ¹ They both were now well stricken in years . . . ¹² But the angel said . . . Fear not, Zacharias : for thy prayer is heard ; and thy wife Elisabeth shall bear thee a son.—LUKE, ch. 1.

1154. — early Piety of a. *Josiah.* ³ In the eighth year of his reign, while he was yet young, he began to seek after the God of David . . . and in the twelfth year he began to purge Judah and Jerusalem from the high places, and the groves, and the . . . images.—2 CHRON., ch. 34.

1155. — resuscitated. *Widow's.* ²¹ He stretched himself upon the child three times . . . and said, O Lord . . . let this child's soul come into him again. ²² And the Lord heard . . . Elijah ; and the soul of the child came into him again.—1 KINGS, ch. 17.

1156. — religious. *Obadiah.* [He said to Elijah,] ¹² I thy servant fear the Lord from my youth. ¹³ . . . when Jezebel slew the prophets of the Lord . . . I hid a hundred men . . . by fifty in a cave, and fed them with bread and water.—1 KINGS, ch. 18.

1157. — A sick. *Shunammite's.* ¹⁸ When the child was grown, it . . . went out to his father to the reapers. ¹⁹ And he said unto his father, My head, my head ! And he said to a lad, Carry him to his mother.—2 KINGS, ch. 4. [See No. 1143.]

1158. — A stolen. *Harlot's.* [Said to Solomon,] ¹⁹ This woman's child died in the night ; because she overlaid it. ²⁰ And she arose at midnight, and took my son from beside me, while thine handmaid slept . . . and laid her dead child in my bosom.—1 KINGS, ch. 3.

1159. — Sayings of a. *Jesus.* ⁴⁹ He said unto them, How is it that ye sought me ? wist ye not that I must be about my Father's business ? ⁵¹ . . . his mother kept all these sayings in her heart.—LUKE, ch. 2.

1160. — A thoughtful. *Captive Maid.* ³ She waited on Naaman's wife. ³ And she said unto her mistress, Would God my lord were with the prophet that is in Samaria ! for he would recover him of his leprosy.—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

1161. — An unfortunate. *Invalid.* ¹⁷ Mos-

ter, I have brought unto thee my son, which hath a dumb spirit; ¹³ He teareth him; and he foameth, and gnasheth with his teeth, and pineth away.—**MARK**, ch. 9.

1162. — **A wonderful. John.** [Zacharias's tongue was loosed after the circumcision of his son John.] ⁴⁶ All they that heard [his sayings], laid them up in their hearts, saying, What manner of child shall this be! And the hand of the Lord was with him.—**LUKE**, ch. 1.

1163. — **A wise. Jesus.** ⁴⁶ After three days they found him in the temple, sitting in the midst of the doctors, both hearing them, and asking them questions. ⁴⁷ And all that heard him were astonished at his understanding and answers.—**LUKE**, ch. 2. [See No. 1151.]

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1164. CHILDREN instructed by Age. Joel. ² Hear this, ye old men... Hath this been in your days, or even in the days of your fathers? ³ Tell ye your children of it, and let your children tell their children, and their children another generation.—**JOEL**, ch. 1.

1165. — **abandoned. Israelites.** ¹⁸ Another king arose, which knew not Joseph. ¹⁹ The same dealt subtilly... and evil entreated our fathers, so that they cast out their young children, to the end they might not live.—**ACTS**, ch. 7.

1166. — **Blessing, Many. Arrows.** ⁴ As arrows are in the hand of a mighty man; so are children of the youth. ⁵ Happy is the man that hath his quiver full of them: they shall not be ashamed, but they shall speak with the enemies in the gate.—**PS.** 127.

1167. — **Bereft of. Ephraim.** ²¹ Zabad... Shuthelah... Ezer, and Elead... the men of Gath... slew, because they came down to take away their cattle. ²² And Ephraim their father mourned many days, and his brethren came to comfort him.—**1 CHRON.**, ch. 7.

1168. — **Christian, Care of. Lambs.** ¹⁵ Simon, son of Jonas, lovest thou me more than these? He saith unto him, Yea, Lord; thou knowest that I love thee. He saith unto him, Feed my lambs.—**JOHN**, ch. 21.

1169. — **controlled. Abraham's.** ¹⁹ I know him, that he will command his children and his household after him, and they shall keep the way of the Lord, to do justice and judgment.—**GEN.**, ch. 18.

1170. — **of Christians Remembered. Ishmael.** ¹² Of the son of the bondwoman will I make a nation, because he is thy seed. ¹⁴ And Abraham... took bread, and a bottle of water, and gave it unto Hagar, putting it on her shoulder, and the child, and sent her away.—**GEN.**, ch. 21.

1171. — **Chastisement of. Solomon.** ²⁴ He that spareth his rod hateth his son: but he that loveth him chasteneth him betimes.—**PROV.**, ch. 13. ¹⁹ Chasten thy son while there is hope, and let not thy soul spare for his crying.—**PROV.**, ch. 19.

1172. — **Correction of. Proverb.** ¹⁵ Foolishness is bound in the heart of a child; but the rod of correction shall drive it far from him.—**PROV.**, ch. 22.

1173. — **Tender Care for. Little.** ⁵ Whoso shall receive one such little child in my name receiveth me. ⁶ But whoso shall offend one of these little ones which believe in me, it were better for him that a millstone were hanged about his neck, and that he were drowned in the depth of the sea.—**MAT.**, ch. 18.

1174. — **Degenerate. Eli's.** ¹⁹ The sons of Eli were sons of Belial; they knew not the Lord. ¹⁷ Wherefore the sin of the young men was very great before the Lord: for men abhorred the offering of the Lord.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 2.

1175. — **Docility of. Solomon.** ⁸ My son, hear the instruction of thy father, and forsake not the law of thy mother: ⁹ For they shall be an ornament of grace unto thy head, and chains about thy neck.—**PROV.**, ch. 1.

1176. — **Diverse Characters of. Jacob—Esau.** ²¹ The boys grew... Esau was a cunning hunter, a man of the field; and Jacob was a plain man, dwelling in tents.—**GEN.**, ch. 25.

1177. — **Sudden Death of. Job's.** ¹⁶ Thy sons and thy daughters were eating and drinking wine in their eldest brother's house: ¹⁹... a great wind... smote the four corners of the house, and it fell upon the young men, and they are dead.—**JOB**, ch. 1.

1178. — **dedicated. Command.** ¹⁹ Thou shalt set apart unto the Lord all that openeth the matrix; ¹⁸... and all the firstborn of man among thy children shalt thou redeem.—**EX.**, ch. 13.

1179. — **Divine. Christians.** ² Beloved, now are we the sons of God, and it doth not yet appear what we shall be: but we know that, when he shall appear, we shall be like him.—**1 JOHN**, ch. 3.

1180. — **improperly educated. Jews'.** ²² Jews... had married wives of Ashdod, of Ammon, and of Moab: ²⁴ And their children spake half in the speech of Ashdod, and could not speak in the Jews' language.—**NEH.**, ch. 13.

1181. — **Gentleness with. Parental.** ⁴ Ye fathers, provoke not your children to wrath: but bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord.—**EPH.**, ch. 6.

1182. — **of the Good. Timothy.** ⁵ When I call to remembrance the unfeigned faith that is in thee, which dwelt first in thy grandmother Lois, and thy mother Eunice.—**2 TIM.**, ch. 1.

1183. — **Gifts to. Abraham.** ⁶ Abraham gave all that he had unto Isaac. ⁶ But unto the sons of the concubines... Abraham gave gifts, and sent them away from Isaac his son.—**GEN.**, ch. 25.

1184. — **given by God. Gift.** ³ Lo, children are a heritage of the Lord: and the fruit of the womb is his reward.—**PS.** 127.

1185. — **to be imitated. Simplicity.** ⁹ Jesus called a little child unto him... ³ And said... Except ye be converted, and become as little children, ye shall not enter into the kingdom of heaven.—**MAT.**, ch. 18.

1186. — **inherit Evil. Parental.** ⁵ I... am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate me.—**EX.**, ch. 20.

1187. — **imitate Parents. Abijah.** ³ He walked in all the sins of his father, which he had done before him.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 15.

1188. — — *Impious.* ¹⁷ In the cities of Judah and in the streets of Jerusalem? ¹⁸ The children gather wood, and the fathers kindle the fire, and the women knead *their* dough, to make cakes to the queen of heaven, and to pour out drink offerings unto other gods.—*JER.*, ch. 7.

1189. — *Model. Captives.* [Nebuchadnezzar ordered the selection of] ⁴ Children in whom *was* no blemish, but well favoured, and skilful in all wisdom, and cunning in knowledge, and understanding science, and such as *had* ability in them to stand in the king's palace, and whom they might teach the learning and the tongue of the Chaldeans.—*DAN.*, ch. 1.

1190. — *murdered. Ahab's.* [See No. 1196.]

1191. — *Mourning for. Job.* ² O that I were as in months past, as in the days when God preserved me; ³ When his candle shined upon my head. . . ⁵ When the Almighty *was* yet with me, when my children *were* about me.—*JOB.*, ch. 29.

1192. — *neglected. Proverb.* ¹⁵ The rod and reproof give wisdom: but a child left to *himself* bringeth his mother to shame.—*PROV.*, ch. 29.

1193. — *born in Old Age. Patriarch's.* ¹⁶ Abram *was* fourscore and six years old, when Hagar bare Ishmael.—*GEN.*, ch. 16. ⁵ And Abraham *was* a hundred years old, when his son Isaac *was* born.—*GEN.*, ch. 21.

1194. — *Parents to teach. Law.* ⁹ Take heed to thyself. . . lest thou forget the things which thine eyes have seen, and lest they depart from thy heart all the days of thy life; but teach them thy sons, and thy sons' sons.—*DEUT.*, ch. 4.

1195. — — *Law.* ⁶ And these words, which I command thee this day. . . ⁷ thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up.—*DEUT.*, ch. 6.

1196. — *Parents' Sins on. Ahab.* ³⁰ Ahab said to Elijah, Hast thou found me, O mine enemy? And he answered, I have found thee: because thou hast sold thyself to work evil. . . ³¹ Behold, I will bring evil upon thee, and will take away thy posterity.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 21. [All were slain.]

1197. — *Parents involving. Jews.* ²⁶ Then answered all the people. . . His blood be on us, and on our children. ²⁸ Then released he Barabbas. . . and. . . scourged Jesus.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

1198. — *irresponsible for Parents. Amaziah.* ⁵ He slew his servants which had slain the king his father. ⁶ But the children of the murderers he slew not: according unto. . . the law of Moses. . . The fathers shall not be put to death for the children, nor the children be put to death for the fathers.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 14.

1199. — *Pride in numerous. Haman.* ¹⁰ He sent and called for his friends, and Zeresh his wife. ¹¹ And Haman told them of the glory of his riches, and the multitude of his children.—*ESTHER*, ch. 5.

1200. — *praising Jesus. Hosanna.* ¹⁴ The blind and the lame came to him in the temple; and he healed them. ¹⁵ And when the chief

priests and scribes saw. . . the children crying. . . Hosanna to the Son of David; they were sore displeased.—*MAT.*, ch. 21.

1201. — *The Promise to. Pentecost.* ²⁸ Peter said. . . Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost. ²⁹ For the promise is unto you, and to your children.—*ACTS*, ch. 2.

1202. — *Privileges of. Heirs.* ¹⁶ Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God: ¹⁷ And if children, then heirs; heirs of God, and joint heirs with Christ.—*ROM.*, ch. 8.

1203. — *Religious. Prophecy.* ² I will pour my Spirit upon thy seed, and my blessing upon thine offspring. . . ⁶ One shall say, I am the Lord's; and another shall call *himself* by the name of Jacob.—*ISA.*, ch. 44.

1204. — *resemble Parents. Jews.* ²⁰ If we had been in the days of our fathers, we would not have been partakers with them in the blood of the prophets. ²¹ Wherefore ye be witnesses unto yourselves, that ye are the children of them which killed the prophets.—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

1205. — *saved by the Rod. Solomon.* ¹³ Withhold not correction from the child: for if thou beatest him with the rod, he shall not die. ¹⁴ Thou shalt beat him with the rod, and shalt deliver his soul from hell.—*PROV.*, ch. 23.

1206. — *rejoicing with Parents. Walls.* [At the dedication of the walls,] ⁴³ They offered great sacrifices, and rejoiced. . . with great joy: the wives also and the children rejoiced: so that the joy of Jerusalem was heard even afar off.—*NEH.*, ch. 12.

1207. — *Relation of. Heavenly.* ¹⁴ Jesus. . . said. . . Suffer the little children to come unto me, and forbid them not; for of such is the kingdom of God.—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

1208. — *Jesus receives. Infants.* ¹⁵ Brought unto him also infants, that he would touch them: but. . . his disciples. . . rebuked them. ¹⁶ But Jesus called them unto him.—*LUKE*, ch. 18.

1209. — *Second Family of. Job.* ¹⁹ The Lord blessed the latter end of Job more than his beginning: for he had fourteen thousand sheep, and six thousand camels, and a thousand yoke of oxen, and a thousand she asses. ¹⁸ He had also seven sons and three daughters.—*JOB.*, ch. 42.

1210. — *Parents to train. Proverb.* ⁶ Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it.—*PROV.*, ch. 22.

1211. — *sacrificed. King Ahab's.* ³ Made also molten images for Baalim. ² Moreover he burnt incense in the valley of the son of Hinnom, and burnt his children in the fire, after the abominations of the heathen.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 28.

1212. — *stolen. Of Shiloh.* ²¹ Behold, if the daughters of Shiloh come out to dance. . . then come ye out of the vineyards, and catch you every man his wife. . . and go to the land of Benjamin.—*JUDGES*, ch. 21.

1213. — *Seventy. Ahab's.* ¹ Ahab had seventy sons in Samaria. . . ⁶ Were with the great men of the city, which brought them up.

when the letter came. they took the king's sons, and slew. . . put their heads in baskets, and sent him *them*.—2 KINGS, ch. 10.

1214. — of Satan. *Liars*. "Ye are of your father the devil, and the lusts of your father ye will do: he was a murderer from the beginning, and abode not in the truth.—JOHN, ch. 8.

1215. — Uncontrolled. *Eli's*. "I will perform against Eli all *things* which I have spoken. . . "For. . . I will judge his house for ever for the iniquity which he knoweth; because his sons made themselves vile, and he restrained them not.—1 SAM., ch. 3. [See No. 1174.]

1216. — Unhappiness without. *Hannah*. "Said Elkanah her husband to her, Hannah, why weepest thou? and why eatest thou not? and why is thy heart grieved? am not I better to thee than ten sons?—1 SAM., ch. 1.

1217. — of wicked Parents. *Irreligious*. "The sons of Athaliah, that wicked woman, had broken up the house of God; and also all the dedicated things of the house of the Lord did they bestow upon Baalim.—2 CHRON., ch. 24.

1218. CHILDHOOD dedicated. *Samuel*. "Hannah. . . said, unto her husband, *I will not go up until the child be weaned, and then I will bring him, that he may appear before the Lord, and there abide for ever.*—1 SAM., ch. 1.

1219. — Impressions of. *Moses*. "By faith Moses. . . refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter; "Choosing rather to suffer affliction with the people of God, than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season.—HEB., ch. 11.

1220. — A pious. *Josiah*. "Josiah was eight years old when he began to reign. "And he did *that which was right* in the sight of the Lord. . . and turned not aside to the right hand or to the left.—2 KINGS, ch. 22.

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1222. CHOICE, The better. *Mary*. "Jesus. . . said unto her, Martha, Martha, thou art careful and troubled about many things: "But one thing is needful; and Mary hath chosen that good part, which shall not be taken away from her.—LUKE, ch. 10.

1223. — The decisive. *Joshua*, [shortly before his death, said,] "If it seem evil unto you to serve the Lord, choose you this day whom ye will serve; whether the gods which your fathers served. . . or the gods of the Amorites. . . but as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord.—JOSH., ch. 24.

1224. — The desperate. *Esther*. "Gather together all the Jews. . . and neither eat nor drink three days, night or day: I also and my maidens will fast likewise; and so will I go in unto the king, which is not according to the law: and if I perish, I perish.—ESTHER, ch. 4.

1225. — A difficult. *David*. "Gad came to David. . . and said. . . Shall seven years of famine come. . . or wilt thou flee three months before thine enemies. . . or that there be three days' pestilence in thy land? "And David said unto Gad, I am in a great strait.—2 SAM., ch. 24.

1226. — A dangerous. *Sodom*. "Lot. . . beheld all the plain of Jordan, that it was well watered every where. . . even as the garden of the Lord. "Then Lot chose him all the plain of Jordan. . . Lot dwelt in the cities of the plain, and pitched his tent toward Sodom.—GEN., ch. 13. [His wife became corrupted, his daughters shameless, himself impoverished in old age.]

1227. — of the Fruitful. *Aaron's Rod*. "Moses laid up the rods before the Lord in the tabernacle. . . "And. . . on the morrow. . . behold, the rod of Aaron. . . was budded, and brought

forth buds, and bloomed blossoms, and yield almonds.—NUM., ch. 17.

1228. — *The foolish. Broken Cisterns.* ¹²My people have committed two evils; they have forsaken me the fountain of living waters, and hewed them out cisterns, broken cisterns, that can hold no water.—JER., ch. 2.

1229. — *by the Heart. The Lord's.* ⁶He looked on Eliab, and said, Surely the Lord's anointed is before him. ⁷But the Lord said unto Samuel, Look not on his countenance, or on the height of his stature; because I have refused him: for the Lord seeth not as man seeth; for man looketh on the outward appearance, but the Lord looketh on the heart.—1 SAM., ch. 16.

1230. — *of Life or Death. Serpent.* ⁸The Lord said unto Moses, Make thee a fiery serpent, and set it upon a pole; and . . . every one that is bitten, when he looketh upon it, shall live.—NUM., ch. 21.

1231. — *of Murderers. Barabbas.* ¹⁸They cried out all at once, saying, Away with this man, and release unto us Barabbas: ¹⁹Who, for murder, was cast into prison.—LUKE, ch. 23.

1232. — *The neglected. Loss.* ¹⁸O that thou hadst hearkened to my commandments! then had thy peace been as a river, and thy righteousness as the waves of the sea: ¹⁹Thy seed also had been as the sand.—ISA., ch. 48.

1233. — *A pious. Moses.* ²⁴Moses . . . refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter; ²⁵Choosing rather to suffer affliction with the people of God, than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season; ²⁶Esteeming the reproach of Christ greater riches than the treasures in Egypt.—HEB., ch. 11.

1234. — *of Piety. A Treasure.* ¹⁶How much better is it to get wisdom than gold! and to get understanding rather to be chosen than silver!—PROV., ch. 16.

1235. — *A rebellious. Idolaters.* ¹⁷We will certainly do whatsoever thing goeth forth out of our own mouth, to burn incense unto the queen of heaven, and to pour out drink offerings unto her, as we have done, in the streets of Jerusalem: for then had we plenty of victuals, and were well, and saw no evil.—JER., ch. 44.

1236. — *Responsibility of. Aged Moses.* ²⁶Behold, I set before you this day a blessing and a curse; ²⁷A blessing, if ye obey the commandments of the Lord. . . ²⁸And a curse, if ye will not obey the commandments of the Lord.—DEUT., ch. 11.

1237. — *Results of. Religious.* ⁴⁷Because thou servedst not the Lord thy God with joyfulness, and with gladness of heart, for the abundance of all things; ⁴⁸Therefore shalt thou serve thine enemies, in hunger, and in thirst, and in nakedness, and in want of all things: and he shall put a yoke of iron upon thy neck, until he have destroyed thee.—DEUT., ch. 28.

1238. — *Saints are God's. Israelites.* ⁷I will take you to me for a people, and I will be to you a God: and ye shall know that I am the Lord, which bringeth you out from under the burdens of the Egyptians, ⁸. . . unto the land.—EX., ch. 6.

1239. — *Unexpected. David.* ¹⁰Jesse made seven of his sons to pass before Samuel.

And Samuel said, The Lord hath not chosen these. ¹¹. . . Are here all thy children? And he said, There remaineth yet the youngest. . . he keepeth the sheep.—1 SAM., ch. 16.

1240. — *A worldly. Young Ruler.* ²¹Go and sell that thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven: and come and follow me. ²². . . he went away sorrowful: for he had great possessions.—MAT., ch. 19.

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1241. CHRIST, Advent of. Bethlehem. [Mary] ¹brought forth her firstborn son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.—LUKE, ch. 2.

1242. — *Second Advent of. Clouds.* ³⁰They shall see the Son of man coming in the clouds of heaven with power and great glory. ³¹And he shall send his angels with a great sound of a trumpet, and they shall gather together his elect.—MAT., ch. 24.

1243. — *Appearings of. Three.* ²⁶Now once in the end of the world hath he appeared to put away sin by the sacrifice of himself. ²⁴[He has entered] heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God for us: ²⁵. . . and unto them that look for him shall he appear the second time without sin unto salvation.—HEB., ch. 9.

1244. — *Access through. Speareth.* ²⁴[Christians are come] to Jesus the mediator of the new covenant, and to the blood of sprinkling, that speaketh better things than that of Abel.—HEB., ch. 12.

1245. — *Prior Claims of. Dead.* ²¹Another of his disciples said, Lord, suffer me first to go and bury my father. ²²But Jesus said, Follow me; and let the dead bury their dead.—MAT., ch. 8.

1246. — *Claims the First. Firstborn.* ¹²Thou shalt set apart unto the Lord all that openeth the matrix, and every firstling that cometh of a beast which thou hast.—EX., ch. 13.

1247. — *The Corner Stone. Paul.* ²⁰Ye are built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief corner stone; ²¹In whom all the building fitly framed together groweth unto a holy temple in the Lord: ²²In whom ye also are builded together for a habitation of God through the Spirit.—EPA., ch. 2.

1248. — *Entrance by. Door.* ⁹I am the door: by me if any man enter in, he shall be saved, and shall go in and out, and find pasture.—JOHN, ch. 10.

1249. — *Our Example. Of Affection.* "Jesus loved Martha, Mary, and Lazarus." John 11:5.—*Of Affliction*, "Judas sought to betray him." Luke 22:6.—*Of Anger (just)*, "with anger, for the hardness of their hearts," Mark 3:5.—*Of dutiful Childhood*, "was subject unto them." Luke 2:51.—*Of comforting Others*, John 14.—*Of Compassion*, "weep not" (widow of Nain), Luke 7:13.—*Of spiritual Depression*, "why hast thou forsaken me." Mat. 27:46.—*Of Diligence*, "going about . . . teaching . . . preaching . . . healing." Mat. 4:23.—*Of Disinterestedness*, "pleased not himself." Rom. 15:3.—*Of having*

some Employment, "a carpenter." Mark 6:3.—*Of Fasting*, "forty days." Mat. 4:2.—*Of filial Affection*, "behold thy son." John 19:26.—*Of Forgiveness of Injuries*, "father, forgive them." Luke 23:34.—*Of Growth in Grace*, "increased in favour with God." Luke 2:52.—*Of Grief*, "exceeding sorrowful." Mark 14:34.—*Of Humility*, "made himself of no reputation." Phil. 2:7.—*Of Holiness*, "which of you convinceth me of sin?" John 8:46.—*Of Liberality* (in opinion), "forbid him not." Mark 9:39.—*Of Love to God*, "I love the Father." John 14:31.—*Of Meekness*, "when he was reviled, reviled not." 1 Peter 2:23.—*Of Patience*, "endured such contradiction." Heb. 12:3.—*Of Persecution*, "they took up stones to cast at him." John 8:59.—*Of Philanthropy*, "going about doing good." Acts 10:38.—*Of earnest Praying*, "offered up prayer . . . with strong crying and tears." Heb. 5:7.—*Of persistent Praying*, "all night in prayer." Luke 6:12.—*Of Prudence*, "render unto Cesar," etc. Mat. 22:21.—*Of Respect to the State*, "lest we offend . . . give unto them." Mat. 17:27.—*Of Spiritual Perplexity*, "now is my soul troubled." John 12:27.—*Of Self-denial*, "not to be ministered unto, but to minister." Mat. 20:28.—*Of Sympathy*, "Jesus wept" at Lazarus's grave. John 11:35.—*Of Teachableness*, "hearing the doctors." Luke 2:46.—*Of Temptation*, "to be tempted." Mat. 4:1.—*Of Thanksgiving*, "I thank thee, O Father." Mat. 11:25.—*Of Fidelity to Truth*, "born . . . to bare witness to the truth." John 18:37.

1250. — *The Foundation.* Paul. ¹¹Other foundation can no man lay than that is laid, which is Jesus Christ.—1 Cor., ch. 3.

1251. — *Manifestation of Indwelling.* ¹²Judas saith . . . not Iscariot, Lord, how is it that thou wilt manifest thyself unto us, and not unto the world? ¹³Jesus answered . . . If a man love me . . . my Father will love him, and we will come unto him, and make our abode with him.—JOHN, ch. 14.

1252. — *misunderstood. Crucifixion.* ⁴⁶About the ninth hour Jesus cried with a loud voice, saying, Eli, Eli, lama sabachthani? . . . ⁴⁷Some . . . when they heard that, said, This man calleth for Elias.—MAT., ch. 27.

1253. — *Nourishment from Paschal Lamb.* ⁴⁸They shall eat the flesh in that night, roast with fire, and unleavened bread; and with bitter herbs.—EX., ch. 12.

1254. — *Diverse Opinions of.* *At Jerusalem.* ¹²There was much murmuring among the people concerning him: for some said, He is a good man: others said, Nay; but he deceiveth the people.—JOHN, ch. 7.

1255. — *personated. The Weak.* ¹³When ye sin so against the brethren, and wound their weak conscience, ye sin against Christ. ¹⁴Wherefore, if meat make my brother to offend, I will eat no flesh while the world standeth.—1 Cor., ch. 8.

1256. — *Representatives of Christians.* ¹⁵Or when saw we thee sick, or in prison, and came unto thee? ¹⁶And the King shall answer . . . Verily I say unto you, Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me.—MAT., ch. 25.

1257. — *Receiving. Diverse Methods.* ¹⁷Martha received him into her house. ¹⁸. . . Mary

. . . sat at Jesus's feet, and heard his word. ¹⁹But Martha was cumbered about much serving.—LUKE, ch. 10.

1258. — *a Refiner. Fire.* ²⁰Who may abide the day of his coming? and who shall stand when he appeareth? for he is like a refiner's fire, and like fullers' soap: ²¹And he shall sit as a refiner . . . of silver.—MAL., ch. 3.

1259. — *Rejection of. Parable.* ²²When the husbandmen saw the son, they said among themselves, This is the heir; come, let us kill him, and let us seize on his inheritance.—MAT., ch. 21.

1260. — *our Substitute. Atonement.* ²³Surely he hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows. . . ²⁴. . . he was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities: the chastisement of our peace was upon him; and with his stripes we are healed.—ISA., ch. 53.

1261. — *a Stumblingblock. Paul.* ²⁵We preach Christ crucified, unto the Jews a stumblingblock, and unto the Greeks foolishness; ²⁶But unto them which are called . . . Christ the power of God, and the wisdom of God.—1 Cor., ch. 1.

1262. — *Slandered with. The Slandered.* ²⁷The disciple is not above his master, nor the servant above his lord. ²⁸. . . If they have called the master of the house Beelzebub, how much more shall they call them of his household.—MAT., ch. 10.

1263. — *Triumph of. Stone.* ²⁹Jesus saith . . . Did ye never read . . . the stone which the builders rejected, the same is become the head of the corner. . . ³⁰And whosoever shall fall on this stone shall be broken: but on whomsoever it shall fall, it will grind him to powder.—MAT., ch. 21.

1264. — *Voice of. Disciples.* ³¹He that heareth you heareth me; and he that despiseth you despiseth me; and he that despiseth me despiseth him that sent me.—LUKE, ch. 10.

1265. — *the Way. To Nathanael.* ³²Hereafter ye shall see heaven open, and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of man.—JOHN, ch. 1.

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1266. CHRIST, False. *Jesus said,* ³³There shall arise false Christs, and false prophets, and shall shew great signs and wonders; inasmuch that, if it were possible, they shall deceive the very elect.—MAT., ch. 24.

1267. CHRISTIAN, Almost a. Agrippa. ³⁴King Agrippa, believest thou the prophets? I know that thou believest. ³⁵Then Agrippa said unto Paul, Almost thou persuadest me to be a Christian.—ACTS, ch. 26.

1268. — *Epistles. Heart.* ²Ye are our epistle written in our hearts, known and read of all men: ³. . . *Ye are.* the epistle of Christ ministered by us, written not with ink, but with the Spirit of the living God; not in tables of stone, but in fleshy tables of the heart.—2 Cor., ch. 3.

1269. — *The exemplary. Bishop.* ¹A bishop must be blameless, as the steward of God; not selfwilled, not soon angry, not given to wine, no striker, not given to filthy lucre; ² But a lover of hospitality, a lover of good men, sober, just, holy, temperate.—Titus, ch. 1.

1270. *CHRISTIANS, Care for. Sheep.* ¹⁵I lay down my life for the sheep. ²⁸ And I give unto them eternal life; and they shall never perish, neither shall any man pluck them out of my hand.—JOHN, ch. 10.

1271. — *Childlike. Child.* ¹⁶ Jesus called them unto him, and said, Suffer little children to come unto me. . . for of such is the kingdom of God. ¹⁷. . . Whosoever shall not receive the kingdom of God as a little child shall in no wise enter therein.—LUKE, ch. 18.

1272. — *Carnal. Corinthians.* ³ Whereas there is among you envying, and strife, and divisions, are ye not carnal, and walk as men? ⁴ For while one saith, I am of Paul; and another, I am of Apollos; are ye not carnal?—1 Cor., ch. 3.

1273. — *True Greatness of. The Least.* [Jesus said,] ²⁸ Among those that are born of women there is not a greater prophet than John the Baptist: but he that is least in the kingdom of God is greater than he.—LUKE, ch. 7.

1274. — *Homeward bound. Prophecy.* ¹⁰ The ransomed of the Lord shall return, and come to Zion with songs and everlasting joy upon their heads: they shall obtain joy and gladness, and sorrow and sighing shall flee away.—ISA., ch. 35.

1275. — *First named. At Antioch.* [Paul and Barnabas for] ²⁶. . . a whole year they assembled themselves with the church, and taught much people. And the disciples were called Christians first in Antioch.—ACTS, ch. 11.

1276. — *saved from Sin. Delivered.* ⁸ He that committeth sin is of the devil; for the devil sinneth from the beginning. For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that he might destroy the works of the devil.—1 JOHN, ch. 3.

1277. — *Visible. Light.* ¹⁴ Ye are the light of the world. A city that is set on a hill cannot be hid. ¹⁵ Neither do men light a candle, and put it under a bushel, but on a candlestick; and it giveth light unto all that are in the house.—MAT., ch. 5.

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1278. *CHRISTIANITY conserves. Salt.* ¹³ Ye are the salt of the earth: but if the salt have lost his savour, wherewith shall it be salted? it is thenceforth good for nothing, but. . . to be trodden under foot of men.—MAT., ch. 5.

1279. — *a Revolution. Thessalonians.* ⁶ When they found them not, they drew Jason and certain brethren unto the rulers of the city, crying, These that have turned the world upside down are come hither also.—ACTS, ch. 17.

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1280. *CHURCH, Admission to the. Eunuch.* ²⁶ The eunuch said, See, here is water: what doth hinder me to be baptized? ²⁷ And Philip said, If thou believest with all thine heart, thou mayest. And he answered. I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God.—ACTS, ch. 8.

1281. — *An abhorred. Eli's Sons.* ¹³ The

priest's servant came . . . with a fleshhook of three teeth in his hand ; ¹⁴ And he struck it into the pan, or kettle . . . all that the fleshhook brought up the priest took for himself. ¹⁵ . . . give it me now : and if not, I will take it by force. ¹⁶ . . . the sin of the young men was very great . . . for men abhorred the offering of the Lord.—1 SAM., ch. 2.

1282. — A backlidden. Deceived. ²⁰ A wonderful and horrible thing is committed in the land ; ²¹ The prophets prophesy falsely, and the priests bear rule by their means ; and my people love to have it so : and what will ye do in the end thereof?—JER., ch. 5.

1283. — Commission of the. Ascension. ¹⁹ Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost : ²⁰ Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you.—MAT., ch. 28.

1284. — Contributors for the. Jews. ¹⁰ Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be meat in mine house, and prove me now herewith, saith the Lord of hosts, if I will not open you the windows of heaven, and pour you out a blessing, that there shall not be room enough to receive it.—MAT., ch. 3.

1285. — Corrupted, The. Apostolic. ⁵ Why was not this ointment sold for three hundred pence, and given to the poor ? ⁶ This he said, not that he cared for the poor ; but because he was a thief, and had the bag.—JOHN, ch. 12.

1286. — — Tares. ²⁴ The kingdom of heaven is likened unto a man which sowed good seed in his field : ²⁵ But while men slept, his enemy came and sowed tares among the wheat, and went his way.—MAT., ch. 13.

1287. — Divisions in the. Corinthian. ¹ Whereas there is among you envying, and strife, and divisions, are ye not carnal, and walk as men ? ⁴ For while one saith, I am of Paul ; and another, I am of Apollos ; are ye not carnal?—1 COR., ch. 3.

1288. — without Divisions. Jerusalem. ²² Them them believed were of one heart and of one soul : neither said any of them that aught of the things which he possessed was his own : but they had all things common. ²³ And with great power gave the apostles witness.—ACTS, ch. 4.

1289. — An expensive. Tabernacle. ²⁴ All the gold that was . . . in all the work of the holy place . . . was twenty and nine talents, and seven hundred and thirty shekels . . . ²⁵ And the silver . . . was a hundred talents, and a thousand seven hundred and threescore and fifteen shekels . . . ²⁶ And the brass of the offering was seventy talents, and two thousand and four hundred shekels.—EX., ch. 38. [The entire cost was nearly one million dollars.]

1290. — Needless Fears of the. Saul. ²⁶ When Saul was come to Jerusalem, he assayed to join himself to the disciples : but they were all afraid of him, and believed not that he was a disciple.—ACTS, ch. 9.

1291. — Fellowship of the. Invisible. ²⁹ Ye are come . . . to an innumerable company of angels. ³⁰ To the general assembly and church of the firstborn, which are written in heaven,

and to God the Judge of all, and to the spirits of just men made perfect.—HEB., ch. 12.

1292. — Gentleness with the. Shepherd. ¹¹ He shall feed his flock like a shepherd : he shall gather the lambs with his arm, and carry them in his bosom, and shall gently lead those that are with young.—ISA., ch. 40.

1293. — The ideal. Christ's. ²⁵ Christ . . . loved the church, and gave himself for it ; ²⁶ That he might sanctify and cleanse it . . . ²⁷ That he might present it to himself a glorious church, not having spot, or wrinkle, or any such thing ; but that it should be holy and without blemish.—EPH., ch. 5.

1294. — Iniquities in the. Jews. ²⁸ Among my people are found wicked men : they lay wait, as he that setteth snares ; they set a trap, they catch men. ²⁹ They are waxen fat, they shine : yea, they overpass the deeds of the wicked : they judge not . . . the cause of the fatherless, yet they prosper.—JER., ch. 5.

1295. — Invitation of the. Come. ²⁹ Moses said unto Hobab . . . Moses' father in law, We are journeying unto the place of which the Lord said, I will give it you : come thou with us, and we will do thee good : for the Lord hath spoken good concerning Israel.—NUM., ch. 10.

1296. — Love works the. Church Erection. ²¹ They came, every one whose heart stirred him up, and every one whom his spirit made willing, and they brought the Lord's offering to the work of the tabernacle.—EX., ch. 35.

1297. — A mixed. Net. ⁴¹ The kingdom of heaven is like unto a net, that was cast into the sea, and gathered of every kind : ⁴² Which, when it was full, they drew to shore, and gathered the good into vessels, but cast the bad away.—MAT., ch. 13.

1298. — Opposition in the. Diotrephes. ⁹ Diotrephes, who loveth to have the preeminence among them, receiveth us not. ¹⁰ . . . prating against us with malicious words : and not content therewith, neither doth he himself receive the brethren, and forbiddeth them that would, and casteth them out of the church.—3 JOHN.

1299. — Preservation by the. Sodom. ²² Peradventure ten shall be found there. And he said, I will not destroy it for ten's sake.—GEN., ch. 18.

1300. — A prosperous. Palestine. [Saul became a Christian.] ³¹ Then had the churches rest throughout all Judea and Galilee and Samaria, and were edified ; and walking in the fear of the Lord, and in the comfort of the Holy Ghost, were multiplied.—ACTS, ch. 9.

1301. — Reformation in the. Jesus. [Early and also late in his ministry.] ¹⁹ Jesus . . . cast out all them that sold and bought in the temple, and overthrew the tables of the money changers, and the seats of them that sold doves, ¹⁸ And said . . . It is written, My house shall be called the house of prayer ; but ye have made it a den of thieves.—MAT., ch. 21.

1302. — Support of the. Jews. ²² We made ordinances . . . to charge ourselves yearly with the third part of a shekel for the service of the house of our God ; ²³ For the shewbread . . . the continual meat offering . . . the continual burnt offering . . . sabbaths . . . new moons . . . set feasts . . . holy things, and for the sin offerings.—NUM., ch. 10.

1303. — A successful. Jerusalem. ⁴⁴ All that believed were together, and had all things common; ⁴⁵ And they, continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house. ⁴⁶ Praising God, and having favour with all the people. And the Lord added to the church daily.—*ACTS*, ch. 2.

1304. — Unity of the. A Body. ²⁶ Whether one member suffer, all the members suffer with it; or one member be honoured, all the members rejoice with it. ²⁷ Now ye are the body of Christ, and members in particular.—*1 COR.*, ch. 12.

1305. — The true. Proofs. ³⁰ John the Baptist hath sent us unto thee, saying, Art thou he that should come? or look we for another? ³¹ Then Jesus answering said, tell John what things ye have seen and heard; how that the blind see, the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised, to the poor the gospel is preached.—*LUKE*, ch. 7.

1306. — valuable to the State. Egypt. ⁴¹ In the seven plenteous years the earth brought forth by handfuls. ⁴² And Joseph gathered corn as the sand of the sea, very much, until he left numbering; for it was without number.—*GEN.*, ch. 41. [Pious Joseph revealed the future famine.]

1307. — Unity in Variety. Members. ¹² All the members of that one body, being many, are one body: so also is Christ. ¹³ For by one Spirit are we all baptized into one body, whether we be Jew or Gentiles, whether we be bond or free; and have been all made to drink into one Spirit.—*1 COR.*, ch. 12.

1308. — united in Spirit. Philippians. ²⁷ That I may hear of your affairs, that ye stand fast in one spirit, with one mind striving together for the faith of the gospel; ²⁸ And in nothing terrified by your adversaries.—*PHIL.*, ch. 1.

1309. — Women in the. At Antioch. ³⁰ The Jews stirred up the devout and honourable women, and the chief men of the city, and raised persecution against Paul and Barnabas, and expelled them out of their coasts.—*ACTS*, ch. 13.

1310. — First in Europe. [At Philippi.] ¹⁴ A certain woman named Lydia, a seller of purple, which worshipped God, heard us: whose heart the Lord opened, that she attended unto the things which were spoken of Paul.—*ACTS*, ch. 16. [Took him to her home.]

1311. — Erection, Joy in. Levites. ¹¹ They sang together by course in praising the Lord; because he is good, for his mercy endureth for ever toward Israel. And all the people shouted with a great shout, when they praised the Lord, because the foundation of the house of the Lord was laid.—*EZRA*, ch. 3.

1312. — Erection opposed. David. ⁶ The word of the Lord came to me, saying, Thou shalt not build a house unto my name, because thou hast shed much blood upon the earth in my sight. ⁷ Behold, a son shall be born to thee, who shall be a man of rest.—*1 CHRON.*, ch. 22. [Solomon his son built it.]

1313. — Erection proposed. David. ¹ When the king sat in his house, and the Lord had given him rest, from all his enemies; ² That the king said, I dwell in a house of cedar, but

the ark of God dwelleth within curtains.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 7.

1314. CHURCHES, Destruction of. Synagogues. ⁶ They break down the carved work thereof at once with axes and hammers. ⁷ They have cast fire into thy sanctuary, they have defiled by casting down the dwellingplace of thy name to the ground. ⁸ They have burned up all the synagogues of God in the land.—*PS.* 74.

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1316. CIRCUMSTANCES, Effect of. Proverb.

²² The poor useth intreaties; but the rich answereth roughly.—Prov., ch. 18.

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1317. CITIES, Dangerous Class. Thessalonica.

¹ The Jews..moved with envy, took unto them certain lewd fellows of the baser sort, and gathered a company, and set all the city on an uproar, and assaulted the house of Jason.—Acts, ch. 17.

1318. — Refuge in. Manslayers. ⁵ When a mangoeth into the wood..and his hand fetcheth a stroke with the axe to cut down the tree, and the head slippeth from the helve, and lighteth upon his neighbour, that he die; he shall flee unto one of those cities, and live.—Deut., ch. 19.

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1319. CITIZEN, Law-abiding. Paul. ¹ Let every soul be subject unto the higher powers..the powers that be are ordained of God. ⁴ For he is the minister of God to thee for good. But if thou do that which is evil, be afraid; for he beareth not the sword in vain: for he is the minister of God, a revenger to execute wrath upon him that doeth evil.—Rom., ch. 13.

1320. — of Zion, A. Christian. ¹ Lord, who shall abide in thy tabernacle? who shall dwell in thy holy hill? ² He that walketh uprightly, and worketh righteousness, and speaketh the truth in his heart. ³ He that backbiteth not with his tongue, nor doeth evil to his neighbour,

nor taketh up a reproach against his neighbour.

⁴ In whose eyes a vile person is contemned, but he honoureth them that fear the Lord. *He that sweareth to his own hurt, and changeth not.*

⁵ *He that putteth not out his money to usury, nor taketh reward against the innocent. He that doeth these things shall never be moved.*—Ps. 15.

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1321. CITY, A captured. Jerusalem. ¹ Nebuchadnezzar king of Babylon came, he, and all his host, against Jerusalem..the famine prevailed..

⁴ And the city was broken up, and all the men of war fled by night.—2 Kings, ch. 25.

1322. — A doomed. Jerusalem. [Jesus]

⁴¹ beheld the city, and wept over it..⁴² Saying, If thou hadst known..the things which belong unto thy peace! but now they are hid from thine eyes.

⁴³ For..thine enemies shall cast a trench..and keep thee in on every side, ⁴⁴ And shall lay thee even with the ground.—Luke, ch. 19.

1323. — An excited. Jerusalem. ¹⁰ When he was come into Jerusalem, all the city was moved, saying, Who is this? ¹¹ And the multitude said, This is Jesus the prophet of Nazareth.—Mat., ch. 21.

1324. — The first. Enoch. ¹⁶ Cain..dwelt in the land of Nod, on the east of Eden. ¹⁷..and he builded a city, and called the name of the city, after the name of his son, Enoch.—Gen., ch. 4.

1325. — Famine in the. Samaria. ³ There were four leprous men at the entering in of the gate: and they said..Why sit we here until we die? ⁴ If we say, We will enter into the city, then the famine is in the city, and we shall die there: and if we sit still here, we die also.—2 Kings, ch. 7.

1326. — on Fire, A. Ai. ¹⁹ The ambush arose quickly..ran as soon as he had stretched out his hand: and they entered into the city, and took it, and hasted and set the city on fire. ²⁰ And when the men of Ai looked behind them, they saw, and, behold, the smoke of the city ascended up to heaven.—Josh., ch. 8.

1327. — A fallen. Babylon. ¹⁶ Alas, alas, that great city, that was clothed in fine linen, and purple, and scarlet, and decked with gold, and precious stones, and pearls! ¹⁸..cried when they saw the smoke of her burning, saying, What city is like unto this great city!—Rev., ch. 18.

1328. — The glorious. New Jerusalem.

¹⁶ The building of the wall of it was of jasper: and the city was pure gold, like unto clear glass.

¹⁹ And the foundations of the wall of the city were garnished with all manner of precious stones. ²¹ And the twelve gates were twelve pearls.—Rev., ch. 21.

1330. — The heavenly. *New Jerusalem.* ² I John saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband.—*Rev.*, ch. 21.

1330. — An idolatrous. *Athens.* ¹⁶ While Paul waited... at Athens, his spirit was stirred in him, when he saw the city wholly given to idolatry.—*Acts*, ch. 17.

1331. — A joyful. *Samaria.* ⁵ Philip went down to the city of Samaria, and preached Christ unto them. ⁶ And the people with one accord gave heed... and many taken with palsies, and that were lame, were healed. ⁸ And there was great joy in that city.—*Acts*, ch. 8.

1332. — A mad. *Jerusalem.* ²⁷ They saw him in the temple, stirred up all the people, and laid hands on him, ²⁸ Crying out, Men of Israel, help : ³⁰ And all the city was moved, and the people ran together : and they took Paul, and drew him out... and forthwith the doors were shut. ³¹ And... they went about to kill him.—*Acts*, ch. 21.

1333. — preserved by the Church. *Sodom.* ²⁶ The Lord said, If I find in Sodom fifty righteous within the city, then I will spare all the place for their sakes.—*Gen.*, ch. 18.

1334. — moved by a Revival, A. *Antioch.* ⁴³ When the congregation was broken up, many of the Jews and religious proselytes followed Paul and Barnabas ; who... persuaded them to continue in the grace of God. ⁴⁴ And the next sabbath day came almost the whole city together to hear the word of God.—*Acts*, ch. 13.

1335. — Suburbs of the. *Lord to Moses.* ² Ye shall give also unto the Levites suburbs for the cities round about them. ³ And the cities shall they have to dwell in ; and the suburbs... for their cattle, and for their goods.—*Num.*, ch. 35.

1336. — A wasted. *Jerusalem.* ³ Why should not my countenance be sad, when the city, the place of my fathers' sepulchres, lieth waste, and the gates thereof are consumed with fire ?—*Neh.*, ch. 2.

1337. — A wicked. *Sodom.* ¹³ The men of Sodom were wicked and sinners before the Lord exceedingly.—*Gen.*, ch. 13.

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1338. CLAIMS first, God's. *Firstlings.* ¹³ Thou shalt set apart unto the Lord all that openeth the matrix, and every firstling that cometh of a beast which thou hast ; the male shall be the Lord's. ¹⁵... and all the firstborn of man among thy children shalt thou redeem.—*Ex.*, ch. 13.

1339. — first, The highest. *Jesus.* ⁵⁹ Follow me. But he said, Lord, suffer me first to go and bury my father. ⁶⁰ Jesus said... Let the dead bury their dead ; but go thou and preach the kingdom of God.—*Luke*, ch. 9.

1340. — paramount, Christ's. *Coll.* ³⁰ Go ye into the village... at your entering ye shall find

a colt tied, whereon yet never man sat : loose him, and bring him hither. ³¹ And if any man ask you, Why do ye loose him ?... say unto him, Because the Lord hath need of him.—*Luke*, ch. 19.

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1341. CLAMOR, Success by. *Pilate.* ²² He said unto them the third time, Why, what evil hath he done ? I have found no cause of death in him : I will therefore chastise him, and let him go. ²³ And they were instant with loud voices, requiring that he might be crucified.—*Luke*, ch. 23.

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1342. CLASSES, Only two. *The Judgment.* ²⁶ Before him shall be gathered all nations : and he shall separate them one from another, as a shepherd divideth his sheep from the goats : ²⁷ And he shall set the sheep on his right hand, but the goats on the left.—*Mat.*, ch. 25.

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1343. CLEANSING, Blood of. *Sprinkling.* ⁶ Moses took the blood, and sprinkled it on the people, and said, Behold the blood of the covenant, which the Lord hath made with you.—*Ex.*, ch. 24.

1344. — Blood. *Christ's.* ¹² If the blood of bulls and of goats, and the ashes of a heifer sprinkling the unclean, sanctifieth to the purifying of the flesh ; ¹⁴ How much more shall the blood of Christ.—*Heb.*, ch. 9.

1345. — by Expulsion. *Temple.* ¹⁴ [Jesus] found in the temple those that sold oxen and

sheep and doves, and the changers of money sitting : ¹⁵ And when he had made a scourge of small cords, he drove them all out, and the sheep, and the oxen ; and poured out the changers' money, and overthrew the tables.—*JOHN*, ch. 2.

1346. — by Holy Fire. *Isaiah*. ⁶ Woe is me ! for I am undone ; because I am a man of unclean lips, for mine eyes have seen, the Lord of hosts. ⁷ Then flew one of the seraphim unto me, having a live coal in his hand. ⁸ And he laid it upon my mouth, and said, Lo, this hath touched thy lips ; and thine iniquity is taken away, and thy sin purged.—*ISA.*, ch. 6.

1347. — Heart. *David*. ¹⁰ Create in me a clean heart, O God ; and renew a right spirit within me.—*PS.* 51.

1348. — Spiritual. *Hands*. ³ Who shall ascend into the hill of the Lord ? or who shall stand in his holy place ? ⁴ He that hath clean hands, and a pure heart.—*PS.* 24.

1349. — Typical. *Feet*. ⁹ Simon Peter saith, Lord, not my feet only, but also my hands and my head. ¹⁰ Jesus saith, He that is washed needeth not save to wash his feet, but is clean every whit.—*JOHN*, ch. 13.

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Firstborn. The males shall be the Lord's
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" Sow that was washed, wallowing

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" As a father pitieth his children, so the L.

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Power. Said Saul, I have sinned, Return my son

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Plea. Bartimeus, Thou s. of David have mercy on

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" [Publican] God be merciful to me a sinner

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Penitent. [Ninevites] Turned from, G. repented

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Reputation. Have heard, kings of I., merciful

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Success by. Two blind men followed, have m.

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1350. CLOTHES represent Character. Prodigal.
²⁹ The father said to his servants, Bring forth the best robe, and put it on him ; and put a ring on his hand, and shoes on his feet.—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

1351. — Envy of. *Jacob's Sons*. ³ Israel loved Joseph more than all his children, because he was the son of his old age : and he made him a coat of many colours. ⁴ And when his brethren saw that their father loved him more than all his brethren, they hated him, and could not speak peaceably unto him.—*GEN.*, ch. 37.

1352. — Display of. *Hypocrites*. ⁵ All their works they do for to be seen of men : they make broad their phylacteries, and enlarge the borders of their garments.—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

1353. — Influence of. *In Church*. ³ If there come unto your assembly a man with a gold ring, in goodly apparel, and there come in also a poor man in vile raiment ; ⁴ And ye have respect to him that weareth the gay clothing, and say, Sit thou here in a good place ; and say to the poor, Stand thou there, or sit here under my footstool : ⁵ Are ye not then partial in yourselves ?—*JAMES*, ch. 2.

1354. — mutilated. *Insult*. ⁴ Hanun took David's servants, and shaved off the one half of their beards, and cut off their garments in the middle, even to their buttocks, and sent them away.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 10.

1355. — Rending of. *Grief*. ²⁹ Reuben returned unto the pit ; and, behold, Joseph was not in the pit ; and he rent his clothes. ³⁰ And he returned unto his brethren, and said, The child is not ; and I, whither shall I go ?—*GEN.*, ch. 37.

1356. — rent for a Sign. *Grief*. ¹¹ David took hold on his clothes, and rent them ; and likewise all the men that were with him : ¹² And they mourned, and wept, and fasted until even, for Saul, and for Jonathan his son, because they were fallen by the sword.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 1.

1357. — unwashed. *In Grief*. ²⁴ Mephibosheth the son of Saul, had neither dressed his feet, nor trimmed his beard, nor washed his clothes, from the day the king departed until the day he came again in peace.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 19.

1358. CLOTHING, Beautiful. Priest's. ⁴ A breastplate, and an ephod, and a robe, and a broidered coat, a mitre, and a girdle. ⁵ make the ephod of gold, of blue, and of purple, of scarlet, and fine twined linen, with cunning work. ⁶ make the robe of the ephod all of blue.—*EX.*, ch. 28.

1359. — Deception by. *Gibeonites*. ⁴ Made as if they had been ambassadors, and took old sacks upon their asses, and wine bottles, old, and rent, and bound up ; ⁵ And old shoes and clouted upon their feet, and old garments upon them ; and all the bread of their provision was dry and mouldy. ⁶ And they went to Joshua.—*JOSHUA*, ch. 9. [They secured a treaty.]

1360. — Disguised by. *False Prophets*. [Jesus said,] ¹⁵ Beware of false prophets, which come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ravening wolves. ¹⁶ Ye shall know them by their fruits.—*MAT.*, ch. 7.

1361. — The first. *Leaves*. ¹ They knew that they were naked ; and they sewed fig leaves

together, and made themselves aprons. ²¹ Unto Adam also and to his wife did the Lord God make coats of skins.—GEN., ch. 3.

1362. — *Gift of. To David.* ⁴ Jonathan stripped himself of the robe that was upon him, and gave it to David, and his garments, even to his sword, and to his bow, and to his girdle.—1 SAM., ch. 18.

1363. — *annual Gift of. By Hannah.* ¹² Samuel ministered before the Lord, being a child, girded with a linen ephod. ¹⁹ his mother made him a little coat, and brought it to him from year to year.—1 SAM., ch. 2.

1364. — *Indestructible. Israelites.* ² Remember all the way which the Lord thy God led thee these forty years in the wilderness. ⁴ Thy raiment waxed not old upon thee.—DEUT., ch. 8.

1365. — *Ornamental. Daughters of Zion.* ¹⁸ In that day the Lord will take away the bravery of their tinkling ornaments about their feet, and their cauls, and their round tires like the moon. ¹⁹ The chains, and the bracelets, and the mufflers. ²⁰ The bonnets, and the ornaments of the legs, and the headbands, and the tablets, and the earrings. ²¹ The rings, and nose jewels. ²² The changeable suits of apparel, and the mantles, and the wimples, and the crisping pins. ²³ The glasses, and the fine linen, and the hoods, and the veils.—ISA., ch. 3.

1366. — *Plain. Baptist.* ⁴ John had his raiment of camel's hair, and a leathern girdle about his loins.—MAT., ch. 3.

1367. — *preserved. Jesus.* ²³ The soldiers, when they had crucified Jesus, took his garments, and made four parts, to every soldier a part. the coat was without seam, woven from the top throughout. ²⁴ They said. Let us not rend it, but cast lots for it.—JOHN, ch. 19.

1368. — *Showy. Paul.* ⁸ I will. ⁹ that women adorn themselves in modest apparel, with shamefacedness and sobriety; not with braided hair, or gold, or pearls, or costly array; ¹⁰ But (which becometh women professing godliness) with good works.—1 TIM., ch. 2.

1369. — *covers Sin. Dives.* ¹⁹ There was a certain rich man, which was clothed in purple and fine linen, and fared sumptuously every day. ²³ And in hell he lifted up his eyes, being in torments, and seeth Abraham afar off, and Lazarus in his bosom.—LUKE, ch. 16.

1370. — *Separate. The Sexes.* ⁵ The woman shall not wear that which pertaineth unto a man, neither shall a man put on a woman's garment: for all that do so are abomination unto the Lord.—DEUT., ch. 22.

1371. — *Tasteful. Model Woman.* ²² She maketh herself coverings of tapestry; her clothing is silk and purple.—PROV., ch. 31.

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1372. CLOUD, God hidden in a. Sinai ¹⁶ The glory of the Lord abode upon mount Sinai, and the cloud covered it six days: and the seventh day he called unto Moses out of the midst of the cloud. ¹⁷ And the sight of the glory of the Lord was like devouring fire on the top of the mount.—EX., ch. 24.

1373. — *An overshadowing. Transfiguration.* ³⁴ There came a cloud, and overshadowed them: and they feared as they entered into the cloud. ³⁵ And there came a voice out of the cloud, saying, This is my beloved Son: hear him.—LUKE, ch. 9.

1374. — *The Pillar of. Tabernacle.* ²⁴ A cloud covered the tent. and the glory of the Lord filled the tabernacle. ²⁸ For the cloud of the Lord was upon the tabernacle by day, and fire was on it by night, in the sight of all the house of Israel, throughout all their journeys.—EX., ch. 40.

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1376. COLD an Excuse. Proverb. ⁴ The sluggard will not plow by reason of the cold; therefore shall he beg in harvest, and have nothing.—PROV., ch. 20.

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1377. COLLECTION-BOX, The first. For Building. ⁹ Jehoiada the priest took a chest, and bored a hole in the lid of it, and set it beside the altar, on the right side. and the priests that kept the door put therein all the money that was brought into the house of the Lord.—2 KINGS, ch. 12.

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1378. COLOR-LINE in Religion. Ethiopian. ¹ Miriam and Aaron spake against Moses because of the Ethiopian woman whom he had married : for he had married an Ethiopian woman. . . ² And the anger of the Lord was kindled against them ; and he departed.—NUM., ch. 12.

1379. COMFORT in Adversity. Habakkuk. ¹ Although the fig tree shall not blossom, neither shall fruit be in the vines ; the labour of the olive shall fail, and the fields shall yield no meat ; the flock shall be cut off from the fold, and there shall be no herd in the stalls : ² Yet I will rejoice in the Lord, I will joy in the God of my salvation.—HAB., ch. 3.

1380. — An appreciated. In the Wilderness. ¹ They came to Elim, where were twelve wells of water, and threescore and ten palm trees : and they encamped there by the waters.—EX., ch. 15.

1381. — A cruel. Esau's. ⁴ These words of Esau . . . were told to Rebekah : and she sent and called Jacob . . . and said . . . Behold, thy brother Esau . . . doth comfort himself, purposing to kill thee.—GEN., ch. 27.

1382. — The Christian's. Divine. ¹ O Lord, I will praise thee : though thou wast angry with me, thine anger is turned away, and thou comfortedst me. ² Behold, God is my salvation ; I will trust and not be afraid.—ISA., ch. 12.

1383. — Dangerous. Peter's. ⁴ Peter followed him afar off, even into the palace of the high priest : and he sat with the servants, and warmed himself at the fire.—MARK, ch. 14.

1384. — Experience of. Everlasting. ¹⁶ Now our Lord Jesus Christ himself, and God, even our Father which hath loved us, and hath given us everlasting consolation and good hope through grace, ¹⁷ Comfort your hearts, and establish you in every good word and work.—2 THESS., ch. 2.

1385. — Fraternal. Paul. ⁶ God, that comforteth those that are cast down, comforted us by the coming of Titus ; ⁷ And not by his coming only, but . . . when he told us your earnest desire, your mourning, your fervent mind toward me ; so that I rejoiced the more.—2 COR., ch. 7.

1386. — for the Lonely. Angels near. ¹⁶ Jacob awaked out of his sleep, and he said, Surely the Lord is in this place ; and I knew it not. ¹⁷ And he was afraid, and said, How dreadful is this place ! this is none other but the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.—GEN., ch. 28.

1387. — Provision for. The Spirit. ¹⁶ I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another Comforter, that he may abide with you for ever ; ¹⁷ Even the Spirit of truth ; whom the world cannot receive, because it seeth him not, neither knoweth him : but ye know him ; for he dwelleth with you, and shall be in you. ¹⁸ I will not leave you comfortless : I will come to you.—JOHN, ch. 14.

1388. — Short-lived. Gourd. ⁶ Jonah was exceeding glad of the gourd. ⁷ . . . a worm when the morning rose the next day . . . smote the gourd that it withered. ⁸ . . . when the sun did arise . . . God prepared a vehement east wind ; and the sun beat upon the head of Jonah, that he fainted, and wished in himself to die.—JONAH, ch. 4.

1389. — for Zion. Promise. ³ The Lord shall comfort Zion : he will comfort all her waste places ; and he will make her wilderness like Eden, and her desert like the garden of the Lord : joy and gladness shall be found therein, thanksgiving, and the voice of melody.—ISA., ch. 51.

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1390. COMFORTER, Reproof from the. Spirit. ¹ If I go not away, the Comforter will not come unto you ; but if I depart, I will send him unto you. ² And when he is come, he will reprove the world of sin, and of righteousness, and of judgment.—JOHN, ch. 16.

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1391. COMMANDMENT, The First. Love. ²⁰ Which is the first commandment of all ? ²¹ And Jesus answered him, The first of all the commandments is . . . ²⁰ Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength.—MARK, ch. 12.

1392. — ignored. The. Strange Fire. ¹ Nadab and Abihu, the sons of Aaron, took either of them his censer, and put fire therein, and put incense thereon, and offered strange fire before the Lord, which he commanded them not. ² And there went out fire from the Lord, and devoured them.—LEV., ch. 10.

1393. — Nature obeys the. Light. ³ The earth was without form, and void : and darkness was upon the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters. ⁵ And God said, Let there be light : and there was light.—GEN., ch. 1.

1394. — The new. Love. ²⁴ A new commandment I give unto you, That ye love one another ; as I have loved you, that ye also love

one another. ³⁵ By this shall all men know that ye are my disciples, if ye have love one to another.—*JOHN*, ch. 13.

1395. — The smallest. *Birds*. [So called by the Jews.] ⁶ If a bird's nest chance to be before thee..and the dam sitting upon the young, or upon the eggs, thou shalt not take the dam with the young : ⁷ But thou shalt in any wise let the dam go, and take the young to thee ; that it may be well with thee, and that thou mayest prolong thy days.—*DEUT.*, ch. 22.

1396. — the Second. *Love*. ³¹ The second is like, namely this, Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself. There is none other commandment greater than these.—*MARK*, ch. 12.

1397. COMMANDMENTS kept. *Young Ruler*. ²⁰ The young man saith unto him, All these things have I kept from my youth up : what lack I yet ? —*MAT.*, ch. 19.

1398. — test Character. *Obedience*. ³ Hereby we do know that we know him, if we keep his commandments. ⁴ He that saith, I know him, and keepeth not his commandments, is a liar.—*1 JOHN*, ch. 2.

1399. — The Ten. *Decalogue*. [See Exodus 20 : 3-17.]

1400. — Use of. *Lamp*. ³³ For the commandment is a lamp ; and the law is light.—*PROV.*, ch. 6.

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1401. COMMENDATION by Fruits. *Paul's*. ¹ Do we begin again to commend ourselves ? or need we, as some others, epistles of commendation to you, or letters of commendation from you ? ² Ye are our epistle written in our hearts, known and read of all men.—*2 COR.*, ch. 3.

1402. — Future. *Judgment*. ³⁰ Lord, thou deliveredst unto me five talents : behold, I have gained beside them five talents more. ³¹ His lord

said..Well done, thou good and faithful servant : thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things : enter thou into the joy of thy lord.—*MAT.*, ch. 25.

1403. — A hurtful. *Damsel*. [At Philippi] ¹⁶ as we went to prayer, a certain damsel possessed with a spirit of divination met us, which brought her masters much gain by soothsaying : ¹⁷..followed Paul and us, and cried, saying, These men are the servants of the most high God, which shew unto us the way of salvation.—*ACTS*, ch. 16. [Paul exorcised the evil spirit.]

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PRAISE.

Self. Let another praise thee..not thine own 6330
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Unmerited. Doth he thank that servant ? 7376
Unexpected. This widow hath cast in more 7396
Worthy. Centurion..was worthy..built us a 688

1404. COMMERCE, Wealth from. *Tyrus*. ³ Thou hast said, I am a god, I sit in the seat of God, in the midst of the seas ; ⁴ With thy wisdom and with thine understanding thou hast gotten..gold and silver into thy treasures : ⁵..and by thy traffick hast thou increased thy riches, and thine heart is lifted up.—*EZEK.*, ch. 28.

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1405. COMMUNISM, Christian. Church at Jerusalem. ⁴⁴ All that believed were together, and had all things common ; ⁴⁵ And sold their possessions and goods, and parted them..as every man had need.—*ACTS*, ch. 2.

1406. — — *Jerusalem*. ³³ Them that believed were of one heart and of one soul : neither said any of them that aught of the things which he possessed was his own : but they had all things common. ³⁴ Neither was there any among them that lacked : for as many as were possessors of lands or houses sold them, and brought the prices of the things that were sold, ³⁵ And laid them down at the apostles' feet : and distribution was made unto every man according as he had need.—*ACTS*, ch. 4.

1407. — Jewish. *Fiftieth Year*. ¹⁰ Proclaim liberty throughout all the land unto all the inhabitants thereof : it shall be a jubilee unto you ; and ye shall return every man unto his possession.—*LEV.*, ch. 25.

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1408. COMMUNION by Blood, Sprinkled. ⁸ Moses took the blood, and sprinkled it on the people, and said, Behold the blood of the covenant, which the Lord hath made with you.—*EX.*, ch. 24.

1409. — corrects Prejudices. *Nathanael*. ⁴⁶ Nathanael said..Can there any good thing come out of Nazareth ? Philip saith..Come and see. ⁴⁹ Nathanael answered..Rabbi, thou art the Son of God ; thou art the King of Israel.—*JOHN*, ch. 1.

1410. — of Evil Deeds. *Pharisees*. ¹⁰ Stretch forth thy hand. And he did so : and his hand was restored whole as the other. ¹¹ And they were filled with madness ; and communed one

with another what they might do to Jesus.—**LUKE**, ch. 6.

1411. — with God. *Friendship.* ²² Abraham believed God, and it was imputed unto him for righteousness: and he was called the friend of God.—**JAMES**, ch. 2.

1412. — *Glorious. Christian.* ²³ To an innumerable company of angels, ²⁴ To the general assembly and church of the firstborn which are written in heaven, and to God the Judge of all, and to the spirits of just men made perfect.—**HEB.**, ch. 12.

1413. — *Invitation to. Festal.* ²⁰ Behold, I stand at the door, and knock: if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me.—**REV.**, ch. 3.

1414. — *Mysterious. Christian.* ²² Judas saith, .not Iscariot, Lord, how is it that thou wilt manifest thyself unto us, and not unto the world? ²³ Jesus answered, .If a man love me, he will keep my words: and my Father will love him, and we will come unto him, and make our abode with him.—**JOHN**, ch. 14.

1415. — *in Old Age. Abram.* ¹ When Abram was ninety years old and nine, the Lord appeared, .and said, I am the Almighty God; walk before me, and be thou perfect.—**GEN.**, ch. 17.

1416. — *Protracted. Moses'.* ¹⁸ Moses went into the midst of the cloud, .and Moses was in the mount forty days and forty nights.—**EX.**, ch. 24.

1417. — *Recorded. Book.* ¹⁰ They that feared the Lord spake often one to another: and the Lord hearkened, and heard *it*, and a book of remembrance was written before him for them that feared the Lord.—**MAL.**, ch. 3.

1418. — *strengthens. Worship.* ²⁰ Even the youths shall faint and be weary, and the young men shall utterly fall: ²¹ But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew *their* strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint.—**ISA.**, ch. 40.

1419. — — *Jesus said,* ¹⁹ If two of you shall agree on earth as touching any thing that they shall ask, it shall be done for them of my Father. ²⁰ For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them.—**MAT.**, ch. 18.

1420. — *of Saints. Fellow Citizens.* ¹⁰ Ye are no more strangers and foreigners, but fellow citizens with the saints, and of the household of God.—**EPH.**, ch. 2.

1421. — *Walking in. Enoch.* ²² Enoch walked with God after he begat Methuselah three hundred years. ²⁴ And Enoch walked with God: and he was not; for God took him.—**GEN.**, ch. 5. ⁹ Noah was a just man and perfect in his generations, and Noah walked with God.—**GEN.**, ch. 6.

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1422. COMMISSION to deliver. *Gideon.* ¹³ Now the Lord hath forsaken us, and delivered us into the hands of the Midianites. ¹⁴ And the Lord looked upon him, and said, Go in this thy might, and thou shalt save Israel from the hand of the Midianites: have not I sent thee? —**JUDGES**, ch. 6.

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1423. COMPANIONS, Disgraceful. Thieves. ²¹ With him they crucify two thieves; the one on his right hand, and the other on his left.—**MARK**, ch. 15.

1424. — *Ruinous. Rehoboam's.* ¹⁰ The young men that were brought up with him spake, .Thus shalt thou answer the people, .saying, Thy father made our yoke heavy, but make thou it somewhat lighter for us; thus, .say, .My little finger shall be thicker than my father's loins. —**2 CHRON.**, ch. 10. [Result; the kingdom was divided.]

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1425. COMPASSION, Appeal to. A Father's.
 11 Master, I have brought unto thee my son, which hath a dumb spirit; 18 And whosoever he taketh him, he tearth him; and he foameth, and gnasheth with his teeth, and pineth away: 23 And oftentimes it hath cast him into the fire, and into the waters, to destroy him: but if thou canst do any thing, have compassion on us, and help us.—MARK, ch. 9.

1426. — Active. Jesus. 35 Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching..and preaching..and healing every sickness and every disease among the people. 36 But when he saw the multitudes, he was moved with compassion on them, because they fainted, and were scattered abroad, as sheep having no shepherd.—MAT., ch. 9.

1427. — A Brother's. Joseph. 18 His brethren..fell down before his face; and they said, Behold, we be thy servants. 19 And Joseph said..Fear not.. 20..as for you, ye thought evil against me; but God meant it unto good..to save much people alive. 21 Now therefore fear ye not: I will nourish you, and your little ones. And he comforted them, and spake kindly unto them.—GEN., ch. 50.

1428. — commended. Good Samaritan.
 24 Went to him, and bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine, and set him on his own beast, and brought him to an inn, and took care of him. 35 Then said Jesus..Go, and do thou likewise.—LUKE, ch. 10.

1429. — for Debtors. The Insolvent. 25 As he had not to pay, his lord commanded him to be sold, and his wife, and children, and all that he had. 26 The servant..fell down..saying, Lord, have patience with me, and I will pay thee all. 27 Then the lord..was moved with compassion..and forgave him the debt.—MAT., ch. 18.

1430. — denied. The Insolvent. 28 The

same servant..found one of his fellow servants, which owed him a hundred pence: and he..took him by the throat, saying, Pay me that thou owest. 29..his fellow servant..besought him, saying, Have patience with me, and I will pay thee all. 30 And he would not: but..cast him into prison, till he should pay the debt.—MAT., ch. 18.

1431. — for the Lowly. For Bondmen.
 23 The children of Israel sighed by reason of the bondage, and they cried, and their cry came up unto God by reason of the bondage. 24 And God heard their groaning, and God remembered his covenant.—EX., ch. 2.

1432. — Moved by. The Lord. 15 We have sinned: do thou unto us whatsoever seemeth good unto thee; deliver us only, we pray thee, this day. 16 And they put away the strange gods from among them, and served the Lord: and his soul was grieved for the misery of Israel.—JUDGES, ch. 10.

1433. — for the Penitent. Prodigal. 20 He arose, and came to his father. But when he was yet a great way off, his father saw him, and had compassion, and ran, and fell on his neck, and kissed him.—LUKE, ch. 15.

1434. — Public. Bethlehemites. 19 When they were come to Bethlehem..all the city was moved about them, and they said, Is this Naomi? 20 And she said..Call me not Naomi, call me Mara: for the Almighty hath dealt very bitterly with me.—RUTH, ch. 1.

1435. — Patriotic. Jesus. [After denouncing the Pharisees, he said,] 31 O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, thou that killest the prophets, and stonest them which are sent unto thee, how often would I have gathered thy children together, even as a hen gathereth her chickens under her wings, and ye would not!—MAT., ch. 23.

1436. — Practical. Jesus. 40 There came a leper to him, beseeching him, and kneeling down..and saying..If thou wilt, thou canst make me clean. 41 And Jesus, moved with compassion..touched him, and saith..I will; be thou clean.—MARK, ch. 1.

1437. — in Reproof. Paul's. 4 Out of much affliction and anguish of heart I wrote unto you with many tears; not that ye should be grieved, but that ye might know the love which I have more abundantly unto you. 6 Sufficient to such a man is this punishment, which was inflicted of many. 7 So that contrariwise ye ought rather to forgive him, and comfort him, lest perhaps such a one should be swallowed up with overmuch sorrow.—2 COS., ch. 2.

1438. — required. Penalty. 23 Shouldest not thou also have had compassion on thy fellow servant, even as I had pity on thee? 24 And his lord was wroth, and delivered him to the tormentors, till he should pay all that was due unto him. 25 So likewise shall my heavenly Father do also unto you, if ye from your hearts forgive not every one his brother their trespasses.—MAT., ch. 18.

1439. — Sensitive. Jesus. 15 We have not a high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin.—HEB., ch. 4.

1440. — Unmoved by. Brothers of Joseph. ²² We are verily guilty concerning our brother, in that we saw the anguish of his soul, when he besought us, and we would not hear; therefore is this distress come upon us.—GEN., ch. 42.

1441. — Womanly. Princess. ⁵ The daughter of Pharaoh came down to wash herself at the river, and when she saw the ark among the flags, she sent her maid to fetch it. ⁶ . . . she saw the child: and, behold, the babe wept. And she had compassion on him, and said, This is one of the Hebrews' children.—EX., ch. 2.

1442. — Without. Soldiers. ¹¹ The king of the Chaldees, slew their young men with the sword in the house of their sanctuary, and had no compassion upon young man or maiden, old man, or him that stooped for age.—2 CHRON., ch. 36.

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TENDERNESS.

Affectionate. I wrote unto you with many tears 8714
Bereavement. O my son Absalom, my son, my son 8715
Concealed. Joseph turned, and wept 8716
Excessive. Joseph made haste, sought where to 8717
 Human. Her weeping, and the Jews weeping 8718
Animals. Lazarus, full of sores, dogs came and 6181
Wrong. If, friend entice thee, neither pity 6183
Wicked. Fain fill his belly, husks, no man gave 6185
 Without. Nineveh spared. It displeased Jonah 6186

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1443. COMPLAINERS, Unprincipled. Primitive. ¹⁶ These are murmurers, complainers, walking after their own lusts; and their mouth speaketh great swelling words, having men's persons in admiration because of advantage.—JUDG.

1444. — punished. Israelites. ⁵ There is no bread, neither is there any water; and our soul loatheth this light bread. ⁶ And the Lord sent fiery serpents, and they bit, and much people of Israel died.—NUM., ch. 21.

1445. — Unreasonable. Labourers. ¹⁰ When the first came, they supposed that they should have received more; and they likewise received every man a penny. ¹¹ And, they murmured against the Goodman of the house.—MAT., ch. 20.

1446. — Wicked. Ten Spies. ³¹ Those men that did bring up the evil report upon the land, died by the plague before the Lord. ³² But Joshua, and Caleb, lived still.—NUM., ch. 14.

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Fastidious. Murmured, eat and drink with 3068
Hypocritical. Why was not this ointment sold 3067
Malicious. John B., hath a devil, S. of man 3069

See BLAME and references.

1447. COMPOSURE, Holy. Stephen. ⁵⁹ They stoned Stephen, saying, Lord Jesus, receive my spirit. ⁶⁰ And he kneeled down, and cried with a loud voice, Lord, lay not this sin to their charge. And when he had said this, he fell asleep.—ACTS, ch. 7.

1448. — Undisturbed. Peter. ⁶ When Herod would have brought him forth, the same night Peter was sleeping between two soldiers, bound with two chains: and the keepers before the door kept the prison.—ACTS, ch. 12.

1449. COMPLAINTS redressed. Greek. ⁴ There arose a murmuring of the Grecians against the

Hebrews, because their widows were neglected in the daily ministration.—ACTS, ch. 6. [Seven deacons were appointed to care for the poor.]

See BLAME and references.

1450. COMPREHENSION, Lack of. Apostles'. [Jesus said,] ²³ They shall scourge him, and put him to death; and the third day he shall rise again. ²⁴ . . . and this saying was hid from them, neither knew they the things which were spoken.—LUKE, ch. 18.

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1451. COMPROMISE, A dishonourable. Rulers. ⁴³ Among the chief rulers, many believed on him; but because of the Pharisees they did not confess him, lest they should be put out of the synagogue: ⁴³ For they loved the praise of men more than the praise of God.—JOHN, ch. 12.

1452. — The End of. Murder. ²⁴ And Pilate gave sentence that it should be as they required. ²⁵ And he released him that for sedition and murder was cast into prison, but he delivered Jesus to their will.—LUKE, ch. 23.

1453. — A Failure. Pharaoh. ²⁴ Pharaoh called unto Moses, and said, Go ye, serve the Lord; only let your flocks and your herds be stayed: let your little ones also go with you. ²⁵ Our cattle also shall go with us; there shall not a hoof be left behind.—EX., ch. 10.

1454. — A hurtful. Canaanites. ⁴⁵ If ye will not drive out the inhabitants of the land, those which ye let remain of them shall be pricks in your eyes, and thorns in your sides, and shall vex you.—NUM., ch. 33.

1455. — Harmony by. At Antioch. ³ They determined that Paul and Barnabas, and certain other of them, should go up to Jerusalem unto the apostles and elders about this question [of circumcision]. [Reply:] ²⁸ . . . It seemed good to the Holy Ghost, and to us, to lay upon you no greater burden than these necessary things; ²⁹ That ye abstain from meats offered to idols, and from blood, and from things strangled, and from fornication.—ACTS, ch. 15.

1456. — impossible. Mother's. ²⁴ And they brought a sword before the king. ²⁵ And the king said, Divide the living child in two, and give half to the one, and half to the other. ²⁶ Then spake the woman, whose the living child was, for her bowels yearned upon her son, and she said, O my lord, give her the living child.—1 KINGS, ch. 3.

1457. — No. Pharaoh. ⁸ Go, serve the Lord your God: but who are they that shall go? ⁹ And Moses said, We will go with our young and with our old, with our sons and with our daughters, with our flocks and with our herds will we go; for we must hold a feast unto the Lord.—EX., ch. 10.

1458. — Unprincipled. Pilate's. ¹⁶ I will therefore chastise him, and release him. ²⁰ Pilate therefore, willing to release Jesus, spake again to them. ²¹ But they cried, saying, Crucify:

him, crucify him. ²² And he said, the third time, Why, what evil hath he done?—LUKE, ch. 23.

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DISSEMBLING.

Confession. Achan said, I saw. I took a wedge of ²⁴²⁴
Imitated. Other Jews dissembled likewise ²⁴²⁵
Inconsistency. If thou being a Jew, livest after the ²⁴²⁶
Rebuked. I withstood him to the face, separated ²⁴²⁷

1459. COMPULSION no Excuse. *Presumption.*
¹¹ Saul said, Because I saw that the people were scattered from me, and that thou camest not within the days appointed. ¹² Therefore said I, The Philistines will come, and I have not made supplication unto the Lord: I forced myself therefore, and offered a burnt offering.—1 SAM., ch. 13. [He thereby lost his throne.]

1460. — Financial. *Joab's.* ²⁸ Absalom dwelt two full years, and saw not the king's face. ²⁹ Therefore Absalom sent for Joab, to have sent him to the king; but he would not come to him; and when he sent again, he would not come. ³⁰ Therefore he said, See, Joab's field is near mine, and he hath barley there. And Absalom's servants set the field on fire.—2 SAM., ch. 14.

1461. CONCEIT, Religious. *Young Ruler.*
¹⁶ Good Master, what good thing shall I do, that I may have eternal life? ²⁰ The young man saith, All these things have I kept from my youth up: what lack I yet?—MAT., ch. 19.

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SELF-CONCEIT.

Hopeless. Wise in his own conceit, more hope of ⁷⁶⁸⁷
Poverty. He that is despised and hath a servant ⁷⁶⁸⁸

VANITY.

Forbidden. Be not ye called Rabbi, for one is your ⁹¹⁸⁰
Punished. Hezekiah showed them all his precious ⁹¹⁶¹
" Haman arrayed Mordecai, and ⁹¹⁶²
Religious. Enlarge the borders of their garments ⁹¹⁶³
See PRIDE.

1462. CONCILIATION, A successful. *Jacob*
¹³ took, a present for Esau his brother; ¹⁴ Two hundred she goats and twenty he goats, two hundred ewes and twenty rams, ¹⁵ Thirty milch camels with their colts, forty kine and ten bulls, twenty she asses and ten foals.—GEN., ch. 32.

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PEACE.

Cost of. Menahem exacted, each man fifty shekels ⁶⁰¹⁸
Contemned. What hast thou to do with peace? ⁶⁰¹⁹
Commanded. Rebuked the wind, Peace, be still ⁶⁰²⁰
Disposition. Abram said, Let there be no strife ⁶⁰²¹
Intercession. Sendeth an ambassador, conditions ⁶⁰²²
Insecure. Peace, peace, when there is no peace ⁶⁰²³
Kingdom of. Jesus stood in the midst, Peace be ⁶⁰²⁴
Jesus brings. The wolf shall dwell with the lamb ⁶⁰²⁵
Legacy. Peace I leave with you, my peace I give ⁶⁰²⁶
National. Given me rest on every side [David] ⁶⁰²⁷
Offering. What, the trespass offering, gold mice ⁶⁰²⁸
Pledge. The bow shall be seen in the cloud ⁶⁰²⁹
Plea. Shall the sword devour forever? ⁶⁰³⁰
Purchased. Menahem gave Pul a thousand talents ⁶⁰³¹
High Price. A tumult was made, I am innocent ⁶⁰³²
with Sin. I am come, to send a sword ⁶⁰³³
Tribute. Jehoash took all the hallowed things ⁶⁰³⁴
Typical. Every man under his own vine, fig tree ⁶⁰³⁵
Ten Years. Land was quiet, ten years ⁶⁰³⁶
Unstained. There shall not a man be put to death ⁶⁰³⁷
Universal. Nations, beat their swords into plow ⁶⁰³⁷

RECONCILIATION.

Noble. Esau ran to meet him and embraced ⁶⁹⁰⁵
Strange. The same day Pilate and Herod were ⁶⁹⁰⁶
Worship. Leave there thy gifts, first be reconciled ⁶⁹⁰⁷

Discretion. David behaved himself, name much ²³⁶³
Needless. Take the best fruits of the land to J. ⁶⁵⁰⁷
Pacification. Abigail made haste, 300 loaves, cakes ³⁹³
Presents. Saw the ear-rings and bracelets, said ⁶⁵¹¹
Propitiatory. What shall be the trespass offering ⁶⁶⁷⁹
Warfare. Sendeth an embassy desiring peace ²³⁶⁶

1463. CONCEALMENT by Appearances. *Joseph.* ¹ Joseph saw his brethren, and he knew them, but made himself strange, and spake roughly, and he said, Whence come ye? And they said, From the land of Canaan to buy food.—GEN., ch. 42.

1464. — impossible. *Peter.* ⁶⁴ As Peter was beneath in the palace, there cometh one of the maids of the high priest: ⁶¹ She looked upon him, and said, And thou also wast with Jesus of Nazareth. ⁶⁶ But he denied.—MARK, ch. 4.

1465. — Unsuccessful. *Adam.* ⁹ Adam and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the Lord God amongst the trees of the garden. ⁹ And the Lord God called unto Adam, Where art thou? ¹⁰ And he said, I heard thy voice, and I was afraid, because I was naked; and I hid myself.—GEN., ch. 3.

1466. — — Proverb. ¹⁸ He that covereth his sins shall not prosper: but whoso confesseth and forsaketh them shall have mercy.—PROV., ch. 28.

See other illustrations under:

DISGUISE.

Battle. Ahab said, I will disguise myself ²³⁸⁹
Failure. Ahijah said, Come in wife of Jeroboam ²³⁸⁸
Insufficient. Saul disguised himself [to visit witch] ²³⁸⁴
Penetrated. Is not the hand of Joab in this ²³⁸⁵

HIDDEN.

Cave. Obadiah took 300 prophets and hid ³⁹⁰⁶
Field. David hid himself in the field ³⁹⁰⁷
Graciously. King commanded to take Jeremiah ³⁹⁰⁸
House of God. Joash was hid, six years ³⁹⁰⁹
Housetop. Rahab, hid them with the, flax ³⁹⁷⁰
Infant. Ark, in the flags by the river brink ³⁹⁷¹
Strangely. Took they up stones, Jesus hid himself ³⁹⁷²
Wilderness. Hide thyself, ravens to feed thee ³⁹⁷³

HIDING.

Difficult. Moses feared, Surely this is known ³⁹⁷⁴
Sinners. Adam, where art thou? hid myself ³⁹⁷⁵
Sin. Set ye Uriah in the hottest battle, retire ³⁹⁷⁶
Talent. Received one, digged, hid his money ³⁹⁷⁷

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SECRET.

Difficult. Moses looked this way and that way ⁴⁶⁴⁵
Impossible. Elisha telleth the king, the words ⁴⁶⁴⁶
Woman's. If thou utter this our business [spies] ⁴⁶⁴⁴

TRICK.

Diplomatic. From a very far country are, come ⁸⁹⁶⁵
Hypocrites. Feign themselves just men, might ⁸⁹⁶⁶
Legerdemain. Magicians, rods became serpents ⁸⁹⁶⁷
Politicians. Shall ask a petition, save of the ⁸⁹⁶⁸
Exposed. Beware that thou pass not such a place ³³⁵
Vice. Adulterer waiteth for the twilight ¹¹¹

1467. CONDUCT, Disposition affects. Samaritan. [Traveller was robbed, and nearly dead.] ²³ A certain Samaritan... when he saw him, he had compassion on him, ²⁴ And went to him, and bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine, and set him on his own beast, and brought him to an inn, and took care of him.—**LUKE**, ch. 10.

1468. — observed. David's. ²⁹ Saul was yet the more afraid of David: and became David's enemy continually. ³⁰ David behaved himself more wisely than all the servants of Saul; so that his name was much set by.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 18.

1469. — Strange. Idolaters. ¹ The Lord said unto Moses... thy people, which thou broughtest out of the land of Egypt, have corrupted themselves: ⁸ They have turned aside quickly out of the way... they have made them a molten calf, and have worshipped it.—**EX.**, ch. 32.

See other illustrations under:

CONSISTENCY.

Apostolic. How holily and justly... we behaved 1588
Blameless. Be blameless and harmless... perverse 1589
Conscientious. I have lived in all good conscience 1590
Critics. Ought ye not to walk... reproach of the 1591
 " Exercise myself... void of offence... toward 1592
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Fraternal. [Judah] became surety for the lad 5166
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Consecrated. Put... blood upon the thumbs... great 9274
Holy. Knoch walked with G. 300 years 9275
Perfect. Noah... just man... perfect... walked with 9276
Saintly. Do justly, love mercy... walk... with thy G. 9277
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1470. CONDITION of Acceptance. Upright-
ness. ⁶ Wherewith shall I come before the Lord...
⁷ Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of
rams, or with ten thousands of rivers of oil?
shall I give my firstborn for my transgression,
the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?
⁸... what doth the Lord require of thee, but to do
justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly
with thy God?—**MICAH**, ch. 6.

1471. — of Access. Benjamin. ²³ Except
your youngest brother come down with you,
ye shall see my face no more.—**GEN.**, ch. 44.

1472. — of Blessing. See me. ⁹ Elisha said
... let a double portion of thy spirit be upon me.
¹⁰ And he said, Thou hast asked a hard thing:
nevertheless, if thou see me when I am taken from
thee, it shall be so unto thee; but if not, it shall
not be so.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 2.

1473. — A severe. Right Eye. ² Nahash
the Ammonite answered them, On this condition
will I make a covenant with you, that I may thrust
out all your right eyes, and lay it for a reproach
upon all Israel.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 11.

1474. CONDITIONS ignored. Usual. Water.
¹⁶ Thus saith the Lord, Make this valley full of
ditches. ¹⁷ For... Ye shall not see wind, neither
shall ye see rain; yet that valley shall be filled
with water.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 3.

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AGREEMENT.

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 " Do justly, love mercy... walk humbly 8722
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1475. CONDEMNATION, Cause of. Pharisees.
[After rejecting the testimony of the restored
blind man,] ⁴⁰ Some of the Pharisees... heard these
words, and said unto him, Are we blind also?
⁴¹ Jesus said... If ye were blind, ye should have
no sin: but now ye say, We see; therefore your
sin remaineth.—**JOHN**, ch. 9.

1476. — Future. Neglectful. ¹² Friend,
how camest thou in hither not having a wed-
ding garment? And he was speechless. ¹³ Then
said the king to the servants, Bind him hand
and foot, and take him away, and cast him into
outer darkness; there shall be weeping and
gnashing of teeth.—**MAT.**, ch. 22.

1477. — of the Innocent. Jesus. ⁶ When
the chief priests therefore and officers saw him,
they cried out, saying, Crucify him, crucify him.
Pilate saith unto them, Take ye him, and crucify
him: for I find no fault in him.—**JOHN**, ch. 19.

1478. — Qualification for. Beam. ⁴ How
wilt thou say... Let me pull out the mote out of
thine eye; and, behold, a beam is in thine own
eye? ⁵ Thou hypocrite, first cast out the beam
out of thine own eye; and then shalt thou see
clearly to cast out the mote out of thy brother's
eye.—**MAT.**, ch. 7.

1479. — Reason of. Rejection. ¹⁸ He that
believeth not is condemned already, because he
hath not believed in the name of the only begot-
ten Son of God. ¹⁹ And this is the condemna-
tion, that light is come into the world, and men
loved darkness rather than light.—**JOHN**, ch. 3.

1480. — Reversed. One Talent. ²⁴ Lord, I
knew thee that thou art a hard man, reaping
where thou hast not sown, and gathering where
thou hast not strewed: ²⁵ And I was afraid, and
went and hid thy talent in the earth.—**MAT.**, ch.
25.

1481. — An unjust. Elihu's. ² Then was
kindled the wrath of Elihu... against Job was
his wrath kindled, because he justified himself
rather than God.—**JOB**, ch. 32.

1482. — Unconscious. David's. ⁵ David's
anger was greatly kindled... and he said to Na-
than, As the Lord liveth, the man that has done
this thing shall surely die: ⁶ And he shall re-
store the lamb fourfold... ⁷ And Nathan said to
David, Thou art the man.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 12.

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 Sincere. We receive the due reward of our deeds 7696
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1483. CONDESCENSION of Jesus. Example.
 4 He riseth from supper, and laid aside his garments; and took a towel, and girded himself.
 5 After that he poureth water into a basin, and began to wash the disciples' feet, and to wipe them with the towel.—JOHN, ch. 13.

See HUMILITY.

1484. CONFESSION in Adversity. Israelites.
 14 Go and cry unto the gods which ye have chosen; let them deliver you in the time of your tribulation. 15 Israel said unto the Lord, We have sinned: do thou unto us whatsoever seemeth good unto thee; deliver us only, we pray thee, this day. 16 And they put away the strange gods, and served the Lord: and his soul was grieved for the misery of Israel.—JUDGES, ch. 10.

1485. — Acceptable. Publican. 13 The publican, standing afar off, would not lift up so much as his eyes unto heaven, but smote upon his breast, saying, God be merciful to me a sinner. 14 this man went down to his house justified rather than the other.—LUKE, ch. 18.

1486. — A costly. Ephesians. 19 Many..which used curious arts brought their books together, and burned them before all men: and they counted the price of them..fifty thousand pieces of silver.—ACTS, ch. 19.

1487. — The dual. Reward. 23 Whosoever..shall confess me before men, him will I confess also before my Father which is in heaven. 24 But whosoever shall deny me before men, him will I also deny before my Father.—MAT., ch. 10.

1488. — Earnest. Israelites. 1 Were assembled with fasting, and with sackcloth, and earth upon them. 2 And..separated themselves from all strangers, and..confessed their sins, and the iniquities of their fathers. 3..and read in the book of the law..one fourth part of the day; and another fourth part they confessed, and worshipped.—NEH., ch. 9.

1489. — A forced. Pharaoh. 21 Pharaoh..called for Moses and Aaron, and said..I have sinned this time: the Lord is righteous, and I and my people are wicked. 28 Entreat the Lord (for it is enough) that there be no more mighty thunderings and hail; and I will let you go.—GEN., ch. 9.

1490. — A fearless. Daniel. 10 When Daniel knew that the writing was signed, he went into his house; and, his windows being open in his chamber toward Jerusalem, he kneeled upon his knees three times a day, and prayed..as he did aforetime. 11 Then these men assembled, and found Daniel praying.—DAN., ch. 6.

1491. — of Faith. Eunuch. 26 The eunuch

said, See, here is water; what doth hinder me to be baptized? 27 And Philip said, If thou believest with all thine heart, thou mayest. And he answered..I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God.—ACTS, ch. 8.

1492. — Forgiveness by. Proverb. 12 He that covereth his sins shall not prosper: but whoso confesseth and forsaketh them shall have mercy.—PROV., ch. 28.

1493. — The grand. Peter. 13 Whom say the people that I am? 14 They..said, John the Baptist; but some..Elias; and others..that one of the old prophets is risen again. 16 He said unto them, But whom say ye that I am? Peter answering said, The Christ of God.—LUKE, ch. 9.

1494. — A genuine. Thief. 40 The other..rebuked him, saying, Dost not thou fear God, seeing thou art in the same condemnation? 41 And we indeed justly; for we receive the due reward of our deeds: but this man hath done nothing amiss. 42 And he said unto Jesus, Lord, remember me when thou comest into thy kingdom.—LUKE, ch. 23.

1495. — Honourable. Simeon. 13 Let not my lord..remember that which thy servant did perversely the day that my lord the king went out of Jerusalem, that the king should take it to his heart. 20..I have sinned: therefore, behold, I am come the first this day of all the house of Joseph to go down to meet my lord the king.—2 SAM., ch. 19. [See 2 SAM., ch. 16.]

1496. — Help in. Martyrs. 9 In the synagogues ye shall be beaten: and..be brought before rulers and kings for my sake, for a testimony against them.. 11..Take no thought beforehand what ye shall speak, neither do ye premeditate: but whatsoever shall be given you in that hour, that speak ye: for it is not ye that speak, but the Holy Ghost.—MARK, ch. 13.

1497. — Law of. Jews. 6 When a man or woman shall commit any sin.. 7 Then they shall confess their sin which they have done: and he shall recompense his trespass with the principal thereof, and add unto it the fifth part thereof, and give it unto him against whom he hath trespassed.—NUM., ch. 5.

1498. — A late. Achan. 21 I saw among the spoils a goodly Babylonish garment, and two hundred shekels of silver, and a wedge of gold of fifty shekels weight, then I coveted them, and took them.—JOSH., ch. 7.

1499. — A neglected. Butler. 6 Pharaoh told them his dream; but there was none that could interpret.. 9 Then spake the chief butler..I do remember my faults this day.. 12..there was there with us..a Hebrew, servant to the captain of the guard..and he interpreted to us our dreams.—GEN., ch. 41. [He had promised to remember Joseph.]

1500. — of National Sins. Ezra. 6 O my God, I am ashamed and blush to lift up my face to thee, my God: for our iniquities are increased over our head, and our trespass is grown up unto the heavens. 7 Since the days of our fathers have we been in a great trespass unto this day.—EZRA, ch. 9.

1501. — necessary. Prodigal. 18 I will arise and go to my father, and will say unto him, Father, I have sinned against heaven, and before

thee, ¹⁹ And am no more worthy to be called thy son : make me as one of thy hired servants. —*LUKE*, ch. 15.

1502. — *for Others. The Pharisee* ¹¹ Stood and prayed thus with himself, God, I thank thee, that I am not as other men *are*, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this publican. —*LUKE*, ch. 18.

1503. — *Pardon after. Shimei.* ²¹ Abishai answered. Shall not Shimei be put to death for this, because he cursed the Lord's anointed? ²² The king said unto Shimei, Thou shalt not die. —*2 SAM.*, ch. 19.

1504. — *in Prayer. For Others.* ³¹ Moses said, Oh, this people have sinned a great sin, and have made them gods of gold. ³² Yet now, if thou wilt forgive their sin—; and if not, blot me, I pray thee, out of thy book which thou hast written. —*EX.*, ch. 32.

1505. — *Penitential. Jews.* ⁴ John did preach the baptism of repentance for the remission of sins. ⁵ And there went out unto him all the land of Judea, and Jerusalem, and were all baptized, confessing their sins. —*MARK*, ch. 1.

1506. — *Prayerful. Daniel.* ³ I set my face unto the Lord God, to seek by prayer and supplications, with fasting, and sackcloth, and ashes. ⁵ We have sinned, and have committed iniquity, and have done wickedly, and have rebelled, even by departing from thy precepts and from thy judgments : ⁶ Neither have we hearkened unto thy prophets. —*DAN.*, ch. 9.

1507. — *without Penitence. Israelites.* [After rebelling with the ten spies.] ⁴⁰ They rose up early in the morning, saying, Lo, we will go up unto the place which the Lord hath promised : for we have sinned. ⁴¹ Nevertheless the ark of the Lord, and Moses, departed not out of the camp. ⁴² Then the Amalekites, and the Canaanites, smote them. —*NUM.*, ch. 14.

1508. — *of Religion. Mordecai.* ³ Then the king's servants said unto Mordecai, Why transgressest thou the king's commandment? ⁴ When he hearkened not unto them, they told Haman, to see whether Mordecai's matters would stand : for he had told them that he was a Jew. —*ESTHER*, ch. 3.

1509. — *required. Israel.* ¹² Return, thou backsliding Israel, saith the Lord ; and I will not cause mine anger to fall upon you : for I am merciful, and I will not keep anger for ever. ¹³ Only acknowledge thine iniquity. —*JER.*, ch. 3.

1510. — *restrained. Rulers.* ⁴² Among the chief rulers many believed on him, but because of the Pharisees they did not confess him, lest they should be put out of the synagogue : ⁴³ For they loved the praise of men more than the praise of God. —*JOHN*, ch. 12.

1511. — *A Traitor's. Judas.* ³ When he saw that he was condemned, repented himself, and brought again the thirty pieces of silver to the chief priests and elders, ⁴ Saying, I have sinned in that I have betrayed the innocent blood. —*MAT.*, ch. 27.

1512. — *of Transgression. David.* ¹ Have mercy upon me, O God, according to thy loving-kindness : according unto the multitude of thy

tender mercies blot out my transgressions. ² Wash me thoroughly from mine iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin. ³ For I acknowledge my transgressions : and my sin is ever before me. ⁴ Against thee, thee only, have I sinned, and done this evil in thy sight. —*PS.* 51.

1513. — *Trouble brings. Israelites.* ⁹ The children of Ammon passed over Jordan to fight also against Judah, Benjamin, and Ephraim ; So that Israel was sore distressed. ¹⁰ Israel cried unto the Lord, saying, We have sinned against thee, both because we have forsaken our God, and also served Baalim. —*JUDGES*, ch. 10.

1514. — *Universal. Of Jesus.* ⁹ God hath highly exalted him, and given him a name which is above every name : ¹⁰ That at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth ; ¹¹ And that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. —*PHIL.*, ch. 2.

1515. — *An unavailing. Achan* ²⁰ Said, Indeed I have sinned against the Lord God of Israel, and thus and thus have I done : ²¹ And Joshua said, Why hast thou troubled us? the Lord shall trouble thee this day. And all Israel stoned him with stones, and burned them with fire. —*JOSEPH.*, ch. 7.

1516. — *A Wanderer's. Lost.* ¹⁶ I have gone astray like a lost sheep : seek thy servant ; for I do not forget thy commandments. —*PS.* 119.

1517. — *of Weakness. Saul.* ¹⁹ Wherefore then didst thou not obey the voice of the Lord, but didst fly upon the spoil? ²⁴ And Saul said unto Samuel, I have sinned : for I have transgressed the commandment of the Lord, because I feared the people, and obeyed their voice. —*1 SAM.*, ch. 15.

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CONTRITION.

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Annual. That ye may be clean from all your sins 1665
Bitter. Eat the flesh . . . with bitter herbs 1666

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1518. CONFIDENCE, The Believer's. David. ¹ The Lord is my shepherd ; I shall not want. ² He maketh me to lie down in green pastures : he leadeth me beside the still waters. ³ He restoreth my soul : he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. ⁴ Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil : for thou art with me, thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. ⁵ Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies : thou anointest my head with oil, my cup runneth over. ⁶ Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life : and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever. —*PS.* 23.

1519. — *A blind. Micah.* [A wandering Levite came, and] ¹² Micah consecrated the Levite ; and the young man became his priest, and was in the house of Micah. ¹³ Then said Micah, Now know I that the Lord will do me good, seeing I have a Levite to my priest. —*JUDGES*, ch. 17. [The Danites robbed him of his treasures and his priest.]

1520. — *without Caution. Benjamites.* [After two successful battles, on the third day]

1521. — The children of Benjamin said, They are smitten down before us, as at the first. But the children of Israel said, Let us flee, and draw them from the city unto the highways.—JUDGES, ch. 20. [They were destroyed.]

1521. — Disappointed. *Ark.* ⁸ When the ark of the Lord came into the camp, all Israel shouted with a great shout, so that the earth rang again. ¹⁰ And the Philistines fought, and Israel was smitten, and they fled. and there was a very great slaughter; for there fell thirty thousand footmen. ¹¹ And the ark of God was taken.—1 SAM., ch. 4.

1522. — False. *Men of Ai.* ¹⁴ The king of Ai saw *U.* they hastened, and went out against Israel to battle, he and all his people. but he wist not that there were liars in ambush. behind the city. ¹⁵ And Joshua and all Israel made as if they were beaten before them, and fled.—JOSH., ch. 8. [The defenceless city was burned, and its army destroyed.]

1523. — for the Future. *Paul.* ⁶ For we would not, brethren, have you ignorant of our trouble which came to us in Asia. ⁹ we had the sentence of death in ourselves. but God. ¹⁰ delivered us from so great a death, and doth deliver: in whom we trust that he will yet deliver us.—2 COR., ch. 1.

1524. — An intelligent. *Paul.* ¹¹ I know whom I have believed, and am persuaded that he is able to keep that which I have committed unto him against that day.—2 TIM., ch. 1.

1525. — A joyful. *David.* ¹⁸ Oh how great is thy goodness, which thou hast laid up for them that fear thee; which thou hast wrought for them that trust in thee before the sons of men! ²⁰ Thou shalt hide them in the secret of thy presence from the pride of man: thou shalt keep them secretly in a pavilion from the strife of tongues.—PS., 31.

1526. — Over. *To Elisha.* ¹² Hazael said, Why weepeth my lord? Because I know the evil that thou wilt do unto the children of Israel: their strong holds wilt thou set on fire, and their young men wilt thou slay with the sword, and wilt dash their children, and rip up their women with child. ¹³ And Hazael said, But what, is thy servant a dog, that he should do this great thing?—2 KINGS, ch. 8. [He did it.]

1527. — in Time of Peril. *Paul.* [See No. 1523.]

1528. — Piety begets. *Joseph.* [Potiphar] ⁸ saw that the Lord was with him, and made all that he did to prosper. ¹⁴ and he made him overseer over his house, and all that he had he put into his hand. ¹⁹ And the keeper of the prison committed to Joseph's hand all the prisoners. ²¹ The keeper. looked not to any thing that was under his hand: because the Lord was with him.—GEN., ch. 41.

1529. — Strong. *Caleb and Joshua.* ⁶ If the Lord delight in us, then he will bring us into this land. ⁹ neither fear ye the people of the land; for they are bread for us: their defence is departed from them, and the Lord is with us: fear them not. ¹⁰ But all bade stone them with stones.—NUM., ch. 14.

1530. — in Self. *Peter.* ²¹ Peter said.. Lord, why cannot I follow thee now? I will lay down my life for thy sake.—JOHN, ch. 13.

1531. — Triumphant. *In Adversity.* ¹¹ Although the fig tree shall not blossom, neither shall fruit be in the vines; the labour of the olive shall fail, and the fields shall yield no meat; the flock shall be cut off from the fold, and there shall be no herd in the stalls: ¹² Yet I will rejoice in the Lord, I will joy in the God of my salvation.—HAB., ch. 3.

1532. — Unwarranted. *Israelites.* ³ Let not all the people go up; but let about two or three thousand men go up and smite Ai; and make not all the people to labour thither; for they are but few. ⁴ So there went up about three thousand men; and they fled before the men of Ai.—JOSH., ch. 7.

1533. — An unfortunate. *Proverb.* ¹⁹ Confidence in an unfaithful man in time of trouble is like a broken tooth, and a foot out of joint.—PROV., ch. 25.

1534. — Undermining. *Rabshak-eh.* ²⁰ Neither let Hezekiah make you trust in the Lord, saying, The Lord will surely deliver us, and this city shall not be delivered into the hand of the king of Assyria. ²² Hath any of the gods of the nations delivered at all his land. ²⁴ Where are the gods of Hamath, and of Arpad? of Sepharvaim, Hena, and Ivah? have they delivered Samaria out of mine hand?—2 KINGS, ch. 18.

1535. — A warranted. *David.* ¹ David spake. in the day that the Lord had delivered him out of the hand of Saul: ² The Lord is my rock, and my fortress, and my deliverer: ³ The God of my rock; in him will I trust: he is my shield, and the horn of my salvation, my high tower, and my refuge, my saviour.—2 SAM., ch. 22.

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1536. CONFISCATION because of Absence.
The Shunammite.² Went with her household, and
sojourned in the land of the Philistines seven
years. ³..The woman returned..and she went
forth to cry unto the king for her house and
..land.—2 KINGS, ch. 8.

1537. — for Crime. *Haman's*. [He was
hanged for his wickedness.] ¹ On that day did
the king Ahasuerus give the house of Haman
the Jews' enemy unto Esther the queen.—ES-
THER, ch. 8.

1538. — Threat of. *Ezra*. 'The priests
made proclamation throughout Judah..unto all
..of the captivity, that they should gather them-
selves..unto Jerusalem; ² And that whosoever
would not come within three days..all his sub-
stance should be forfeited.—EZRA, ch. 10.

**1539. CONFLICT, respecting Duty. Father or
Friend.** ¹⁶ Jonathan made a covenant with the
house of David. ¹⁷..for he loved him as he loved
his own soul. ²⁰ Then Saul's anger was kindled
against Jonathan, and he said..thou hast chosen
the son of Jesse to thine own confusion.—1
SAM., ch. 20.

1540. — Preparation for. *Arms and Armour.*
¹¹ Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may
be able to stand against the wiles of the devil..
¹⁶ Above all, taking the shield of faith, where-
with ye shall be able to quench all the fiery
darts of the wicked. ¹⁷ And take the helmet of
salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is
the word of God.—EPh., ch. 6.

1541. — with Sin. *Paul*. ²¹ I find then a
law, that, when I would do good, evil is present
with me. ²² For I delight in the law of God af-
ter the inward man: ²³ But I see another law
in my members, warring against the law of my
mind, and bringing me into captivity to the law
of sin.—Rom., ch. 7.

1542. — of Truth. *Jesus*. ³⁴ Think not
that I am come to send peace on earth: I came
not to send peace, but a sword. ³⁵ For I am
come to set a man at variance against his father,
and the daughter against her mother, and the
daughter in law against her mother in law.
³⁶ And a man's foes shall be they of his own
household.—MAT., ch. 10.

1543. — An unequal. *Benaiah*. ²¹ He slew
an Egyptian, a goodly man..but he went down
to him with a staff, and plucked the spear out of
the Egyptian's hand, and slew him with his own
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ENEMY.

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Disarmed. [Benalah] plucked the spear out of the 2645
Great. Men slept, his enemy sowed tares..wheat 2646
Jealous. Saul became David's enemy continually 2647
Routed. [Leper] Camp of the Syrians..no man 2648
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Artful. Sent forth spies..feign themselves just 2652
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ended. Is not the whole land before thee?
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Prosperity brings. Land was not able to bear
Rebuked. Not from above... earthly, sensual
Truth makes. I am not come to send peace, but a
Wickedness of. Ungodly man diggeth up evil
Words make. Where no wood is... fire goeth out

WAR.

Art lost. Bent their swords into plowshares
Art aids. Could not drive out... chariots of iron
Civilized. Only the trees... not trees for meat
Challenge. Set him on his father's throne and
Dishonoured. David shed blood abundantly... not
Exempt. Man... build a new house... lest another
" Man... fearful and fainthearted... return
" Man... betrothed a wife and not taken her
Equipment. Put on the whole armour... may stand
Flesh. Another law in my members, warring
Insult. Hanun... out off their garments... to the
Levied. Of every tribe a thousand... send to the
Lord in. Captain of the host of the L. am I now
Merciless. Chaldees... had no compassion... old man
Necessary. On this condition will I make a
Prayer in. They cried to G. in the battle
Ruin. Beat down the cities... stopped all the wells
Readiness. Jabln... had 900 chariots of iron
Truth. I came not to send peace, but a sword

Spiritual. I will put enmity between thy seed and 450

1544. CONFUSION from Excitement. *Paul.*
The chief captain... took him, and commanded
him to be bound with two chains; and demand-
ed who he was, and what he had done. And
some cried one thing, some another, among the
multitude: and... he could not know the certain-
ty for the tumult.—*Acts*, ch. 21.

1545. — of Public Opinion. *Jesus.* He
asked his disciples, saying, Whom do men say
that I, the Son of man, am? And they said,
Some say that thou art John the Baptist; some,
Elias; and others, Jeremias, or one of the prophe-
ts.—*Mat.*, ch. 16.

1546. — Public. *Ephesus.* The whole
city was filled with confusion: and having
caught... Paul's companions in travel, they rush-
ed with one accord into the theatre. Some...
cried one thing, and some another: for the as-
sembly was confused; and the more part knew
not wherefore they were come together.—*Acts*,
ch. 19.

1547. — of Tongues. *Babel.* Let us go
down, and there confound their language, that
they may not understand one another's speech.
So the Lord scattered them abroad... and they
left off to build the city.—*Gen.*, ch. 11.

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Calamities. L. turneth the earth upside down 4435
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1548. CONQUEST, Preparation for. *Tiedr-
Spies.* Moses sent them to spy out the land of
Canaan, and said... go up into the mountain:
And see the land, what it is; and the people
that dwelleth therein, whether they be strong or
weak, few or many.—*Num.*, ch. 13. [Also if
cities were walled.]

1549. — An unfortunate. *Ark.* When

the Philistines took the ark of God, they brought
it into the house of Dagon, and set it by Dagon.
And when they of Ashdod arose early on the
morrow, behold, Dagon was fallen upon his
face to the earth before the ark of the Lord.—
1 *Sam.*, ch. 5. [The idol was broken, people
smitten with emerods, and terrified.]

1550. CONQUERORS welcomed. *David and
Saul.* When David was returned from the
slaughter of the Philistine... the women came
out of all cities of Israel, singing and dancing,
to meet king Saul, with tabrets, with joy, and
with instruments of music. Answered one
another as they played, and said, Saul hath slain
his thousands, and David his ten thousands.
—1 *Sam.*, ch. 18.

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1551. CONSCIENCE awakened. *Joseph's
Brethren.* [Accused in Egypt of another offence.]
They said one to another, We are verily guilty
concerning our brother, in that we saw the
anguish of his soul, when he besought us, and
we would not hear; therefore is this distress
come upon us.—*Gen.*, ch. 42.

1552. — An alarmed. *Felix.* He sent for
Paul, and heard him concerning the faith in
Christ. And as he reasoned of righteousness,
temperance, and judgment to come, Felix trem-
bled, and answered, Go thy way for this time;
when I have a convenient season, I will call for
thee.—*Acts*, ch. 24.

1553. — for Appearances. *Eating.* If any
man see thee which hast knowledge sit at meat
in the idol's temple, shall not the conscience of
him which is weak be emboldened to eat those
things which are offered to idols? And through
thy knowledge shall the weak brother perish, for
whom Christ died?—1 *Cor.*, ch. 8.

1554. — A bigoted. *Jews.* The Jews...
said unto him that was cured, It is the sabbath
day: it is not lawful for thee to carry thy bed.—
John, ch. 5.

1555. — Conviction of. *Pharisees.* He that
is without sin among you, let him first cast a
stone at her. And they which heard it, being
convicted by their own conscience, went out one
by one, beginning at the eldest, even unto the last:
and Jesus was left alone, and the woman.—*John*,
ch. 8.

1556. — A careful. *Paul.* Herein do I
exercise myself, to have always a conscience void
of offence toward God, and toward men.—*Acts*,
ch. 24.

1557. — A charitable. *Paul.* Now the
end of the commandment is charity out of a
pure heart, and of a good conscience, and of faith
unfeigned: From which some having swerved
have turned aside unto vain jangling.—1 *Tim.*,
ch. 1.

1558. — A defiled. Impure. ¹⁵ Unto the pure all things are pure : but unto them that are defiled and unbelieving is nothing pure ; but even their mind and conscience is defiled.—*TITUS*, ch. 1.

1559. — A distorted. Murderers of Jesus. [Judas returned his reward.] ⁶ The chief priests took the silver pieces, and said, It is not lawful for to put them into the treasury, because it is the price of blood.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

1560. — Errors of Jesus said. ⁹ They shall put you out of the synagogues : yea, the time cometh, that whosoever killeth you will think that he doeth God service, ³. because they have not known the Father, nor me.—*JOHN*, ch. 16.

1561. — of Hypocrites. Pharisees. ²¹ The Jews . . because it was the preparation, that the bodies should not remain upon the cross on the sabbath day . . besought Pilate that their legs might be broken, and . . be taken away.—*JOHN*, ch. 19.

1562. — Intimidation of. Pilate. ¹ By our law he ought to die, because he made himself the Son of God. ⁶ When Pilate therefore heard that saying, he was the more afraid. ¹⁹ And from thenceforth Pilate sought to release him.—*JOHN*, ch. 19.

1563. — A joy-giving. Paul. ¹² For our rejoicing is this, the testimony of our conscience, that in simplicity and godly sincerity, not with fleshly wisdom, but by the grace of God, we have had our conversation in the world, and more abundantly to you-ward.—*2 COR.*, ch. 1.

1564. — A liberal. Food. ²⁵ Whatsoever is sold in the shambles, that eat, asking no question for conscience' sake : ²¹ If any . . that believe not bid you to a feast, and ye be disposed to go ; whatsoever is set before you, eat, asking no question for conscience' sake.—*1 COR.*, ch. 10.

1565. — a Light. Candle. ²⁷ The spirit of man is the candle of the Lord, searching all the inward parts of the belly.—*PROV.*, ch. 20.

1566. — of Murderers. Pharisees. ²⁸ Then led they Jesus from Caiaphas unto the hall of judgment . . and they themselves went not into the judgment hall, lest they should be defiled ; but that they might eat the passover.—*JOHN*, ch. 18.

1567. — A preserved. Paul. ¹ Paul, earnestly beholding the council, said, Men and brethren, I have lived in all good conscience before God until this day.—*ACTS*, ch. 23.

1568. — Power of. A Sadducee. ¹⁴ King Herod heard of [Jesus] . . he said, That John the Baptist was risen from the dead, and therefore mighty works do shew forth themselves in him.—*MARK*, ch. 6.

1569. — A perverted. Saul's. ⁹ I verily thought with myself, that I ought to do many things contrary to the name of Jesus of Nazareth. ¹⁶ . . and many of the saints did I shut up in prison . . and when they were put to death, I gave my voice against them. ¹¹ And I punished them oft in every synagogue, and compelled them to blaspheme.—*ACTS*, ch. 26.

1570. — quickened. Israelites. ¹⁸ The Lord sent thunder and rain that day : and all the people greatly feared the Lord and Samuel.

¹⁹ And . . said unto Samuel, Pray for thy servants . . that we die not : for we have added unto all our sins this evil, to ask us a king.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 12.

1571. — a Reminder. Widow of Zarephath. [Her son's] ¹⁷ sickness was so sore, that there was no breath left in him. ¹⁸ And she said unto Elijah, What have I to do with thee, O thou man of God ? art thou come unto me to call my sin to remembrance, and to slay my son ?—*1 KINGS*, ch. 17.

1572. — respected. Influence. ²⁸ If any man say unto you, This is offered in sacrifice unto idols, eat not for his sake that shewed it, and for conscience' sake. ²⁹ Conscience, I say, not thine own, but of the other.—*1 COR.*, ch. 10.

1573. — A seared. Hot Iron. ¹ The spirit speaketh expressly, that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils ; ² Speaking lies in hypocrisy ; having their conscience seared with a hot iron.—*1 TIM.*, ch. 4.

1574. — A sensitive. David. [He had an opportunity to kill King Saul, intentional murderer, and was urged to do so.] ⁴ Then David arose, and cut off the skirt of Saul's robe privily. ⁵ . . afterward . . David's heart smote him. ⁶ And he said unto his men, The Lord forbid that I should . . stretch forth mine hand against him, seeing he is the anointed of the Lord.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 24.

1575. — A smiting. David's. ¹⁰ David's heart smote him after that he had numbered the people. And David said, I have sinned greatly in that I have done : and now, I beseech thee, O Lord, take away the iniquity of thy servant ; for I have done very foolishly.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 24.

1576. — A troublesome. Eliphaz said. ²⁰ The wicked man travaileth with pain all his days. ²¹ A dreadful sound is in his ears : in prosperity the destroyer shall come upon him. ²² He believeth not that he shall return out of darkness, and he is waited for of the sword.—*JOB*, ch. 15.

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1580. — A peculiar. *Saul's.* 8 Saul when
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1588. CONSISTENCY, Apostolic. *Paul.* ¹⁰ Ye are witnesses, and God also, how holily and justly and unblameably we behaved ourselves among you that believe: ¹¹ As ye know how we exhorted and comforted and charged every one of you, as a father doth his children.—**1 THESS.**, ch. 2.

1589. — Blameless. Christians. ¹⁴ Do all things without murmurings and disputings: ¹⁵ That ye may be blameless and harmless, the sons of God, without rebuke, in the midst of a crooked and perverse nation, among whom ye shine as lights in the world.—**PHIL.**, ch. 2.

1590. — Conscientious. *Paul.* ¹ Paul, earnestly beholding the council, said, Men and brethren, I have lived in all good conscience before God until this day.—**ACTS**, ch. 23.

1591. — before Critics. *Nehemiah.* ⁹ It is not good that ye do: ought ye not to walk in the fear of our God because of the reproach of the heathen our enemies? ¹⁰ I likewise, and my brethren, and my servants, might exact of them money and corn: I pray you, let us leave off this usury.—**NEH.**, ch. 5.

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1593. — Courageous. Three Worthies. ¹¹ If it be so, our God whom we serve is able to deliver us from the burning fiery furnace, and he will deliver us out of thine hand, O king. ¹² But if not, be it known unto thee, O king, that we will not serve thy gods, nor worship the golden image.—**DAN.**, ch. 3.

1594. — exemplified. Reforms. ³ The Lord was with Jehoshaphat, because he walked in the first ways of his father David. ⁴ And his heart was lifted up in the ways of the Lord: moreover he took away the high places and groves out of Judah.—**2 CHRON.**, ch. 17.

1595. — Fruit of. Christian. ¹¹ Doth a fountain send forth at the same place sweet water and bitter? ¹² Can the fig tree, my brethren, bear olive berries? either a vine, figs? so can no fountain both yield salt water and fresh.—**JAMES**, ch. 3.

1596. — in Hypocrisy. Pharisees. ²⁸ The baptism of John, whence was it? from heaven, or of men? And they reasoned with themselves, saying, If we shall say, From heaven; he will say unto us, Why did ye not then believe him? ²⁹ But if we shall say, Of men; we fear the people; for all hold John as a prophet. ³⁰ And they answered Jesus, and said, We cannot tell.—**MAT.**, ch. 21.

1597. — in Meekness. Christian. ¹⁴ If ye have bitter envying and strife in your hearts, glory not, and lie not against the truth. ¹⁵ This wisdom descendeth not from above, but is earthly, sensual, devilish.—**JAMES**, ch. 3.

1598. — Observed. John Baptist. ³⁰ Herod feared John, knowing that he was a just man and a holy, and observed him; and he did many things, and heard him gladly.—**MARK**, ch. 6.

1599. — regarded. Ministers. ¹ We then, as workers together with him, beseech you also that... ³ Giving no offence in anything, that the ministry be not blamed: ⁴ But in all things approving ourselves as the ministers of God.—**2 COR.**, ch. 6.

1600. — in Separation. Paul. ³⁰ The Gen-

tiles... sacrifice to devils, and not to God: and I would not that ye should have fellowship with devils. ²¹ Ye cannot drink the cup of the Lord, and the cup of devils: ye cannot be partakers of the Lord's table, and of the table of devils.—**1 COR.**, ch. 10.

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1602. — A Brother's. Absalom. ²² When Amnon's heart is merry with wine, and when I say unto you, Smite Amnon; then kill him, fear not... be courageous, and be valiant. ²⁹ And the servants of Absalom did.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 13.

1603. — in Court. Stephen. ¹³ They stirred up the people... elders, and the scribes, and came... and caught him, and brought him to the council, ¹⁴ And set up false witnesses, which said, This man ceaseth not to speak blasphemous words against this holy place, and the law.—**ACTS**, ch. 6.

1604. — A desperate. Paul. ¹² Certain of the Jews banded together, and bound themselves under a curse, saying that they would neither eat nor drink till they had killed Paul. ¹³ And they were more than forty.—**ACTS**, ch. 23.

1605. — A defeated. Pharisees. ¹⁵ The Pharisees... took counsel how they might entangle him in his talk. ¹⁷ Is it lawful to give tribute unto Cesar, or not? ¹⁸ But Jesus perceived their wickedness, and said... penny. Render... unto Cesar the things which are Cesar's; and unto God the things that are God's. ²²... they marvelled, and left him.—**MAT.**, ch. 22.

1606. — Escape from. David. ¹¹ Saul... sent messengers unto David's house, to watch him, and to slay him in the morning: and Michal David's wife told him, saying, If thou save not thy life to night, to morrow thou shalt be slain.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 19.

1607. — from Envy. Joseph. ¹⁸ When they saw him... they conspired against him to slay him. ¹⁹ Behold, this dreamer cometh. ²⁰ Let us slay him, and cast him into some pit, and we will say, Some evil beast hath devoured him, and we shall see what will become of his dreams.—**GEN.**, ch. 37.

1608. — An Ingrate's. Absalom. ¹⁰ Absalom sent spies throughout... Israel, saying, As soon as ye hear the sound of the trumpet, say, Absalom reigneth in Hebron. ¹¹ And with Absalom went two hundred men out of Jerusalem.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 15.

1609. — Infamous. Jezebel's. ¹ Dost thou now govern the kingdom of Israel? arise, and

eat bread, and let thine heart be merry : I will give thee the vineyard of Naboth the Jezreelite. ¹⁵ . . . when Jezebel heard that Naboth was stoned. . . Jezebel said to Ahab, Arise, take possession of the vineyard. . . which he refused to give thee for money.—1 KINGS, ch. 21.

1610. — A political. *Babylon.* ⁴ The presidents and princes sought to find occasion against Daniel concerning the kingdom ; but they could find none occasion nor fault ; forasmuch as he was faithful, neither was there any error.—DAN., ch. 6.

1611. — — *Joash.* ²⁰ His servants arose, and made a conspiracy, and slew Joash in the house of Millo, which goeth down to Silla. ²¹ For Jozachar. and Jehozabad. . . his servants, smote him, and he died ; and they buried . . . him in the city of David : and Amaziah his son reigned in his stead.—2 KINGS, ch. 12.

1612. — A successful. *Samson.* ¹⁸ When Delilah saw that he had told her all his heart, she sent . . . for the lords of the Philistines, saying, Come up this once. . . Then the . . . Philistines came. . . and brought money in their hand. ²¹ The Philistines took him, and put out his eyes, and brought him down to Gaza, and bound him with fetters of brass.—JUDGES, ch. 16.

1613. — against the Truth. *Ananias.* ¹ Ananias, with Sapphira his wife, sold a possession, ² And kept back part of the price, his wife also being privy to it, and brought a certain part, and laid it at the apostles' feet.—ACTS, ch. 5.

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² Thou hast filled me with wrinkles which is a witness against me : and my leanness rising up in me beareth witness to my face.—JOB, ch. 16.

1618. CONTEMPT, A Bigot's. *Pharisee.*

¹¹ The Pharisee stood and prayed thus with himself, God, I thank thee, that I am not as other men are, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this publican. ¹² I fast twice in the week, I give tithes of all that I possess.—LUKE, ch. 18.

1619. — A Critic's. *Michal.* ¹⁶ As the ark of the Lord came into the city of David, Michal Saul's daughter looked through a window, and saw king David leaping and dancing before the Lord ; and she despised him in her heart.—2 SAM., ch. 6.

1620. — for the Conceited. *Thistle.* 'Amaziah sent messengers to Jehoash..king of Israel, saying, Come, let us look one another in the face. 'And Jehoash..sent to Amaziah king of Judah, saying, The thistle that *was* in Lebanon sent to the cedar that *was* in Lebanon, saying, Give thy daughter to my son to wife: and there passed by a wild beast..and trode down the thistle.—2 KINGS, ch. 14.

1621. — disregarded. *Nehemiah.* 'When Sanballat..and Tobiah..and Geshem..heard it, they laughed us to scorn, and despised us, and said, What is this thing, that ye do? will ye rebel against the king? 'Then answered I..The God of heaven, he will prosper us; therefore we his servants will arise and build.—NEH., ch. 2.

1622. — An Enemy's. *Goliath.* 'He disdained him: for he was *but* a youth, and ruddy, and of a fair countenance. 'And the Philistine said, Am I a dog, that thou comest to me with staves? And the Philistine cursed David by his gods.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

1623. — expressed. *Sons of Belial.* 'Saul also went home to Gibeah; and a band of men, whose hearts God had touched. 'But the children of Belial said, How shall this man save us? And they despised him, and brought him no presents.—1 SAM., ch. 10.

1624. — Fraternal. *For David.* 'Eliab his eldest brother heard..and he said, Why camest thou down hither? and with whom hast thou left those few sheep in the wilderness? I know thy pride, and the naughtiness of thine heart; for thou art come down that thou mightest see the battle.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

1625. — for the Gospel. *Marriage Supper.* 'Tell them which are bidden, Behold, I have prepared my dinner: my oxen and my fatlings are killed, and all things are ready: come unto the marriage. 'But they made light of it, and went their ways, one to his farm, another to his merchandise.—MAT., ch. 22.

1626. — for God. *Idolatry.* 'They, their kings, their princes, and their priests, and their prophets, 'Saying to a stock, Thou art my father; and to a stone, Thou hast brought me forth: for they have turned *their* back unto me, and not *their* face: but in the time of their trouble they will say, Arise, and save us.—JER., ch. 2.

1627. — Insulting. *Job.* 'But now they that are younger than I have me in derision, whose fathers I would have disdained to have set with the dogs of my flock. 'Now am I their song, yea, I am their byword. 'They abhor me, they flee far from me, and spare not to spit in my face.—JOB, ch. 30.

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1629. — for Others. *Parable.* 'He spake this parable unto certain which trusted in themselves that they were righteous, and despised others: 'Two men went up into the temple to pray; the one a Pharisee, and the other a publican.—LUKE, ch. 18.

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1632. — avoided. *Esau.* 'Esau took..his cattle, and all his beasts, and all his sub-

stance, and went into the country from the face of his brother Jacob. ¹For their riches were more than that they might dwell together.—GEN., ch. 26.

1633. — **Destructive.** *Paul.* ¹⁴For all the law is fulfilled in one word, *even* in this; Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself. ¹⁵But if ye bite and devour one another, take heed that ye be not consumed one of another.—GAL., ch. 5.

1634. — **Domestic.** *Proverb.* ⁹*It is better to dwell in a corner of the housetop, than with a brawling woman in a wide house.* ¹⁰*It is better to dwell in the wilderness, than with a contentious and an angry woman.*—PROV., ch. 21.

1635. — **Foolish.** *Proverb.* ⁹*If a wise man contendeth with a foolish man, whether he rage or laugh, there is no rest.*—PROV., ch. 29.

1636. — **Corinth.** ¹¹There are contentions among you. ¹²every one of you saith, I am of Paul; and I of Apollos; and I of Cephas; and I of Christ. ¹³Is Christ divided? was Paul crucified for you? or were ye baptized in the name of Paul?—1 COR., ch. 1.

1637. — **Meddling with.** *Proverb.* ¹¹He that passeth by, and meddleth with strife *belonging* not to him, *is like* one that taketh a dog by the ears.—PROV., ch. 26. ³*It is an honour for a man to cease from strife: but every fool will be meddling.*—PROV., ch. 20.

1638. — **Prevention of.** *Proverb.* ¹⁴The beginning of strife *is as* when one letteth out water: therefore leave off contention, before it be meddled with.—PROV., ch. 17.

1639. — **removed.** *Abram said,* ⁹Separate thyself, I pray thee, from me: if *thou wilt take* the left hand, then I will go to the right; or if *thou depart* to the right hand, then I will go to the left. ¹⁰And Lot. beheld all the plain of Jordan.—GEN., ch. 13.

1640. — **A sharp.** *Paul—Barnabas.* [In revisiting the churches,] ⁴¹Barnabas determined to take with them. *Mark.* ²⁸But Paul thought not good to take him with them, who departed from them from Pamphylia, and went not with them to the work. ²⁹And the contention was so sharp between them, that they departed asunder one from the other.—ACTS, ch. 15.

1641. — **of a Woman.** *Proverb.* ¹⁵A continual dropping in a very rainy day and a contentious woman are alike. ¹⁶Whosoever hideth her hideth the wind.—PROV., ch. 27.

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1649. **CONTENTMENT, Constant.** *Paul.* ¹¹Not that I speak in respect of want: for I have learned, in whatsoever state I am, *there will* to be content. ¹²I know both how to be abased, and I know how to abound: every where and in all things I am instructed both to be full and to be hungry, both to abound and to suffer need. ¹³I can do all things through Christ, which strengtheneth me.—PHIL., ch. 4.

1643. — **Christian.** *Paul.* ⁵*Let your conversation be without covetousness; and be content with such things as ye have: for he hath said, I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee.*—HEB., ch. 13.

1644. — **Godly.** *Paul.* ⁶But godliness with contentment is great gain. ⁷For we brought nothing into *this* world, and *it is* certain we can carry nothing out. ⁸And having food and raiment, let us be therewith content.—1 TIM., ch. 6.

1645. — **Home of.** *Jethro.* ²¹Moses was content to dwell with the man: and he gave Moses Zipporah his daughter.—EX., ch. 1.

1646. — **at Home.** *Barzillai.* ³³David said unto Barzillai, Come thou over with me, and I will feed thee with me in Jerusalem. ³⁴I am this day fourscore years old: ³⁵Let thy servant turn back again, that I may die in mine own city, and be buried by the grave of my father and of my mother.—2 SAM., ch. 19.

1647. — **Lack of.** *Paul.* ⁹They that will be rich fall into temptation and a snare, and into many foolish and hurtful lusts, which drown men in destruction and perdition. ¹⁰For the love of money is the root of all evil: which while some coveted after, they have erred from the faith, and pierced themselves through with many sorrows.—1 TIM., ch. 6.

1648. — **with Little.** *Proverb.* ¹⁶Better is little with the fear of the Lord, than great treasure and trouble therewith. ¹⁷Better is a dinner of herbs where love is, than a stalled ox and hatred therewith.—PROV., ch. 15. ⁶Better is a little with righteousness, than great revenues without right.—PROV., ch. 16.

1649. — **with Possessions.** *To Jacob.* ⁹Said, What *meanest* thou by all this drove which I met? And he said, *These are* to find grace in the sight of my lord. ¹⁰And Esau said, I have enough, my brother; keep that thou hast.—GEN., ch. 33.

1650. — **Perfect.** *David.* ¹The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. ²He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters.—PS. 23.

1651. — **with Riches.** *Abram.* ²²Abram said to the king of Sodom, I have lifted up mine hand unto the Lord. ²³That I will not take from a thread even to a shoelatchet, and that I will not take any thing that *is* thine, lest thou shouldst say, I have made Abram rich.—GEN., ch. 14. [He had rescued the king and people out of the hands of their enemies.]

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1652. **CONTROVERSY** avoided. *Jesus*. [The Samaritan woman said,] "Our fathers worshipped in this mountain; and ye say, that in Jerusalem is the place where men ought to worship." "Jesus saith unto her, Woman, believe me." "The true worshippers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth.—JOHN, ch. 4.

1653. — **A fatal Cain**. "Cain talked with Abel..and..when they were in the field..Cain rose up..and slew him.—GEN., ch. 4.

1654. **CONTROVERSIALIST**, A holy. *Paul*. [At Athens,] "Disputed he in the synagogues with the Jews, and with the devout persons, and in the market daily with them that met with him.—ACTS, ch. 17.

1655. **CONTEST**, A discouraging. *Elijah*. "What doest thou here, Elijah?" "And he said, I have been very jealous for the Lord God of hosts: because the children of Israel have forsaken thy covenant, thrown down thine altars, and slain thy prophets..and I, even I only, am left; and they seek my life.—1 KINGS, ch. 19.

1656. — **An unequal David with Goliath**. "There went out a champion..whose height was six cubits and a span." "And he had a helmet of brass..and he was armed with a coat of mail; "And he had greaves of brass upon his legs, and a target of brass between his shoulders." "And the staff of his spear was like a weaver's beam; and his spear's head weighed six hundred shekels of iron: and one bearing a shield went before him. 1 SAM., ch. 17. [David chose five smooth stones.

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1657. **CONTRIBUTIONS**, Abundant. *Solomon's Temple*. "The chief of the fathers and princes..and the captains..with the rulers..offered willingly." "And gave..of gold five thousand talents and ten thousand drams, and of silver ten thousand talents, and of brass eighteen thousand talents, and one hundred talents of iron." "And..precious stones.—1 CHRON., ch. 29.

1658. — **for Expenses**. *Worship*. "We made ordinances..to charge ourselves yearly with the third part of a shekel for the service of the house of our God; "For the shewbread..the continual meat offering..the continual burnt offering, of the sabbaths, of the new moons, for the set feasts, and for the holy things, and for the sin offerings..and for all the work of the house.—NUM., ch. 10. [About thirty-three cents.]

1659. — **for Jesus**. *Women*. [Jesus was on a preaching tour, and] "Certain women, which had been healed of evil spirits and infirmities, Mary called Magdalene, out of whom went seven devils," "And Joanna the wife of Chuza Herod's steward, and Susanna, and many others..ministered unto him of their substance.—LUKE, ch. 8.

1660. — **for the Levites**. *Tithes*. "The children of Israel brought in abundance the first-fruits of corn, wine, and oil, and honey, and of all the increase of the field; and the tithe of all things brought they in abundantly." "that dwelt in the cities of Judah, they also brought in the tithe of oxen and sheep.—2 CHRON., ch. 31.

1661. — **for Repairs**. *Temple*. "Jehoiada the priest took a chest, and bored a hole in the lid of it, and set it beside the altar, on the right side..and the priests that kept the door put therein all the money that was brought.—2 KINGS, ch. 12.

1662. — **for Rebuilding**. *Under Zerubbabel*. "Some of the chief of the fathers..offered freely." "They gave after their ability unto the treasure of the work threescore and one thousand drams of gold, and five thousand pounds of silver, and one hundred priests' garments.—EZRA, ch. 2. [About \$375,000.]

1663. — **Various**. *Tabernacle*. "Both men and women..brought bracelets, and earrings, and rings, and tablets, all jewels of gold." "And every man, with whom was found blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine linen, and goats' hair, and red skins of rams, and badgers' skins, brought them." "silver and brass..and..shittim wood.—EX., ch. 35.

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1664. CONTRITION accepted. *Josiah's.* ¹⁹ Because thine heart was tender, and thou hast humbled thyself before the Lord..and hast rent thy clothes, and wept before me; I also have heard thee, saith the Lord. ²⁰ Behold therefore..thou shalt be gathered into thy grave in peace; and thine eyes shall not see all the evil which I will bring upon this place.—2 KINGS, ch. 22.

1665. — Annual. *Jewish.* ²⁹ This shall be a statute for ever..that in the seventh month, on the tenth day..ye shall afflict your souls, and do no work at all.. ³⁰ For on that day shall the priest make an atonement for you..that ye may be clean from all your sins.—LEV., ch. 16.

1666. — Bitter. *Passover.* ⁸ They shall eat the flesh in that night, roast with fire, and unleavened bread; and with bitter herbs they shall eat it.—EX., ch. 12.

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1667. CONVERT, Duty of a. *Samaritan.* ²⁴ The woman then left her waterpot, and went her way into the city, and saith to the men, ²⁵ Come, see a man, which told me all things that ever I did: is not this the Christ? ²⁶ Then they..came unto him. ²⁷ And many of the Samaritans..believed on him for the saying of the woman.—JOHN, ch. 4.

1668. — A distinguished. *Eunuch.* ²⁷ A eunuch of great authority under Candace queen of the Ethiopians, who had the charge of all her treasure, and had come to Jerusalem for to worship, ²⁸ And he commanded the chariot to stand still: and they went..into the water, both Philip and the eunuch; and he baptized him.—ACTS, ch. 8.

1669. — A spurious. *Simon.* ¹⁸ When Simon saw that through laying on of the apostles' hands the Holy Ghost was given, he offered them money, ¹⁹ Saying, Give me also this power.—ACTS, ch. 8.

1670. — Trial of a. *Pharisees.* ²⁰ How opened he thine eyes? ²¹ He answered them, I have told you already, and ye did not hear: wherefore would ye hear it again? will ye also be his disciples? ²² Then they reviled him, and said, Thou art his disciple; but we are Moses' disciples. ²⁴..And they cast him out.—JOHN, ch. 9.

1671. CONVERTS, Counsel to. *Revival at Antioch.* ²¹ The church which was in Jerusalem..sent forth Barnabas..as far as Antioch. ²² Who, when he came, and had seen the grace of God, was glad, and exhorted them all, that with purpose of heart they would cleave unto the Lord.—ACTS, ch. 11.

1672. — Food for. *Milk.* ² As newborn babes, desire the sincere milk of the word, that ye may grow thereby.—1 PETER, ch. 2.

1673. — from humble Life. *Jesus.* ⁴⁴ Some of them would have taken him; but no man laid hands on him..Why have ye not brought him? ⁴⁵ The officers answered, Never man spake like this man. ⁴⁷ Then answered..the Pharisees, Are ye also deceived? ⁴⁸ Have any of the rulers or of the Pharisees believed on him?—JOHN, ch. 7.

1674. — to Hypocrisy. *Pharisees.* ¹⁸ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye compass sea and land to make one proselyte..and when he is made, ye make him twofold more the child of hell than yourselves.—MAT., ch. 23.

1675. — Influential. *Bereans.* ¹¹ These were more noble than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness of mind, and searched the Scriptures daily, whether those things were so. ¹² Therefore many of them believed; also of honourable women which were Greeks, and of men, not a few.—ACTS, ch. 17.

1676. — Increase of. *Five Thousand.* ⁴ Many of them which heard the word believed; and the number of the men was about five thousand.—ACTS, ch. 4.

1677. — — Three Thousand. ⁴¹ They that gladly received his word were baptized: and the same day there were added unto them about three thousand souls. ⁴² And they continued steadfastly.—ACTS, ch. 2.

1678. — without Principle. *Persians.* ¹² In every city, whithersoever the king's..decree came, the Jews had joy and gladness, a feast and a good day. And many..became Jews; for the fear of the Jews fell upon them.—ESTHER, ch. 8.

1679. — Steadfast. *Jerusalem.* ⁴⁸ Sold their possessions and goods, and parted them to all men, as every man had need. ⁴⁹ And they, continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, did eat their meat with gladness and singleness of heart.—ACTS, ch. 2.

1680. — Superficial. *Stony Ground.* ¹⁶ When they have heard the word, immediately receive it with gladness; ¹⁷ And have no root in themselves, and so endure but for a time: afterward, when affliction or persecution ariseth for the word's sake, immediately they are offended.—MARK, ch. 4.

1681. — Zeal for. *Paul.* ¹⁹ I made myself servant unto all, that I might gain the more. ²⁰ And unto the Jews I became as a Jew, that I might gain the Jews; to them that are under the law, as under the law, that I might gain them that are under the law; ²¹ To them that are without law, as without law. ²²..I am made all things to all men, that I might by all means save some.—1 COR., ch. 9.

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1692. CONVICTION, An awakening. Dead.

¹³ All things that are reprov'd are made manifest by the light : for whatsoever doth make manifest is light. ¹⁴ Wherefore he saith, Awake thou that sleepest, and arise from the dead, and Christ shall give thee light.—*EPH.*, ch. 5.

1693. — challenged. Aged Samuel. ³ Behold, here I am : witness against me before the Lord, and before his anointed : whose ox have I taken ? or whose ass have I taken ? or whom have I defrauded ? whom have I oppressed ? or of whose hand have I received any bribe to blind mine eyes therewith ? and I will restore it you.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 12.

1694. — by Deeds. Widow of Zarephath. ¹³ Elijah took the child . . . down out of the chamber . . . and delivered him unto his mother . . . said, See, thy son liveth. ¹⁴ . . . Now by this I know that thou art a man of God, and that the word of the Lord in thy mouth is truth.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 17.

1695. — from Examination. Bereans. ¹¹ They received the word with all readiness of mind, and searched the Scriptures daily, whether those things were so. ¹² Therefore many of them believed ; also of honourable women which were Greeks, and of men, not a few.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

1696. — Heaven sent. Saul. ³ Suddenly there shined round about him a light from heaven : ⁴ And he fell to the earth, and heard a voice saying unto him, Saul, Saul, why persecutest thou me ?—*ACTS*, ch. 9.

1697. — A heartfelt. Pentecost. ³¹ When they heard this, they were pricked in their heart, and said unto Peter and to the rest of the apostles, Men and brethren, what shall we do ? ³² Then Peter said . . . Repent, and be baptized.—*ACTS*, ch. 2.

1698. — necessary. No Depth. ³ Some fell upon stony places, where they had not much earth : and forthwith they sprung up, because they had no deepness of earth : ⁴ And when the sun was up, they were scorched ; and because they had no root, they withered away.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

1699. — Prayer under. Job. ³² How many are mine iniquities and sins ? make me to know my transgression and my sin. ³⁴ Wherefore hidest thou thy face, and holdest me for thine enemy ? ³⁵ Wilt thou break a leaf driven to and fro ? and wilt thou pursue the dry stubble ? ³⁶ For thou writest bitter things against me, and makest me to possess the iniquities of my youth. ³⁷ Thou puttest my feet also in the stocks, and lookest narrowly unto all my paths ; thou settest a print upon the heels of my feet. ³⁸ And he, as a rotten thing, consumeth, as a garment that is moth-eaten.—*JOB*, ch. 13.

1700. — resisted. Pharisees. [Two days before Jesus' death, John says,] ³¹ Though he had done so many miracles before them, yet they believed not on him.—*JOHN*, ch. 12.

1701. — Rational. Prodigal. ¹¹ When he came to himself, he said, How many hired servants of my father's have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger ! ¹⁸ I will arise and go to my father.—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

1702. — Sensitiveness to. David. ⁵ Afterwards David's heart smote him, because he had cut off Saul's skirt. ⁶ And he said unto his

men, The Lord forbid that I should do this thing unto my master, the Lord's anointed.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 24.

1693. — Smiting. David. ¹⁰ David's heart smote him after that he had numbered the people. . . I have sinned greatly in that I have done : and now, I beseech thee, O Lord, take away the iniquity of thy servant ; for I have done very foolishly.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 24.

1694. — Sudden. On Carmel. ²⁸ The fire of the Lord fell, and consumed the burnt sacrifice, and the wood, and the stones, and the dust, and licked up the water that was in the trench. ²⁹ And when all the people saw it, they fell on their faces : and they said, The Lord, he is the God.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 18.

1695. — Speechless. Council. [Peter had healed a lame man in the temple. Was arrested.] ¹⁴ And beholding the man which was healed standing with them, they could say nothing against it.—*ACTS*, ch. 4.

1696. — by the Truth. Josiah. ¹⁰ Shaphan read it before the king. ¹¹ And . . . when the king had heard the words of the book of the law . . . he rent his clothes.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 22.

1697. — Thorough. Digged Deep. ⁴⁸ He is like a man which built a house, and digged deep, and laid the foundation on a rock : and when the flood arose, the stream beat vehemently upon that house, and could not shake it ; for it was founded upon a rock.—*LUKE*, ch. 6.

1698. — Transient. At the Cross. ⁵⁴ When the centurion, and they that were with him, watching Jesus, saw the earthquake, and those things that were done, they feared greatly, saying, Truly this was the Son of God.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

1699. — A willing. Nathanael. ⁴⁶ Nathanael saith . . . Whence knowest thou me ? Jesus answered . . . when thou wast under the fig tree, I saw thee. ⁴⁹ Nathanael answered . . . Rabbi, thou art the Son of God.—*JOHN*, ch. 1.

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1700. CONVERSION a Creation. New Creature. ¹¹ Therefore if any man be in Christ, he is a new creature : old things are passed away ; behold, all things are become new.—*2 COR.*, ch. 5.

1701. — Conscious. Spirit. ¹³ Hereby know we that we dwell in him, and he in us, because he hath given us of his Spirit.—*1 JOHN*, ch. 4.

1702. — Changed by. *Jailer.* ²⁴ Thrust them into the inner prison, and made their feet fast in the stocks.—*ACTS*, ch. 16. [See No. 1707.]

1703. — changes the Life. *Saul.* [At Damascus.] ³⁰ He preached Christ in the synagogues, that he is the Son of God. ³¹ But all that heard him were amazed, and said; Is not this he that destroyed them which called on this name in Jerusalem, and came hither for that intent?—*ACTS*, ch. 9.

1704. — by Effort. *Strait Gate.* ²⁴ Strive to enter in at the strait gate: for many will seek to enter in, and shall not be able.—*LUKE*, ch. 13.

1705. — Evidence of. *Heart Opened.* ¹⁴ Lydia, a seller of purple, whose heart the Lord opened, that she attended unto the things which were spoken of Paul. ¹⁸ And when she was baptized, and her household, she besought us, saying, If ye have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come into my house, and abide there.—*ACTS*, ch. 16.

1706. — A false. *Simon.* ¹⁸ When Simon saw that through laying on of the apostles' hands the Holy Ghost was given, he offered them money, ¹⁹ Saying, Give me also this power, that on whomsoever I lay hands, he may receive the Holy Ghost.—*ACTS*, ch. 8.

1707. — A genuine. *Jailer.* ³³ He took them the same hour of the night, and washed their stripes; and was baptized, he and all his, straightway. ³⁴ And when he had brought them into his house, he set meat before them, and rejoiced, believing in God.—*ACTS*, ch. 16. [See No. 1715.]

1708. — a Heart-work. *Cleansing.* ²¹ Out of the heart of men, proceed evil thoughts, adulteries, fornications, murders, ²² Thefts, covetousness, wickedness, deceit, lasciviousness, an evil eye, blasphemy, pride, foolishness.—*MAT.*, ch. 7.

1709. — a hasty. *Eunuch.* ³⁶ As they went on their way, the eunuch said, See, here is water; what doth hinder me to be baptized? ³⁷ And Philip said, If thou believest with all thine heart, thou mayest. And he answered, I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God.—*ACTS*, ch. 8.

1710. — Inward. *Pharisees.* ²⁸ The Pharisee, marvelled that he had not first washed before dinner. ²⁹ And the Lord said, Now do ye Pharisees make clean the outside of the cup and the platter; but your inward part is full of ravening and wickedness.—*LUKE*, ch. 11.

1711. — a Mystery. *Wind.* ³ The wind bloweth where it listeth, and thou hearest the sound thereof, but canst not tell whence it cometh, and whither it goeth: so is every one that is born of the Spirit. ⁴ Nicodemus answered, How can these things be?—*JOHN*, ch. 3.

1712. — a Necessity. *To Nicodemus.* ³ Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God.—*JOHN*, ch. 3.

1713. — a new Heart. *King Saul.* ⁹ When he had turned his back to go from Samuel, God gave him another heart. ¹⁰ And the Spirit of God came upon him, and he prophesied.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 10.

1714. — Negative and Positive. *Paul.* ¹¹ Likewise reckon ye also yourselves to be dead indeed unto sin, but alive unto God through Jesus Christ our Lord.—*ROM.*, ch. 6.

1715. — A sudden. *Jailer.* ²⁹ He called for a light, and sprang in, and came trembling, and fell down before Paul and Silas, ³⁰ And brought them out, and said, Sirs, what must I do to be saved? ³¹ And they said, Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ.—*ACTS*, ch. 16.

1716. — A superficial. *"Not Root."* ³⁰ He that received the seed into stony places, is he that heareth the word, and anon with joy receiveth it; ³¹ Yet hath he not root in himself, but dureth for a while: for when tribulation or persecution ariseth because of the word, by and by he is offended.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

1717. — A wonderful. *Saul.* ³ Suddenly there shined round about him a light from heaven: ⁴ And he fell to the earth, and heard a voice saying, Saul, Saul, why persecutest thou me? ⁵ And he said, Who art thou, Lord? And the Lord said, I am Jesus whom thou persecutest.—*ACTS*, ch. 9.

1718. CONVERSIONS daily. *Pentecost.* ⁴¹ They that gladly received his word were baptized: and the same day there were added unto them about three thousand souls. ⁴² And the Lord added to the church daily such as should be saved.—*ACTS*, ch. 2.

1719. — Genuine. *Ephesians.* ¹³ Many that believed came, and confessed, and shewed their deeds. ¹⁹ Many of them also which used curious arts brought their books together, and burned them before all men: and they counted the price of them, fifty thousand pieces of silver.—*ACTS*, ch. 19. [About \$10,000.]

1720. — Instrumental of. *Woman.* ²⁸ Many of the Samaritans, believed on him for the saying of the woman, which testified, He told me all that ever I did.—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

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1722. — Religious. Law. 'These words..shall be in thine heart: 'And thou shalt..talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up.—DEUT., ch. 6.

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came in, hath not ceased to kiss my feet. "My

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LUKE, ch. 7.

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1725. CORRESPONDENCE necessary. *Old and New.* ²¹ No man . . . seweth a piece of new cloth on an old garment ; else the new piece that filled it up taketh away from the old, and the rent is made worse. ²² And no man putteth new wine into old bottles ; else the new wine doth burst the bottles, and the wine is spilled, and the bottles will be marred : but new wine must be put into new bottles.—**MARK**, ch. 2.

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1726. CORRUPTION from Associates. *Solomon.* ¹ King Solomon loved many strange women, together with the daughter of Pharaoh, women of the Moabites, Ammonites, Edomites, Zidonians, and Hittites ; ² And he had seven hundred wives, princesses, and three hundred concubines : and his wives turned away his heart.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 11.

1727. — by Avarice. *Achan.* ²¹ I saw among the spoils a goodly Babylonish garment, and two hundred shekels of silver, and a wedge of gold of fifty shekels weight, then I coveted them, and took them ; and . . . they are hid in the earth in . . . my tent.—**JOSHUA**, ch. 7.

1728. — by Art. *Canaanites.* ³¹ When ye are passed over Jordan into the land of Canaan ; ³² Then ye shall drive out all the inhabitants . . . before you, and destroy all their pictures, and destroy all their molten images.—**NUM.**, ch. 33.

1729. — by Fraud. *Primitive.* ⁴ False brethren unawares brought in . . . came in privily to spy out our liberty which we have in Christ Jesus, that they might bring us into bondage.—**GAL.**, ch. 2.

1730. — General. *Antediluvians.* ¹¹ The earth also was corrupt before God ; and . . . filled with violence. ¹² And God looked upon the earth . . . for all flesh had corrupted his way upon the earth.—**GEN.**, ch. 6.

1731. — Moral. *Covetousness.* ¹⁰ Every one from the least even unto the greatest is given to covetousness, from the prophet even unto the priest every one dealeth falsely. ¹³ Were they ashamed when they had committed abomination ? nay, they were not at all ashamed, neither could they blush.—**JER.**, ch. 8.

1732. — Religious. *Calf.* ³ All the people brake off the golden earrings . . . and brought them unto Aaron. ⁴ And he . . . fashioned it with a graving tool, after he had made it a molten calf : and they said, These be thy gods, O Israel, which brought thee up out of the land of Egypt.—**EX.**, ch. 32.

1733. — — Samaritans. ²² Every nation made gods of their own, and put them in the houses of the high places which the Samaritans had made . . . ³⁰ And the men of Babylon

made Succoth-benoth, and the men of Cuth made Nergal, and the men of Hamath made Ashima, ³¹ And the Avites made Nibhaz and Tartak, and the Sepharvites burnt their children in fire to Adrammelech and Anammelech, the gods of Sepharvaim.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 17.

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1734. COST, Count the. *Disciple.* ¹⁹ A certain scribe came, and said unto him, Master, I will follow thee whithersoever thou goest. ²⁰ And Jesus saith . . . The foxes have holes, and the birds of the air have nests ; but the Son of man hath not where to lay his head.—**MAT.**, ch. 8.

1735. — Counted the. *Ephesians.* ¹⁹ Many . . . which used curious arts brought their books together, and burned them before all men : and they counted the price of them . . . fifty thousand pieces of silver.—**ACTS**, ch. 19. [About \$10,000.]

1736. — not counted. *Jesus.* ²⁸ Which of you, intending to build a tower, sitteth not down first, and counteth the cost . . . ²⁹ Lest haply, after he hath laid the foundation, and is not able to finish it, all that behold it begin to mock him, ³⁰ Saying, this man began to build, and was not able to finish.—**LUKE**, ch. 14.

1737. — Sacrifice with. *David.* ²² Araunah said . . . take and offer up what seemeth good unto him : behold here be oxen for burnt sacrifice, and threshing instruments and other instruments of the oxen for wood. ²⁴ And the king said . . . Nay ; but I will surely buy it of thee at a price : neither will I offer burnt offerings . . . of that which doth cost me nothing. So David bought the threshing-floor and the oxen for fifty shekels of silver.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 24. [About \$25.]

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1738. COUNCIL of Unfortunates. *Four Lepers.*

¹ Why sit we here until we die? ⁴ If we say, We will enter into the city, then the famine is in the city, and we shall die there: and if we sit still here, we die also. Let us fall unto the host of the Syrians: if they save us alive, we shall live; and if they kill us, we shall but die.—2 KINGS, ch. 7.

1739. COUNSEL, Benefit in. *Proverb.* ¹⁴ Where no counsel is, the people fall: but in the multitude of counsellors there is safety.—PROV., ch. 11.

1740. — of Friends, Evil. *Haman.* ¹⁴ Said Zeresh his wife and all his friends. Let a gallows be made of fifty cubits high, and to-morrow speak thou unto the king that Mordecai may be hanged thereon.—ESTHER, ch. 5.

1741. — of God neglected. *Gibeonites.* ¹⁴ The men took of their victuals, and asked not counsel at the mouth of the Lord. ¹⁵ And Joshua made peace with them, and...a league..to let them live: and the princes..swore unto them. ¹⁶ At the end of three days after..they heard that they were their neighbours.—JOSH., ch. 9.

1742. — Oracular. *Ahithophel.* ²³ The counsel of Ahithophel, which he counselled in those days, was as if a man had inquired at the oracle of God: so was all the counsel of Ahithophel both with David and with Absalom.—2 SAM., ch. 16.

1743. — brings Peace. *Woman of Abel.* ¹⁴ Then cried a wise woman out of the city, Hear, hear; say, I pray you, unto Joab, Come near hither, that I may speak with thee. ¹⁵ Then she said..Hear the words of thine handmaid. And he answered, I do hear. ¹⁶ Then she spake, saying, They were wont to speak in old time, saying, They shall surely ask counsel at Abel: and so they ended the matter.—2 SAM., ch. 20. [Peace was procured.]

1744. — Payment for. *Saul.* ¹ Said Saul to his servant..what shall we bring the man? for the bread is spent in our vessels, and there is not a present to bring to the man of God: what have we? ² And the servant answered..I have here at hand the fourth part of a shekel of silver.—1 SAM., ch. 9.

1745. — Rejection of. *Ahithophel.* ¹⁴ Absalom and all the men of Israel said, The counsel of Hushai..is better than the counsel of Ahithophel. ²³ And when Ahithophel saw that his counsel was not followed, he saddled his ass..and gat him home to his..city, and put his household in order, and hanged himself.—2 SAM., ch. 17.

1746. COUNSELLERS of the Dying. *David.* ¹ He charged Solomon his son, saying, ² I go the way of all the earth: be thou strong therefore, and shew thyself a man; ³ And keep the charge of the Lord thy God, to walk in his ways, to keep

his statutes, and his commandments, and his judgments, and his testimonies.—1 KINGS, ch. 2.

1747. — Opposing. *Ahithophel—Hushai.* ¹ Ahithophel said unto Absalom, Let me now choose out twelve thousand men, and I will arise and pursue after David this night: ² And Hushai said unto Absalom, The counsel that Ahithophel hath given is not good at this time. ¹¹ Therefore I counsel that all Israel be generally gathered unto thee, from Dan even to Beer-sheba..and that thou go to battle in thine own person.—2 SAM., ch. 17.

1748. COUNSELLORS, Evil. *Young Men.* ⁸ He forsook the counsel of the old men..and consulted with the young men that were grown up with him.. ¹⁰..unto this people that spake.. saying, Thy father made our yoke heavy, but make thou it lighter unto us; thus shalt thou say..My little finger shall be thicker than my father's loins. ¹¹..I will add to your yoke: my father hath chastised you with whips, but I will chastise you with scorpions.—1 KINGS, ch. 12. [It divided the kingdom.]

1749. — Good. *Old Men.* ⁶ King Rehoboam consulted with the old men, that stood before Solomon his father while he yet lived, and said, How do ye advise that I may answer this people? ⁷ And they spake..If thou..wilt serve them.. and speak good words to them, then they will be thy servants for ever.—1 KINGS, ch. 12.

1750. — Influential. *Philistines.* ⁶ Achish called David, and said..thou hast been upright..I have not found evil in thee since the day of thy coming unto me unto this day: nevertheless the lords favor thee not. ⁷ Wherefore now return, and go in peace, that thou displease not the lords of the Philistines.—1 SAM., ch. 29.

1751. — Malignant. *Enemies.* ¹ When..our enemies heard that I had builded the wall, ² Sennaballat and Geahem sent unto me, saying, Come, let us meet together in some one of the villages in the plain of Ono. But they thought to do me mischief. ³ Come now therefore, and let us take counsel together.—NEH., ch. 6.

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1753. — Customs of Marriage. [Jacob saw] ²⁵ in the morning..it was Leah: and he said to Laban..did not I serve with thee for Rachel? wherefore then hast thou beguiled me? ²⁶ And Laban said, It must not be so done in our country, to give the younger before the firstborn.—GEN., ch. 29.

1754. — Native Love for Jacob. ²⁵ When Rachel had borne Joseph..Jacob said unto Laban, Send me away, that I may go unto mine own place, and to my country.—GEN., ch. 30.

1755. — Return to Moses. ¹⁸ Moses went..to Jethro his father in law, and said.. Let me go..and return unto my brethren which are in Egypt, and see whether they be yet alive.—EX., ch. 4.

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1758. — Bold. *Gadites*. ⁸ Gadites there separated themselves unto David into the hold to the wilderness, men of might, and men of war fit for the battle, that could handle shield and buckler, whose faces were like the faces of lions, and were as swift as the roes upon the mountains.—1 CHRON., ch. 12.

1759. — changed. *Belshazzar's*. ⁸ Came forth fingers of a man's hand, and wrote..upon the plaister of the wall..and the king saw the part of the hand that wrote. ⁶ Then the king's countenance was changed, and his thoughts troubled him.—DAN., ch. 5.

1760. — An illuminated. *Stephen's*. ¹⁵ All that sat in the council, looking steadfastly on him, saw his face as it had been the face of an angel.—ACTS, ch. 6.

1761. — Prayer-changed. *Jesus*. ²² He took Peter and John and James, and went up into a mountain to pray. ²³ And as he prayed, the fashion of his countenance was altered, and his raiment was white and glistening.—LUKE, ch. 9.

1762. — Power of the. *A Friend's*. ¹¹ Iron sharpeneth iron; so a man sharpeneth the countenance of his friend.—PROV., ch. 27.

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1765. — Sins upon the. *Israel*. ⁹ The shew of their countenance doth witness against them; and they declare their sin as Sodom, they hide it not. Woe unto their soul! for they have rewarded evil unto themselves.—ISA., ch. 3.

1766. — A sullen. *Laban's*. ¹ He heard the words of Laban's..sons, saying, Jacob hath taken away all that was our father's.. ² And Jacob beheld the countenance of Laban, and, behold, it was not toward him as before.—GEN., ch. 31.

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1770. — Absence of. Israelites. ¹¹ Three thousand men of Judah went to the top of the rock Etam, and said to Samson, Knowest thou not that the Philistines are rulers over us? ¹² We are come down to bind thee, that we may deliver thee into the hand of the Philistines. And Samson said, Swear, that ye will not fall upon me yourselves.—*JUDGES*, ch. 15. [Samson alone slew one thousand Philistines.]

1771. — Daring. Paul. [The Ephesian mob rushed his companions into the theatre.] ¹⁹ When Paul would have entered in unto the people, the disciples suffered him not.—*ACTS*, ch. 19.

1772. — Faith inspires. David. ²¹ David said, The Lord that delivered me out of the paw of the lion, and of the bear, he will deliver me out of the hand of this Philistine. And Saul said unto David, Go, and the Lord be with thee. ⁴⁵ Then said David to the Philistine, Thou comest to me with a sword, and with a spear, and with a shield: but I come to thee in the name of the Lord of hosts, the God of the armies of Israel, whom thou hast defied.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 17.

1773. — Ground for. Hezekiah. ¹ Be strong and courageous, be not afraid nor dismayed for the king of Assyria, nor for all the multitude that is with him: for there be more with us than with him. ⁸ With him is an arm of flesh; but with us is the Lord our God to help us, and to fight our battles. And the people rested themselves upon the words of Hezekiah.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 32.

1774. — God honouring. Caleb. ³⁰ Caleb stilled the people before Moses, and said, Let us go up at once, and possess it; for we are well able to overcome it. ³¹ But the men that went up with him said, We be not able to go up against the people; for they are stronger than we.—*NUM.*, ch. 13.

1775. — Invincible, Pious. Joshua. ⁵ There shall not any man be able to stand before thee all the days of thy life: as I was with Moses, so I will be with thee: I will not fail thee, nor forsake thee. Only be thou strong and very courageous, that thou mayest observe to do according to all the law, turn not from it to the right hand or to the left, that thou mayest prosper whithersoever thou goest.—*JOSHUA*, ch. 1.

1776. — Loss of. Israelites. ¹ When the men of Israel, on the other side Jordan, saw that the men of Israel fled, and that Saul and his sons were dead, they forsook the cities, and fled; and the Philistines came and dwelt in them.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 31.

1777. — Moral. Jesus went before. ³⁸ They were going up to Jerusalem; and Jesus went before them: and they were amazed; and as they followed, they were afraid. And he took again the twelve, and began to tell them, ⁴⁴ they shall mock him, and shall scourge him, and shall spit upon him, and shall kill him.—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

1778. — — Paul. ¹⁹ Both we, and they brought him not to go up to Jerusalem. ²⁰ Then Paul answered, What mean ye to weep and to break mine heart? for I am ready not to be bound only, but also to die at Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus.—*ACTS*, ch. 21.

1779. — Necessary. Joshua. ³ Every place that the sole of your foot shall tread upon, that have I given unto you, as I said unto Moses. ⁶ Be strong and of a good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: for the Lord thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest.—*JOSH.*, ch. 1.

1780. — Patriotic. Nehemiah. ¹⁴ I rose up, and said unto the nobles, rulers, and people, Be not ye afraid of them: remember the Lord, which is great and terrible, and fight for your brethren, your sons, and your daughters, your wives, and your houses.—*NEH.*, ch. 4.

1781. — to Rebuke. Paul. ¹⁴ When I saw that they walked not uprightly, I said unto Peter before them all, If thou, being a Jew, livest after the manner of Gentiles, and not as do the Jews, why compellest thou the Gentiles to live as do the Jews?—*GAL.*, ch. 2.

1782. — A Reformer's. Nehemiah. ¹⁰ Shemashah said, Let us meet together within the temple, and let us shut the doors in the night will they come to slay thee. ¹¹ And I said, Should such a man as I flee? and who is there, that, being as I am, would go into the temple to save his life? I will not go in.—*NEH.*, ch. 6.

1783. — stimulated. Five Amorite Kings. ¹⁴ Joshua called for all the men of Israel, and said unto the captains, Come near, put your feet upon the necks of these kings. ²⁴ And Joshua said, Fear not, nor be dismayed, be strong and of good courage: for thus shall the Lord do to all your enemies.—*JOSH.*, ch. 10.

1784. — A Soldier's. Jonathan. ⁶ Come, and let us go over unto the garrison of these uncircumcised: it may be that the Lord will work for us: for there is no restraint to the Lord to save by many or by few. ¹³ And Jonathan climbed up upon his hands and upon his feet, and his armourbearer after him: and they fell before Jonathan; and his armourbearer slew after him.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 14.

1785. — in Worship. Daniel. ¹⁰ When Daniel knew that the writing was signed, his windows being open in his chamber toward Jerusalem, he kneeled upon his knees three times a day, and prayed, as he did aforetime. ¹¹ Then these men assembled, and found Daniel praying.—*DAN.*, ch. 6.

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1787. — alarmed. *Ephesians.* "Demetrius, a silversmith, which made silver shrines

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1788. — An Apostle's. *Judas.* "He went his way, and communed with the chief priests and captains, how he might betray him unto them. "And they were glad, and covenanted to give him money.—LUKE, ch. 22.

1789. — aroused. *Philippi.* [The evil spirit being cast out of the soothsaying damsel,] "Her masters saw that the hope of their gains was gone, they caught Paul and Silas, and drew them into the marketplace unto the rulers.—Acts, ch. 16.

1790. — Absence of. *Abram.* "Abram said to the king of Sodom, I have lifted up mine hand unto the Lord..the possessor of heaven and earth, "That I will not take from a thread even to a shoelatchet, and that I will not take any thing that is thine, lest thou shouldest say, I have made Abram rich.—GEN., ch. 14.

1791. — in the Church. *Jews.* "Who is there even among you that would shut the doors for naught? neither do ye kindle fire on mine altar for naught. I have no pleasure in you, saith the Lord of hosts, neither will I accept an offering at your hand.—MAL., ch. 1.

1792. — Cruelty of. *Felix.* "Hoped also that money should have been given him of Paul, that he might loose him : wherefore he sent for him the oftener, and communed with him.—Acts, ch. 24.

1793. — Caution against. *Heirs.* "Master, speak to my brother, that he divide the inheritance with me.. "And he said..unto them, Take heed, and beware of covetousness : for a man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth.—LUKE, ch. 12.

1794. — Disobedience in. *Achan.* "I saw among the spoils a goodly Babylonish garment, and two hundred shekels of silver, and a wedge of gold of fifty shekels weight, then I coveted them, and took them ; and, behold, they are hid in the earth in..my tent.—JOSH., ch. 7. [Was stoned and burned.]

1795. — forbidden. *Decalogue.* "Thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's house, thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's wife, nor his manservant, nor his maidservant, nor his ox, nor his ass, nor any thing that is thy neighbour's.—EX., ch. 20.

1796. — Fraud from. *Gehazi.* "Gehazi, the servant of Elisha..said, Behold, my master hath spared Naaman..in not receiving..that which he brought : but..I will run after him, and take somewhat of him. "My master hath sent me, saying..there be come to me..two young men of the sons of the prophets : give them, I pray thee, a talent of silver, and two changes of garments.—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

1797. — Folly of. *Dives.* "I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years ; take thine ease, eat, drink, and be merry. "But God said..Thou fool, this night

thy soul shall be required of thee : then whose shall those things be . . ? ²¹ So is he that layeth up treasure for himself, and is not rich toward God.—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

1798. — begets Falsehood. *Ananias*. ¹ Ananias, with Sapphira his wife, sold a possession, ² And kept back part of the price, his wife also being privy to it, and brought a certain part, and laid it at the apostles' feet.—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

1799. — Freedom from. *Paul*. ²² I have coveted no man's silver, or gold, or apparel. ²³ Yea, ye yourselves know, that these hands have ministered unto my necessities, and to them that were with me.—*ACTS*, ch. 20.

1800. — Inconsiderate. *Lot*. ⁹ If thou wilt take the left hand, then I will go to the right ; or if thou depart to the right hand, then I will go to the left. ¹⁰ And Lot . . beheld all the plain of Jordan, that it was well watered every where . . even as the garden of the Lord, like the land of Egypt. ¹¹ Then Lot chose him all the plain of Jordan.—*GEN.*, ch. 13. [He lost all he had.]

1801. — Oppressive. *Jews*. ⁶ I was very angry when I heard their cry . . and I rebuked the nobles, and the rulers, and said . . Ye exact usury every one of his brother. And I set a great assembly against them. ⁸ And I said . . We, after our ability, have redeemed our brethren the Jews, which were sold unto the heathen, and will ye even sell your brethren ?—*NUM.*, ch. 5.

1802. — Overcome by. *Saul*. ⁹ Saul and the people spared Agag, and the best of the sheep . . oxen . . fatlings . . lambs, and all that was good, and would not utterly destroy them : but every thing that was vile and refuse, that they destroyed utterly.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 15.

1803. — Overreaching. *Laban*. [Jacob said.] ⁷ Your father hath deceived me, and changed my wages ten times ; but God suffered him not to hurt me.—*GEN.*, ch. 31.

1804. — stigmatised. *Paul*. ¹¹ I have written unto you not to keep company, if any man that is called a brother be a fornicator, or covetous, or an idolater, or a railer, or a drunkard, or an extortioner ; with such a one no not to eat.—*1 COR.*, ch. 5.

1805. — Shameless. *Jews*. ¹⁰ Every one from the least even unto the greatest is given to covetousness, from the prophet even unto the priest every one dealeth falsely. ¹² Were they ashamed when they had committed abomination ? nay, they were not at all ashamed, neither could they blush.—*JER.*, ch. 8.

1806. — Unhappiness from. *Ahab*. ¹ Naboth . . had a vineyard, which was in Jezreel, hard by the palace of Ahab. ⁴ And Naboth said to Ahab, The Lord forbid it me, that I should give the inheritance of my fathers unto thee. ⁴ And Ahab came into his house heavy and displeased.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 21.

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1808. — in Blood. *At Sinai*. ¹ He took the book of the covenant, and read in the audience of the people : and they said, All that the Lord hath said will we do, and be obedient. ⁸ And Moses took the blood, and sprinkled it on the people, and said, Behold the blood of the covenant, which the Lord hath made with you.—*EX.*, ch. 24.

1809. — An evil. *Judas*. ¹⁴ Judas Iscariot went unto the chief priests, ¹⁵ And said . . What will ye give me, and I will deliver him unto you ? And they covenanted with him for thirty pieces of silver.—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

1810. — of Friendship. *David and Jonathan*. ¹⁷ Jonathan caused David to swear again, because he loved him : for he loved him as he loved his own soul. ⁴⁵ And Jonathan said . . Go in peace, forasmuch as we have sworn . . The Lord be between me and thee, and between my seed and thy seed for ever.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 20.

1811. — The People's. *Josiah*. ³ Josiah read in their ears all the words of the book . . which was found in the house of the Lord. ⁸ And the king stood . . made a covenant before the Lord, to walk after the Lord, and to keep his commandments . . with all their heart and all their soul, to perform the words . . that were written in this book. And all the people stood to the covenant.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 23.

1812. — perpetuated, The Lord's. *Abram*. ¹ When Abram was ninety years old and nine, the Lord appeared . . and said . . walk before me, and be thou perfect. ⁷ And I will establish my covenant between me and thee and thy seed after thee in their generations, for an everlasting covenant, to be a God unto thee and to thy seed after thee.—*GEN.*, ch. 17.

1813. — Ratified. *Abram*. ¹¹ When the sun went down, and it was dark, behold a smoking furnace, and a burning lamp . . passed between those pieces. ¹⁸ In the same day the Lord made a covenant with Abram, saying, Unto thy seed have I given this land.—*GEN.*, ch. 15.

1814. — of Reformation. *Jehoiada*. ¹⁷ Made a covenant between the Lord and the king and the people, that they should be the Lord's people ; between the king also and the people. ¹⁸ And all the people of the land went into the house of Baal, and brake it down.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 11.

1815. — renewed. *The People*. ²⁸ The people . . their wives, their sons, and their daughters, every one having knowledge, and having understanding ; ²⁹ They clave to their brethren, their nobles, and entered into a curse, and into an oath, to walk in God's law.—*NEH.*, ch. 10.

1816. — and Self-denial. *Abram.* ¹ Get thee out of thy country . . unto a land that I will shew thee : ² And I will make of thee a great nation, and I will bless thee . . ³ and in thee shall all families of the earth be blessed.—*GEN.*, ch. 12.

1817. — Sign of. *Bow.* ¹³ This is the token of the covenant which I make between me and you, and every living creature . . for perpetual generations : ¹⁴ I do set my bow in the cloud, and it shall be for a token of a covenant between me and the earth.—*GEN.*, ch. 9.

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1818. COWARDICE, Blemished by. *Peter.* ¹⁴ Took they him . . into the high priest's house. And Peter followed afar off. ¹⁵ And when they had kindled a fire in the midst of the hall . . Peter sat down among them.—*LUKE*, ch. 22.

1819. — Cruel. *Herod.* [Herodias' daughter] ¹⁴ came in . . unto the king . . saying . . give me . . the head of John the Baptist. ¹⁵ And the king was exceeding sorry ; yet for his oath's sake, and for their sakes which sat with him, he would not reject her.—*MARK*, ch. 6.

1820. — Exemption by. *In War.* ⁸ What man is there that is fearful and fainthearted? let him go and return unto his house, lest his brethren's heart faint as well as his heart.—*DEUT.*, ch. 20.

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1823. — A surprising. *Elijah.* ² Jezebel sent . . saying, So let the gods do to me, and more also, if I make not thy life as the life of one of them by to-morrow about this time. ³ And when he saw that, he arose, and went for his life.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 19.

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INTIMIDATION.

Attempted. It is reported . . thou thinkest to rebel 4629
Boastful. Let not Hezekiah deceive you . . not be 4630
Fruit of. Peter denied it again . . curse and swear 4631
Failure of. Should such a man as I fee ! 4632
Moved by. Entice thy husband . . lest we burn thee 4633
Unsuccessful. Hearken not unto him, nor consent 4634
Without. Opened the prison . . go stand . . and speak 4635
Woman's. So let the gods do . . make thy life like 4636
Weakness. The garrison and the spoilers . . trembled 4637

TIMIDITY.

Disciples. Nicodemus . . came to Jesus by night 8616
" Joseph being a disciple, but secretly 8617
Friends. Good man, but no man spake openly 8618
Needless. Because of the money in our sacks 8619
Restrained. Were gathered . . Peter knocked at the 8620

Military. Have feared the sword, I will bring the S. 8626
See FEAR.

1824. CREDENTIALS in Deeds. *Jesus.* ²⁰ John Baptist hath sent us . . Art thou he that should come? or look we for another? . . ²¹ Then Jesus answering said . . Go your way, and tell John what things ye have seen and heard ; how that the blind see, the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised, to the poor the gospel is preached.—*LUKE*, ch. 7.

1825. — The highest. *Avril.* ¹ Moses laid up the rods before the Lord in the tabernacle . . ² . . on the morrow . . behold, the rod of Aaron . . was budded, and brought forth buds, and bloomed blossoms, and yielded almonds.—*NUM.*, ch. 17.

See other illustrations under :

AUTHORITY.

Brother's. My brother . . commanded me to be 584
Compared. Moses commanded . . what sayest thou 585
False. I am a prophet . . he lied 586
Obedience. All . . we will do . . will go 587
Power. I say unto one, Go, and he goeth 588
Questioned. By what authority doest thou these 589
Recognized. Winds and water . . obey him 591
Supreme. Drove them all out of the temple 590

Dominion. Fear of you . . upon every beast of the 2420

1826. CREDITORS, Charity of. *Release.* ¹ At the end of every seven years . . ² . . Every creditor that lendeth ought unto his neighbour shall release it ; he shall not exact it . . because it is called the Lord's release.—*DEUT.*, ch. 15.

See other illustrations under :

BORROWING.

Distress. Have mortgaged our lands . . buy corn 914
Forbidden. Owe no man anything, but to love 916

Buin. Borrowed..spoiled the Egyptians 915
 Servant. Borrower is servant of the lender 912
 Trouble. Axe head fell into the water..borrowed 913

DEBTS.

Compromised. Take thy bill..quickly, and write 2006
 Forgiven. Every seven years..every creditor shall 2007
 Miracle. Go sell the oil, and pay the debt 2009
 Severity. Fellow servants took him by the throat 2008

DEBTORS.

Army. Every one that was in debt..gathered 2010
 Destructive. Same servant [debtor] took him by 2011
 Gratitude. To whom little is forgiven..loveth 2012
 Insolvent. Have mortgaged our lands, vineyards 2013
 Protested. When thou dost lend..not go into his 2014

Diverse. I forgave thee all..shouldst not thou 3351
 Law. If a man borrow..make it good 7275

1927. CREDULITY of Unbelievers. *The Sadducee.* [Men were asking, Who is Jesus?] ¹⁶ When Herod heard thereof, he said, It is John, whom I beheaded: he is risen from the dead.—**MARK**, ch. 6.

See other illustrations under:

CONFIDENCE.

Believers. Though I walk through the valley 1518
 Blind. Know I that the L..I have a priest 1519
 Caution. They are smitten down..as at the first 1520
 Disappointed. Ark came..I shouted..ark taken 1521
 False. King [of A.] wist not..ambush 1522
 Future. Doth deliver..trust he will deliver 1523
 Intelligent. I know whom I have believed 1524
 Joyful. How great is thy goodness..trust thee 1525
 Over. Is thy servant a dog..do this? [Hazeal] 1526
 Peril. Have the sentence of death..we trust 1527
 Piety begets. L. was with Joseph..into his hand 1528
 Strong. L. delight in us..fear them not 1529
 Self. Peter said..I will lay down my life 1530
 Triumphant. Although the fig tree shall not b. 1531
 Unwarranted. Let two or three thousand go 1532
 Unfortunate. Confidence..like a broken tooth and 1533
 Undermining. Neither let Hez. make you trust..L. 1534
 Warranted. L. is my rock, fortress, deliverer 1535

PRESUMPTION.

Avoided. Better..he said, Come up hither; than 6534
 Baring. Egyptians pursued..midst of the sea 6535
 Failure. Presumed to go..Amalekites smote them 6536
 Future. Know not what shall be on the morrow 6537
 Impatience. Because thou comest not..I offered 6538
 Pride. Uziah..burnt incense upon the altar 6539
 Penalty. Come unto the king..not called..death 6540
 Religious. Prophet that shall speak..not com'd 6541
 Rebuked. Uziah..censer in his hand..leprosy 6542
 Sin. Trodden under foot the Son of God 6543
 Success. Soul that doeth..presumptuously..cut off 6544
 " Joshua made as if beaten..drawn away 6545
 Temptation. On a pinnacle..cast thyself down 6546
 Unholy. 250 princes..ye take too much upon you 6547

1928. CREMATION, Jewish. *Of Saul.* ¹⁹ All the valiant men..went all night, and took the body of Saul and the bodies of his sons from the wall of Beth-shan, and came to Jabesh, and burnt them there.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 31.

1929. CRIME, Abetting. *To Ahimelech.* ¹³ Saul said..Why have ye conspired against me, thou and the son of Jesse, in that thou hast given him bread, and a sword, and hast inquired of God for him, that he should rise against me.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 22. [He slew him.]

1930. — A Drunkard's. *Herod.* ²¹ Herod on his birthday made a supper to his lords.. ²² And

when..Herodias..danced, and pleased Herod and them that sat with him, ²³..he sware unto her, Whatsoever thou shalt ask of me, I will give it thee, unto the half of my kingdom. ²⁴..And she said, The head of John the Baptist.—**MARK**, ch. 6.

1931. — Intemperance favors. *David.* ¹³ When David had called him, he did eat and drink before him; and he made him drunk: and at even he went out to lie on his bed with the servants of his lord, but went not down to his house.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 11. [Where David desired him to go.]

1932. — and Wine. *Amnon.* ²⁸ When Amnon's heart is merry with wine, and when I say..Smite Amnon; then kill him, fear not..be courageous, and be valiant. ²⁹ And the servants of Absalom did.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 13.

1933. CRIMINAL, A shameful. *Unjust Steward.* ³ What shall I do? for my lord taketh away from me the stewardship: I cannot dig; to beg I am ashamed. ⁴ I am resolved what to do, that, when I am put out of the stewardship, they may receive me into their houses.—**LUKE**, ch. 16. [He fraudulently reduced the bills of debtors.]

1934. CRIMINALS, No Refuge for. *Sanctuary.* ²⁶ Joab had turned after Adonijah..And Joab fled unto the tabernacle..and caught hold on the horns of the altar. ²⁷..Then Solomon sent Benaiah..saying, Go, fall upon him.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 2.

1935. — Sanctuary for. *Adonijah.* [Having conspired to obtain the throne of his father, King David.] ³⁰ Adonijah feared because of Solomon, and arose, and went, and caught hold on the horns of the altar.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 1.

See other illustrations under:

ARSON.

Dwellings. Nebuzaradan burned..every great 4384
 Synagogues. Burned up all the synagogues in the 4129
 Suicide. Zimri hath conspired..burned..house 6953
 Temple. Nebuzaradan captain..burned the house 3225

BRIBERY.

Concealment. Gave large money unto the soldiers 980
 Desecration. Abaz took out of the house of the L. 981
 Friendship. Entice him..may prevail against 982
 Horrible. Judas said, What will you give me 983
 Official. Felix hoped..money..of Paul 984
 " Princes..loveth gifts..followeth after 985
 " Samuel's sons..took bribes and perverted 100
 Scorned. Shaketh his hand from holding of bribes 4061

CONSPIRACY.

Atrocious. Abimelech..slew his brethren..upon 1601
 Brother's. When Amnon's heart is merry..kill him 1602
 Court. Set up false witnesses [against Stephen] 1603
 Desperate. Jews banded..under a curse..killed 1604
 Defeated. How they might entangle him in his 1605
 Escape. Saul sent messengers unto David's house 1606
 Envy. When they saw Joseph..conspired against 1607
 Ingrates. Absalom sent spies throughout..I. 1608
 Infamous. I will give thee the vineyard of Naboth 1609
 Political. Sought to find occasion against Daniel 1610
 " Joash's servants..made a conspiracy 1611
 Successful. Delilah..sent for the lords of the 1612
 Against Truth. Ananias and S..kept back a part 1613
 Worst. Consulted..take J. by subtilty and kill 1614

FRAUD.

Appearances. Gibeonites..took old sacks..old 3406
 Commercial. Take thy bill..quickly..write fifty 3409

Demagogue. O that I were a judge..do justice 2171
Pious. Sons of the prophets give..silver [Gehazi] 3410
Religious. His enemy..sowed tares..wheat 3411
Spiritual. Simon offered money..Holy Ghost 3412
Traitor's. Whomsoever I shall kiss..is he 3413
Wages. Hire of the labourers kept..crieth 3414

GUILT.

Accumulated. Upon you may come all the 3706
Cowardice. Adam and his wife hid themselves 3707
Degrees. Two debtors; one owed 800 pence 3708
Panic. L. looked..through the cloud..troubled 3709

HANGING.

Ancient. Chief baker..him he hanged 7061
Accidental. Absalom's head caught hold of the 9946
Conspirators. Two chamberlains..hanged—Esth. 2 : 23
Deserved. They hanged Haman on the gallows 3737
Mortification. Ahithophel..hanged himself 3457
Remorse. Judas went out and hanged himself 5553
Retaliation. Seven sons of Saul they hanged 5724
Unjust. They hanged Haman's ten sons 3737

MURDER.

Attempted. Saul sought to smite David..slipped 5615
 " Led him to the brow of the hill..cast 5616
 " Jews watched the gates..to kill Saul 5617
 " Went about to kill Paul..Jerusalem 5618
Atrocious. Ish-bosheth lay on a bed at noon 5619
Avenged. Brought the head of Ish-bosheth unto 5620
Children. [Ahab's] Slew 70 persons..their heads 5621
Conspirators. When I say, Smite Amnon; then 5622
Desire. Herodias would have killed John..could 5623
Escape from. Michal let David down through a 5624
Excuse. By our law he ought to die..S. of G. 5625
Fratricidal. Cain rose up against Abel 5626
Gain. Let us kill him..seize on his inheritance 5627
for Healing. Therefore..sought to slay him 5628
Intended. Saul thought to make David fall by P. 5629
of Jesus. Herod slew all the children 5630
Proposed. Esau hated Jacob..then will I slay 5632
Responsibility. The Just One..ye have been the 5633
Indirect. Letter to Joab..Set Uriah in..the hottest 5631
Smothering. Hazeal took a thick cloth..on his 5634
Stoning. Cast Stephen out of the city and stoned 5635

MURDERER.

Chosen. Away with this man..release Barabbas 5636
Children of. Nor children put to death for the 5637
Unknown. [Law respecting, Deut. 21 : 1-8]

ROBBERY.

Insolent. [Danites] Lay thy hand upon thy mouth 7457
Sacrilegious. Shishak took away the treasures 7459
Spiritual. Will a man rob God..tithes and 7458

SUICIDE.

Imitated. Armourbearer..likewise fell upon his 8456
Mortification. Ahithophel..counsel was not 8457
Prevented. Keeper of the prison would have 8458
Soldiers. Saul took a sword, and fell upon it 8459
traitor's. Judas went and hanged himself 8460

THEFT.

Abduction. When I rose in the morning..not my 8767
Confessed. Micah said the 1100 shekels..I took it 8768
Fear. Take thy bill..quickly write fifty 8769
Famished. Men do not despise a thief..hungry 8770
Improbable. Disciples came..stole him..we slept 8771
Justifiable. Josheba took Joash..they hid him 8772
Kidnappers. Man be found stealing..brethren 8773

THIEF.

Killing. No blood be shed for him..sun be risen 8774
Office. Not that Judas cared for the poor..thief 8775

THIEVES.

Injuries. Thieves..stripped him and wounded 8776
Religious. Overthrew the tables..den of thieves 8777
Arson. We will burn thy house upon thee 503
Burglar. Found breaking up..sun be risen..blood 973
Compounded. Achan..stolen..dissembled 998
 " Peter denied [falsehood]..oath 810
Confiscation. House of Haman to the Jews 1537
 " Whosoever would not come within 1538
Fratricide. Abimelech slew his brethren, 70 3407
 " When I say, Smite Amnon; then kill 5619
Misery. Our fathers cast out their children..not 897
Supposed. Jeremiah..thou fallest away to the C. 79
Wanton. They break down the carved work with 4129

1836. CRIPPLE, a royal. *Mephibosheth.*
 4 Jonathan, Saul's son, had a son *that was* lame of his feet. He was five years old when the tidings came of Saul and Jonathan out of Jezreel, and his nurse took him up..and..as she made haste to flee..he fell, and became lame.—2 SAM., ch. 4.

See other illustrations under :

LAMENESS.

Disqualification. Not offer the bread of his God 4978
 " Lame..thou shalt not—Deut. 15 : 21
Healed. Never had walked..leaped and walked 4979
 " His feet and ankle bones received strength 4980
Want with. Laid daily at the gate..ask alms 4983
Benevolence. Feet was I to the lame [Job] 4927
Disqualifies. Lame..shalt not sacrifice it—Deut. 15 : 21
Sacrificed. Ye offer the lame for sacrifice 5843
Welcomed. Feast..call the poor..lame..blind 3756

1837. CRITICISM, Contemptuous. *Michal.*
 [Having danced before the incoming of the ark of God,] 20 David returned to bless his household. And Michal..came out..said, How glorious was the king of Israel to day, who uncovered himself..in the eyes of the handmaids..as one of the vain fellows shamelessly uncovereth himself.—2 SAM., ch. 6.

1838. — Disparaging. *Sanballat* 2 Said, What do these feeble Jews? will they fortify themselves? will they sacrifice? will they make an end in a day? will they revive the stones out of the heaps of the rubbish which are burned? 3 Now Tobiah the Ammonite *was* by him, and he said, Even that which they build, if a fox go up, he shall even break down their stone wall.—NEH., ch. 4.

1839. — of Enemies. *Nehemiah.* 9 It is not good that ye do : ought ye not to walk in the fear of our God because of the reproach of the heathen our enemies? 10 I likewise, and my brethren, and my servants, might exact of them money and corn : I pray you, let us leave off this usury.—NEH., ch. 5.

See other illustrations under :

ACCUSATION.

Astounding. [Concubine] No such deed done 2729
Bigotry. Withered hand..they watched..might 730
Confessed. Is not the hand of Joab..in this 2722
Evasion. Wherefore dealt ye so ill as to tell 2727
Fanaticism. His friends..said, He is beside 3036
Hypocritical. Why was not this sold..given 3038
Idleness. Make brick..ye are idle, ye are idle 4270
Malicious. Behold a gluttonous man, a wine 3039
 " Feigning themselves just men 1111
Reaction. Cast them [accusers] into the den of 439
Self. For my sake this great tempest [Jonah] 7305
Sinners. The woman..she gave me of the tree 4231

FAULTLESS.

Condemned. Pilate said. I find no fault in him 3085
 Official. Sought occasion against Daniel. found 3086
See BLAME and references.

1840. CROSS for Crucifixion, The. Believers'.
 They that are Christ's have crucified the flesh with affections and lusts.—*GAL.*, ch. 5.

1841. — A compulsory. Calvary. ²³ As they came out, they found a man of Cyrene, Simon by name : him they compelled to bear his cross.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

1842. — Death on the. Jesus. ¹¹ He bearing his cross went forth into a place called the place of a skull. ¹⁸ Where they crucified him, and two others with him, on either side one, and Jesus in the midst.—*JOHN*, ch. 19.

1843. — Glorifying in the. Paul. ¹⁴ God forbid that I should glory, save in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by whom the world is crucified unto me, and I unto the world.—*GAL.*, ch. 6.

1844. — A heavy. Rich Ruler. ²¹ Jesus beholding him loved him, and said. One thing thou lackest : go thy way, sell whatsoever thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven : and come, take up the cross, and follow me. ²² And he was sad at that saying, and went away grieved : for he had great possessions.—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

1845. — the indispensable. Disciple's. ²⁶ If any man come to me, and hate not his father, and mother, and wife, and children, and brethren, and sisters, yea, and his own life also, he cannot be my disciple. ²⁷ And whosoever doth not bear his cross, and come after me, cannot be my disciple.—*LUKE*, ch. 14.

1846. — Opposite Views of the. Paul.
¹¹ Christ sent me . . . to preach the gospel : not with wisdom of words, lest the cross of Christ should be made of none effect. ¹³ For the preaching of the cross is to them that perish, foolishness ; but unto us which are saved, it is the power of God.—*1 COR.*, ch. 1.

1847. CROSS-BEARING required. Jesus. ²⁸ A man's foes shall be they of his own household. ²⁹ He that loveth father or mother . . . son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me.—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

1848. CROSSNESS from Irritation. Israelites.
 [Pharaoh pursued the people. They said to Moses,] ¹² We did tell thee in Egypt, saying, Let us alone, that we may serve the Egyptians : For it had been better for us to serve the Egyptians, than that we should die in the wilderness.—*EX.*, ch. 14.

1849. — Habitual. Nabal. ³ His wife Abigail . . . was a woman of good understanding, and of a beautiful countenance : but the man was churlish and evil in his doings. ¹⁰ And Nabal answered David's servants, and said, Who is David ? and who is the son of Jesse ? there be many servants nowadays that break away every man from his master. ¹¹ Shall I then take my bread, and my water, and my flesh that I have killed for my shearers, and give it unto men, whom I know not whence they be ?—*1 SAM.*, ch. 25.

1850. — of Prejudice. Temple. ¹³ When the chief priests and scribes saw the wonderful

things that he did, and the children crying in the temple, and saying, Hosanna to the Son of David ; they were sore displeased.—*MAT.*, ch. 21.

See other illustrations under :

JEALOUSY.

Crucified by. Pilate knew that for envy . . . delivered 4671
 Disunion. Sheba blew a trumpet . . . we have no 4672
 Free from. Enviest thou for my sake ? Would God 4673
 Fraternal. Elder son was angry, and would not go 4674
 Implacable. Will not spare in the day of 4675
 Local. Did not receive him because his face 4676
 National. Are not Abana and Pharpar . . . better 4677
 Polygamous. Bare no children . . . Rachel envied her 4678
 Strife. We have more right in David than ye 4679
 Success. Why wentest thou to fight . . . Midianites 4680
 " Saul was yet the more afraid of David 4681
 Wounded. They have ascribed unto David ten 4682

Fretting. Fret not thyself because of evil doers 3416
 Periodical. Saul . . . an evil spirit . . . troubleth him 2412
 Sullen. Jacob beheld the countenance of Laban 2413
See ANGER and references.

1851. CROWN, A costly. Gold. ²⁹ David gathered all the people . . . and went to Rabbah . . . and took it. ³⁰ And he took their king's crown . . . the weight whereof was a talent of gold with the precious stones : and it was set on David's head.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 12.

1852. — Fighting for a. Paul. ¹ I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith : ² Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord . . . shall give me at that day : and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing.—*2 TIM.*, ch. 4.

1853. — of Life. After Trial. ¹³ Blessed is the man that endureth temptation : for when he is tried, he shall receive the crown of life, which the Lord hath promised to them that love him.—*JAMES*, ch. 1.

1854. — brings Sorrow, The. David.
¹² They mourned, and wept, and fasted until even, for Saul, and for Jonathan his son. ²⁶ How are the mighty fallen in the midst of the battle ! O Jonathan, thou wast slain in thine high places. ²⁷ I am distressed for thee, my brother Jonathan : very pleasant hast thou been unto me : thy love to me was wonderful, passing the love of women.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 1. [By their death David became the acknowledged king.]

1855. — of Thorns. Jesus. ²⁹ When they had platted a crown of thorns, they put it upon his head, and a reed in his right hand : and they bowed the knee before him, and mocked him, saying, Hail, King of the Jews !—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

1856. CRUCIFIXION, Disgraced by. Calvary.
²³ There they crucified him, and the malefactors, one on the right hand, and the other on the left. ²⁴ Then said Jesus, Father, forgive them ; for they know not what they do.—*LUKE*, ch. 23.

See other illustrations under :

CROSS.

For Crucifixion. They that are Christ's have 1840
 Compulsory. Simon . . . they compelled to bear the 1841
 Death. Place of a skull . . . crucified him, and two 1842
 Glorifying. G. forbid that I should glory, save in 1843
 Heavy. Take up the cross, and follow . . . grieved 1844
 Indispensable. Whoso doth not bear his cross 1845
 Opposite Views. To them that perish, foolishness 1846

1857. CRUELTY of Ambition. *Athaliah.* ¹When Athaliah the mother of Ahaziah saw that her son was dead, she arose and destroyed all the seed royal. ²But Jehosheba, took Joash the son of Ahaziah, and they hid him, and his nurse in the bedchamber from Athaliah, so that he was not slain.—2 KINGS, ch. 11. [She expected the throne.]

1858. — Brutal. *Jews.* ¹¹Smote of the children of Seir ten thousand. ¹²And other ten thousand left alive did the children of Judah carry away captive, and cast them down from the top of the rock, that they all were broken in pieces.—2 CHRON., ch. 25.

1859. — Failure of. *Egyptians.* ¹⁰Let us deal wisely with them; lest they multiply, they join also unto our enemies, and fight against us, and so get them up out of the land. ¹¹...they did set over them taskmasters to afflict them with their burdens. And they built for Pharaoh treasure-cities, Pithom and Raamses. ¹²But the more they afflicted them, the more they multiplied and grew.—EX., ch. 1.

1860. — Insulting. *Soldiers.* ¹⁷They clothed him with purple, and platted a crown of thorns, and put it about his head, ¹⁸And began to salute him, Hail, King of the Jews! ¹⁹And they smote him on the head with a reed, and did spit upon him, and bowing their knees worshipped him.—MARK, ch. 15.

1861. — of wounded Pride. *Haman.* ⁵When Haman saw that Mordecai bowed not, nor did him reverence, then was Haman full of wrath. ⁶And he thought scorn to lay hands on Mordecai alone, wherefore Haman sought to destroy all the Jews.—ESTHER, ch. 3.

1862. — Reward of. *Self.* ¹¹The merciful man doeth good to his own soul: but he that is cruel troubleth his own flesh.—PROV., ch. 11.

1863. — Savage. *Nebuchadnezzar.* ⁶The king of Babylon slew the sons of Zedekiah in Riblah before his eyes: also, all the nobles of Judah. ⁷Moreover he put out Zedekiah's eyes, and bound him with chains, to carry him to Babylon.—JER., ch. 39.

1864. — in War. *David.* [Rabbah was taken by Joab,] ²¹And he brought forth the people, and put them under saws, and under harrows of iron, and under axes of iron, and made them pass through the brickkiln: and thus did he unto all the cities of the children of Ammon.—2 SAM., ch. 12.

See other illustrations under:

MASSACRE.

Intended. Letters were sent by posts, to destroy 5249
Infants. Herod, slew all the children, in B. 5250
Treacherous. Jehu said, Proclaim an assembly for 5251

Bondage. Egyptians made their lives better 895
Horrible. Galileans whose blood Pilate had mingled 187
Soldiers. Chaldees who slew, had no compassion 138
Well-intended. Our fathers cast out their children 897

See MURDER.

1865. CULTURE an Adornment. *Proverb.* ⁸My son, hear the instruction of thy father, and forsake not the law of thy mother: ⁹For they shall be an ornament of grace unto thy head, and chains about thy neck.—PROV., ch. 1.

1866. CULTIVATION, Improvement by. *Fig Tree.* ⁸Lord, let it alone this year also, till I

shall dig about it, and dung it: ⁹And if it bear fruit, well: and if not, then after that thou shalt cut it down.—LUKE, ch. 13.

See other illustrations under:

EDUCATION.

Monument. Children ask, What mean ye by these 2602
Neglected. Children spake half in the speech of 2603
Preparatory. Such as had ability in them, king's 2604

INSTRUCTION.

Better than Practice. Not move one of their fingers 4541
Children. Teach them [law] thy sons, sons' sons 4542
Course. Three years, might stand before the king 4543
Humble. A. and Priscilla, expounded unto 4544
Important. Heareth, and understandeth it not 4545
Improvement. Be an ornament of grace unto thy 4546
Personal. [See No. 4544.]
Public. Ezra brought the law, all that could hear 4548
Private. Came man to him [Paul] into his lodging 4549

REFINEMENT.

Affliction. I have refined thee, furnace of 6912
Fire. He is like a refiner's fire, purify sons of Levi 6913

1867. CURE for All. *A. Jesus.* [At Capernaum,] ⁴⁰When the sun was setting, all they that had any sick with divers diseases brought them unto him; and he laid his hands on every one of them, and healed them.—LUKE, ch. 4.

1868. — for all Diseases. *Bethesda.* ⁴An angel went down at a certain season into the pool, and troubled the water: whosoever then first after, stepped in was made whole of whatsoever disease he had.—JOHN, ch. 5.

1869. — A Faith. *Brazen Serpent.* ⁹Moses made a serpent of brass, and put it upon a pole, if a serpent had bitten any man, when he beheld the serpent of brass, he lived.—NUM., ch. 21.

1870. — Gratitude for. *"Ministered."* ²⁸Simon's wife's mother was taken with a great fever; and they besought him for her. ²⁹And he stood over her, and rebuked the fever; and it left her: and immediately she arose and ministered unto them.—LUKE, ch. 4.

1871. — by strange Means. *Clay.* ⁶He spat on the ground, and made clay of the spittle, and he anointed the eyes of the blind man with the clay, ⁷And said, Go, wash in the pool of Siloam. He went his way therefore, and washed, and came seeing.—JOHN, ch. 9.

1872. — A progressive. *Blindness.* ²³And when he had spit on his eyes, and put his hands upon him, he asked him if he saw aught. ²⁴And he looked up, and said, I see men as trees, walking. ²⁵...he put his hands again upon his eyes, and made him look up; and he was restored, and saw every man clearly.—MARK, ch. 8.

1873. — A threefold. *Jesus.* ²²Then was brought unto him one possessed with a devil, blind, and dumb: and he healed him, inasmuch that the blind and dumb both spake and saw.—MAT., ch. 12.

1874. — A wonderful. *Withered Hand.* ⁵Stretch forth thine hand. And he stretched it out: and his hand was restored whole as the other. ⁶And the Pharisees, took counsel with the Herodians, how they might destroy him.—MARK, ch. 3.

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1875. CURIOSITY, A beneficial. Zaccheus. ³He sought to see Jesus..and could not for the press, because he was little of stature. ⁴And he ran before, and climbed up into a sycamore tree to see him.. ⁵Jesus..saw him, and said..Zaccheus, make haste, and come down; for to day I must abide at thy house.—LUKE, ch. 19.

1876. — at the Cross. Experiment. ⁴⁸One of them ran, and took a sponge, and filled it with vinegar, and put it on a reed, and gave him to drink. ⁴⁹The rest said, Let be, let us see whether Elias will come to save him.—MAT., ch. 27.

1877. — Characteristic. Athenians. ³¹All the Athenians, and strangers which were there, spent their time in nothing else, but either to tell or to hear some new thing.—ACTS, ch. 17.

1878. — Dangers of. Sinai. ³⁰The Lord called Moses up to the top of the mount. ³¹And the Lord said unto Moses, Go down, charge the people, lest they break through unto the Lord to gaze, and many of them perish.—EX., ch. 19.

1879. — rewarded. Burning Bush. ³I will now turn aside, and see this great sight, why the bush is not burnt. ⁴And when the Lord saw that he turned aside to see, God called unto him out of the midst of the bush, and said, Moses, Moses.—EX., ch. 3.

1880. — Unhallowed. Philistines. ¹⁹He smote the men of Bethshemesh, because they had looked into the ark of the Lord..fifty thousand and threescore and ten men: and the people lamented.. ²⁰And the men..said, Who is able to stand before this holy Lord?—1 SAM., ch. 6.

1881. — Ungratified. Herod. ⁸When Herod saw Jesus, he was exceeding glad: for he was desirous to see him of a long season, because he had heard many things of him; and he hoped to have seen some miracle done by him. ⁹Then he questioned with him in many words; but he answered him nothing.—LUKE, ch. 23.

1882. CURSE, Abiding. Jericho. [After its capture,] ²⁰Joshua adjured them..saying, Cursed be the man before the Lord, that..buildeth this city Jericho: he shall lay the foundation thereof in his firstborn, and in his youngest son shall he set up the gates of it.—JOSH., ch. 6. [Five hundred and fifty years later,] ²⁴..did Hiel..build Jericho: he laid the foundation thereof in Abiram his firstborn, and set up the gates thereof in his youngest son Segub.—1 KINGS, ch. 16.

1883. — turned to Blessing, A. Balaam. [The Moabites] ³hired Balaam against them, that he should curse them: howbeit our God turned the curse into a blessing.—NUM., ch. 13.

1884. — upon Deceivers, Gibeonites.

²⁰Joshua..spake..Wherefore have ye beguiled us, saying, We are very far from you; when ye dwell among us? ²²Now therefore ye are cursed, and there shall none of you be freed from being bondmen, and hewers of wood and drawers of water for the house of my God.—JOSH., ch. 9.

1885. — The first. Serpent. ¹⁴Because thou hast done this, thou art cursed above..every beast..upon thy belly shalt thou go, and dust shalt thou eat.. ¹⁵And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel.—GEN., ch. 3.

1886. — Money with a. Gehazi, [by fraud, obtained presents from Naaman. Elisha said,] ²⁶Is it a time to receive money, and to receive garments, and oliveyards, and vineyards, and sheep, and oxen, and menservants, and maidservants? ²⁷The leprosy therefore of Naaman shall cleave unto thee, and unto thy seed for ever. And he went out from his presence a leper as white as snow.—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

1887. — of Servitude, A. Canaan. ²⁴Noah awoke from his wine, and knew what his younger son had done unto him. ²⁵And he said, Cursed be Canaan; a servant of servants shall he be unto his brethren.—GEN., ch. 9.

1888. — Success a. The Chaldean. ⁸He transgresseth by wine, he is a proud man, neither keepeth at home, who enlargeth his desire as hell, and is as death, and cannot be satisfied.. ⁹Shall not all..take up..a taunting proverb against him, and say, Woe to him that increaseth that which is not his! how long? and to him that ladeth himself with thick clay.—HAB., ch. 2.

1889. — CURSES for the Disobedient. Moses. ¹⁵If thou wilt not hearken..to do all his commandments..that all these curses shall come upon thee.. ¹⁶Cursed shall thou be in the city, and cursed shall thou be in the field. ¹⁷Cursed shall be thy basket and thy store. ¹⁸Cursed shall be the fruit of thy body, and the fruit of thy land, the increase of thy kine, and the flocks of thy sheep. ¹⁹Cursed shall thou be when thou comest in, and cursed shall thou be when thou goest out. ²⁰The Lord shall send upon thee cursing, vexation, and rebuke, in all that thou settest thine hand unto for to do.—DEUT., ch. 28.

1890. — upon the Wicked. Jewish. ¹⁴The Levites shall speak..unto all the men of Israel with a loud voice, ¹⁵Cursed be the man that maketh any graven or molten image.. ¹⁶Cursed be he that setteth light by his father or his mother.. ¹⁷Cursed be he that removeth his neighbour's landmark.. ¹⁸Cursed be he that maketh the blind to wander out of the way.. ¹⁹Cursed be he that perverteth the judgment of the stranger, fatherless, and widow.. ²⁰Cursed be he that lieth with his father's wife..with any manner of beast..with his sister..with his mother in law.. ²⁴Cursed be he that smiteth his neighbour secretly.. ²⁵Cursed be he that taketh reward to slay an innocent person.. ²⁶Cursed be he that confirmeth not all the words of this law to do them. And all the people shall say, Amen.—DEUT., ch. 27.

1891. CURSING with Adversity. David. ⁵Shimei..came forth, and cursed.. ⁶And he cast stones at David, and at all the servants..

¹..said Shimei..Come out, come out, thou bloody man, and thou man of Belial: ²The Lord hath returned upon thee all the blood of the house of Saul, in whose stead thou hast reigned; and the Lord hath delivered the kingdom into the hand of Absalom thy son.—2 SAM., ch. 16.

1892. — Hire for. Balaam. [Balak said,] ¹Curse me this people; for they are too mighty for me..that we may smite them, and that I may drive them out of the land. ²And the elders of Moab and..of Midian departed with the rewards of divination..and spake unto him the words of Balak.—NUM., ch. 22.

1893. — unresented. David. ⁹Said Abishai..Why should this dead dog curse my lord the king? let me go over..and take off his head. ¹¹Let him alone, and let him curse; for the Lord hath bidden him. ¹²It may be that the Lord will look on mine affliction, and..requite me for his cursing this day. ¹³..Shimei went along on the hill's side over against him, and cursed as he went, and threw stones at him, and cast dust.—2 SAM., ch. 16.

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1894. CUSTOMS, Attachment to. Jews. [Witnesses at the trial of Stephen said,] ¹⁴We have heard him say, that this Jesus of Nazareth shall destroy this place, and shall change the customs which Moses delivered us.—ACTS, ch. 6.

1895. — National. Jews. ²¹As Jacob passed over Penuel..he halted upon his thigh. ²²Therefore the children of Israel eat not of the sinew which shrank, which is upon the hollow of the thigh, unto this day.—GEN., ch. 32.

1896. — Observance of. Laban. ¹⁶In the morning, behold, it was Leah: and Jacob said to Laban..did not I serve with thee for Rachel? wherefore then hast thou beguiled me? ²⁶And Laban said, It must not be so done in our country, to give the younger before the firstborn.—GEN., ch. 29.

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1897. DAMNATION for Hypocrites. Jews. ¹⁴Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye devour widows' houses, and for a pretence make long prayer: therefore ye shall receive the greater damnation.—MAT., ch. 23.

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1898. DANCERS, Kidnapped. Daughters of Shiloh. [The elders said to the Benjamites,] ²¹If the daughters of Shiloh come out to dance in dances, then come ye out of the vineyards, and catch you every man his wife..and go to the land of Benjamin.—JUDGES, ch. 21.

1899. DANCING, The first. At Red Sea. ²⁰Miriam the prophetess, the sister of Aaron, took a timbrel in her hand; and all the women went out after her with timbrels and with dances. ²¹And Miriam answered them, Sing ye to the Lord, for he hath triumphed gloriously: the horse and his rider hath he thrown into the sea.—EX., ch. 15.

1900. — Idolatrous. Calf. ¹⁰As soon as he..saw the calf, and the dancing..Moses' anger

waxed hot, and he cast the tables..and brake them beneath the mount.—*Ex.*, ch. 32.

1901. — *Infatuation by. Herod.* "When the daughter of..Herodias..danced, and pleased Herod and them that sat with him, the king said unto the damsel, Ask of me whatsoever thou wilt, and I will give it thee.—*MARK*, ch. 6.

1902. — *for Joy. Women.* "When David was returned from the slaughter of the Philistine..the women came out of all cities of Israel, singing and dancing, to meet king Saul, with tabrets, with joy, and with instruments of music.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 18.

1903. — *Religious. David.* "When they that bare the ark of the Lord had gone six paces, he sacrificed oxen and fatlings. "And David danced before the Lord with all his might.. "So David and..Israel brought up the ark.. with shouting, and with the sound of the trumpet.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 6.

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1905. — *from Associates. Lot.* "Lot dwelt in the cities of the plain, and pitched his tent toward Sodom. "But the men of Sodom were wicked and sinners before the Lord exceedingly.—*GEN.*, ch. 13.

1906. — *Appalled by. Jesus.* "They were..going up to Jerusalem ; and Jesus went before them : and they were amazed ; and as they followed, they were afraid. And he..began to tell them what things should happen unto him.—*MARK*, ch. 10.

1907. — *from Concealment. Peter.* "Peter sat without in the palace : and a damsel came.. saying, Thou also wast with Jesus of Galilee. "But he denied before them all.—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

1908. — *A common. King Saul.* "Abiathar shewed David that Saul had slain the Lord's priests. "And David said.. "Abide thou with me, fear not : for he that seeketh my life seeketh thy life : but with me thou shalt be in safeguard.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 22.

1909. — *Escape from. Damascus.* "Their laying wait was known of Saul. And they watched the gates day and night to kill him. "Then the disciples took him by night, and let him down by the wall in a basket.—*ACTS*, ch. 9.

1910. — *of forgetting. God. Moses said,* "Lest when thou hast eaten and art full, and hast built goodly houses, and dwelt therein ; "And when thy herds and thy flocks multiply, and thy silver and thy gold is multiplied, and all that thou hast is multiplied ; "Then thine heart be lifted up, and thou forget the Lord thy God.—*DEUT.*, ch. 8.

1911. — *Haste from. Destruction.* "Then let them which be in Judea flee into the mountains : "Let him which is on the housetop not come down to take any thing out of his house :

"Neither let him which is in the field return back to take his clothes.—*MAT.*, ch. 24.

1912. — *intimidates. Peter.* "When Peter was come down out of the ship, he walked on the water, to go to Jesus. "But when he saw the wind boisterous, he was afraid ; and beginning to sink, he cried, saying, Lord, save me.—*MAT.*, ch. 14.

1913. — *Jesus sought in. Storm.* "There came down a storm of wind on the lake : and they were filled with water, and were in jeopardy. "And they..awoke him, saying, Master, Master, we perish. Then he arose, and rebuked the wind and the raging of the water : and they ceased, and there was a calm.—*LUKE*, ch. 8.

1914. — *in Prosperity. Uzziah* "Made in Jerusalem engines, invented by cunning men, to be on the towers and upon the bulwarks, to shoot arrows and great stones..And his name spread far abroad ; for he was marvellously helped, till he was strong. "But when he was strong, his heart was lifted up to his destruction : for he..went into the temple of the Lord to burn incense.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 26.

1915. — *Unsuspected. Spiritual.* "Lord, I will follow thee ; but let me first go bid them farewell, which are at home.. "Jesus said.. No man, having put his hand to the plough, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God.—*LUKE*, ch. 9.

1916. — *Warnings of. Elshah's.* "The king of Syria..took counsel with his servants, saying, In such and such a place shall be my camp. "And the man of God sent unto the king of Israel, saying, Beware that thou pass not such a place ; for thither the Syrians are come down. "And the king of Israel..saved himself there, not once nor twice.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 6.

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1917. DARKNESS of Adversity. *Jeremiah.* ¹ I am the man *that* hath seen affliction by the rod of his wrath. ² He hath led me, and brought me into darkness, but not into light.—*LAM.*, ch. 3.

1918. — Beasts in. Awake. ²⁰ Thou makest darkness, and it is night : wherein all the beasts of the forest do creep forth. ²¹ The young lions roar after their prey, and seek their meat from God. ²² The sun ariseth, they gather themselves together, and lay them down in their dens.—*PS.* 104.

1919. — Betrayed in. *Jesus.* ³ Judas. . . having received a band of men and officers from the chief priests and Pharisees, cometh thither with lanterns and torches and weapons.—*JOHN*, ch. 18.

1920. — chosen. *The Adulterer.* ¹⁵ The eye . . . of the adulterer waiteth for the twilight, saying, No eye shall see me : and disguiseth his face. ¹⁶ In the dark they dig through houses, which they had marked for themselves in the daytime : they know not the light. ¹⁷ For the morning is to them even as the shadow of death : if one know them, they are in the terrors of the shadow of death.—*JOB*, ch. 24.

1921. — Dying in. *Egypt.* [After the plague of darkness came the plague of death. See *Ex.*, ch. 10.]

1922. — Deeds of. *Evil Seed.* ²⁵ While men slept, his enemy came and sowed tares among the wheat, and went his way. ²⁶ But when the blade was sprung up, and brought forth fruit, then appeared the tares also.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

1923. — Future. *The Wicked.* ⁵ The light of the wicked shall be put out, and the spark of his fire shall not shine. ⁶ The light shall be dark in his tabernacle, and his candle shall be put out with him.—*JOB*, ch. 18.

1924. — Hidden in. *The Wicked.* ²⁰ Every one that doeth evil hateth the light, neither cometh to the light, lest his deeds should be re-proved. ²¹ But he that doeth truth cometh to the light, that his deeds may be made manifest, that they are wrought in God.—*JOHN*, ch. 3.

1925. — Hatred brings. *Blindness.* ¹¹ He that hateth his brother is in darkness, and walketh in darkness, and knoweth not whither he goeth, because that darkness hath blinded his eyes.—1 *JOHN*, ch. 2.

1926. — from Insects. *Egypt.* ¹⁴ Locusts went up over all the land. . . very grievous were they ; before them there were no such locusts as they, neither after them. . . ¹⁵ For they covered the face of the whole earth, so that the land was darkened.—*EX.*, ch. 10.

1927. — Light in. *Sanctuary.* ¹² The fire shall ever be burning upon the altar ; it shall never go out.—*LEV.*, ch. 6. ²⁸ The cloud of the Lord was upon the tabernacle by day, and fire was on it by night, in the sight of all the house of Israel, throughout all their journeys.—*EX.*, ch. 40.

1928. — Moral. *Cause of.* ²² The light of the body is the eye : if therefore the eye be single, thy whole body shall be full of light. ²³ But if thy eye be evil, thy whole body shall be full of darkness. If therefore the light that is in thee be darkness, how great is that darkness.—*MAT.*, ch. 6.

1929. — Original. *Creation.* ² The earth was without form and void ; and darkness was upon the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters. ³ And God said, Let there be light.—*GEN.*, ch. 1.

1930. DARKNESS, Plague of. *Egypt.* ²² Moses stretched forth his hand toward heaven ; and there was a thick darkness in all the land of Egypt. . . ²³ They saw not one another, neither rose any from his place for three days : but all the children of Israel had light in their dwellings.—*EX.*, ch. 10.

1931. — Punishment in. *Angels.* ⁶ The angels which kept not their first estate, but left their own habitation, he hath reserved in everlasting chains under darkness unto the judgment of the great day.—*JUDE*.

1932. — Revelation in. *At Sinai.* ²⁰ Moses said. . . Fear not : for God is come to prove you, and that his fear may be before your faces. . . ²¹ And the people stood afar off, and Moses drew near unto the thick darkness where God was.—*EX.*, ch. 20.

1933. — an unnatural. *Crucifixion.* ⁴⁵ From the sixth hour there was darkness over all the land unto the ninth hour. ⁴⁶ And about the ninth hour Jesus cried with a loud voice, saying. . . My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me ?—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

1934. — for the Wicked. *Stumble.* ¹⁵ Hear ye, and give ear ; be not proud. . . ¹⁶ Give glory to the Lord your God, before he cause darkness, and before your feet stumble upon the dark mountains, and, while ye look for light, he turn it into the shadow of death, and make it gross darkness.—*JER.*, ch. 13.

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1935. DAUGHTER, Portion of. *Wedding.* [Achsah was married, and her father] ¹⁸ Caleb said unto her, What wouldest thou ? ¹⁹ Who answered, Give me a blessing ; for thou hast given me a south land ; give me also springs of water. And he gave her the upper springs, and the nether springs.—*JOSH.*, ch. 15.

1936. — An unfortunate. *A Sacrifice.* ²⁴ Jephthah came to . . . his house, and, behold, his daughter came out to meet him with timbrels and with dances : and she was his only child. . . ²⁵ . . . he rent his clothes, and said, Alas, my daughter ! thou hast brought me very low.—*JUDGES*, ch. 11. [He had vowed to the Lord the first that should meet him on his return.]

1937. DAUGHTER IN LAW, Faithful. *Naomi's.* ¹⁶ Ruth said, Entreat me not . . . to return from following after thee : for whither thou goest, I will go ; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge : thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God : ¹⁷ Where thou diest, will I die, and there will I be buried ; the Lord do so to me, and

more also, *if aught* but death part thee and me.—*RUTH*, ch. 1.

1938. — *Unwelcome, Esau's Wives.* ²⁴ Esau was forty years old when he took to wife Judith... the Hittite, and Bashemath... the Hittite: ²⁵ Which were a grief of mind unto Isaac and to Rebekah.—*GEN.*, ch. 26.

1939. *DEAD, Apparently. Youth.* ²³ Thou dumb and deaf spirit, I charge thee, come out of him... ²⁶ And the spirit cried, and rent him sore, and came out of him: and he was as one dead; insomuch that many said, He is dead. ²⁷ But Jesus took him by the hand, and lifted him up; and he arose.—*MARK*, ch. 9.

1940. — *Guarding the Seven Sons.* ⁹ The Gibeonites... hanged them in the hill... ¹⁰ And Rizpah... took sackcloth, and spread it for her upon the rock, from the beginning of harvest until water dropped upon them out of heaven, and suffered neither the birds of the air to rest on them by day, nor the beasts of the field by night.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 21.

1941. — *and Living, Between. Aaron.* ⁴ Aaron took... and ran into the midst of the congregation... and he put on incense, and made an atonement for the people. ⁴² And he stood between the dead and the living; and the plague was stayed.—*NUM.*, ch. 16.

1942. — *Mourning the. David.* ²³ The king was much moved, and went up to the chamber over the gate, and wept: and as he went, thus he said, O my son Absalom, my son, my son Absalom! would God I had died for thee, O Absalom, my son, my son!—*2 SAM.*, ch. 18.

1943. — *restored, The. City of Nain.* ¹¹ There was a dead man carried out, the only son of... a widow: and much people of the city was with her. ¹³... the Lord had compassion on her... ¹⁴ And he came and touched the bier... And he said, Young man, I say unto thee, Arise. ¹⁵ And he that was dead sat up, and began to speak. And he delivered him to his mother.—*LUKE*, ch. 17.

1944. — *resuscitated, The. Widow's Son.* ¹¹ He stretched himself upon the child three times, and cried... O Lord my God, I pray thee, let this child's soul come into him again. ²² And the Lord heard the voice of Elijah... and he revived.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 17.

1945. — *Triumph over the. Philistines.* ³ They found Saul... ⁹ And they cut off his head... and sent into the land of the Philistines round about, to publish it in the house of their idols, and among the people. ¹⁰ And they put his armour in the house of Ashtaroth: and they fastened his body to the wall of Beth-shan.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 31.

1946. *DEATH, Alarmed by. Egyptians.* ²³ The Egyptians were urgent upon the people, that they might send them out of the land in haste; for they said, We be all dead men.—*EX.*, ch. 12.

1947. — *Ascension in. Elijah.* ¹¹ As they still went on, and talked... behold, there appeared a chariot of fire, and horses of fire, and parted them both asunder; and Elijah went up by a whirlwind into heaven.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 2.

1948. — *Abandoned to. Ishmael.* ¹⁵ The water was spent... and she cast the child under one of the shrubs. ¹⁶ And she went... over against

him a good way off, as it were a bowshot: for she said, Let me not see the death of the child. And she... lifted up her voice, and wept.—*GEN.*, ch. 21.

1949. — *Approach of. Isaac.* ¹ When Isaac was old, and his eyes were dim, so that he could not see, he called Esau... ⁴ And he said, Behold now, I am old, I know not the day of my death.—*GEN.*, ch. 27.

1950. — *Contentment in. Jacob.* ²² Joseph... went up to meet Israel his father, to Goshen... and he fell on his neck, and wept on his neck a good while. ³⁰ And Israel said... Now let me die, since I have seen thy face, because thou art yet alive.—*GEN.*, ch. 46.

1951. — *Chosen Place of. Barzillai, aged 86.* [David] ²³ said unto Barzillai, Come thou over with me, and I will feed thee with me in Jerusalem. [Reply:] ²⁷ Let thy servant... turn back again, that I may die in mine own city, and be buried by the grave of my father and of my mother.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 19.

1952. — *ignores Caste. Tenth Plague.* [See No. 1976.]

1953. — *from Delay. Four Lepers.* ³ Why sit we here until we die? ⁴ If we say, We will enter into the city, then the famine is in the city, and we shall die there: and if we sit still here, we die also... let us fall unto the host of the Syrians: if they save us alive, we shall live; and if they kill us, we shall but die.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 7.

1954. — *The Discouraged seek. Elijah* ⁴ Went a day's journey into the wilderness, and... sat down under a juniper tree: and he said... It is enough; now, O Lord, take away my life; for I am not better than my fathers.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 19.

1955. — *desired. The Wicked.* ⁶ In those days shall men seek death, and shall not find it; and shall desire to die, and death shall flee from them.—*REV.*, ch. 9.

1956. — *Jonah.* ³ O Lord, was not this my saying, when I was yet in my country?... for I knew that thou art a gracious God, and merciful, slow to anger, and of great kindness, and repentest thee of the evil. ³ Therefore now, O Lord, take, I beseech thee, my life from me; for it is better for me to die than to live.—*JONAH*, ch. 4. [He was angered because Nineveh was spared.]

1957. — *Destruction by. Tree.* ¹ There is hope of a tree, if it be cut down, that it will sprout again, and that the tender branch thereof will not cease. ⁸ Though the root thereof wax old in the earth, and the stock thereof die in the ground; ⁹ Yet through the scent of water it will bud, and bring forth boughs like a plant. ¹⁰ But man dieth, and wasteth away: yea, man giveth up the ghost, and where is he?—*JOB*, ch. 14.

1958. — *Escape from. Jesus.* ³⁴ If a man keep my saying, he shall never see death. ³⁵ Then said the Jews unto him, Now we know that thou hast a devil.—*JOHN*, ch. 8.

1959. — *First Resurrection.* ¹⁶ The Lord himself shall descend from heaven with a shout, with the voice of the archangel, and with the trump of God: and the dead in Christ shall rise first: ¹⁷ Then we which are alive and remain shall be caught up together with them in

the clouds, to meet the Lord in the air.—1 THESS., ch. 4.

1960. — *The first.* *Abel.* ³ Cain talked with Abel . . . and . . . when they were in the field . . . Cain rose up against Abel his brother, and slew him.—GEN., ch. 4.

1961. — *of a Family.* *One Year.* [Miriam, Aaron, and Moses. See Num., ch. 20; Deut., ch. 34.]

1962. — *Faithful till.* *Ruth.* ¹⁴ And Orpah kissed her mother in law; but Ruth clave unto her. ¹⁵ And she said. . . the Lord do so to me, and more also, if aught but death part thee and me.—RUTH, ch. 1.

1963. — *in every House.* *Egyptians.* ³⁰ Pharaoh rose up in the night, he, and all his servants, and all the Egyptians; and there was a great cry in Egypt: for there was not a house where there was not one dead.—EX., ch. 12.

1964. — *Humiliating.* *Abimelech.* ³³ A certain woman cast a piece of a millstone upon Abimelech's head, and all to brake his skull. ³⁴ Then he called hastily unto . . . his armourbearer, and said. . . Draw thy sword, and slay me, that men say not of me, A woman slew him. And his young man thrust him through.—JUDGES, ch. 9.

1965. — *hastened.* *Two Thieves.* ³¹ The Jews therefore. . . that the bodies should not remain upon the cross on the sabbath day. . . besought Pilate that their legs might be broken, and that they might be taken away. ³² . . . the soldiers . . . brake the legs of the first, and of the other which was crucified with him.—JOHN, ch. 19.

1966. — *Influence after.* *Abel.* ⁴ By faith Abel offered unto God a more excellent sacrifice than Cain, by which he obtained witness that he was righteous, God testifying of his gifts: and by it he being dead yet speaketh.—HEB., ch. 11.

1967. — *by Divine Judgment.* *Ananias—Sapphira.* ⁵ Ananias hearing these words fell down, and gave up the ghost: and great fear came on all. ⁹ . . . behold, the feet of them which have buried thy husband are at the door, and shall carry thee out. ¹⁰ Then fell she down. . . and yielded up the ghost.—ACTS, ch. 5.

1968. — *of Jesus.* *Calvary.* ⁴⁴ It was about the sixth hour, and there was a darkness over all the earth until the ninth hour. ⁴⁵ And the sun was darkened, and the vail of the temple was rent in the midst. ⁴⁶ And when Jesus had cried with a loud voice, he said, Father, into thy hands I commend my spirit: and . . . he gave up the ghost.—LUKE, ch. 23.

1969. — *Longed for.* *The Afflicted.* ³ Oh that I might have my request; and that God would grant me the thing that I long for! ⁴ Even that it would please God to destroy me; that he would let loose his hand, and cut me off.—JOB, ch. 6.

1970. — *on the Mount.* *Mount Hor.* ²⁸ Moses stripped Aaron of his garments, and put them upon Eleazar his son; and Aaron died there in the top of the mount.—NUM., ch. 20.

1971. — *merited.* *Ashael.* ²² Abner said again to Asahel, Turn thee aside from following me: wherefore should I smite thee to the ground? ²³ Howbeit he refused to turn aside;

wherefore Abner with the hinder end of the spear smote him under the fifth rib.—2 SAM., ch. 2.

1972. — *Midst of.* *Aaron.* [See No. 1941.]

1973. — *prevented.* *Needless.* *Jonathan.* ³⁴ Saul had adjured the people, saying, Cursed be the man that eateth any food until evening, that I may be avenged on mine enemies. . . ⁴⁴ And the people said unto Saul, Shall Jonathan die, who hath wrought this great salvation in Israel? . . . there shall not one hair of his head fall to the ground. . . So the people rescued Jonathan, that he died not.—1 SAM., ch. 14.

1974. — *Nearness to.* *A Step.* ³ David. . . said, Thy father certainly knoweth that I have found grace in thine eyes; and he saith, Let not Jonathan know this, lest he be grieved: but truly, as the Lord liveth, and as thy soul liveth, there is but a step between me and death.—1 SAM., ch. 20.

1975. — *a Penalty.* *Adam.* ¹¹ Because thou hast . . . and hast eaten of the tree, of which I commanded thee, saying, Thou shalt not eat of it: cursed is the ground for thy sake. ¹⁹ In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread, till thou return unto the ground. . . for dust thou art, and unto dust shalt thou return.—GEN., ch. 3.

1976. — *Plague of.* *The Tenth.* ³⁹ At midnight the Lord smote all the firstborn in the land of Egypt, from the firstborn of Pharaoh that sat on his throne unto the firstborn of the captive that was in the dungeon; and all the firstborn of cattle.—EX., ch. 12.

1977. — *Preparation for.* *Hezekiah.* ³ In those days was Hezekiah sick unto death. And the prophet Isaiah. . . came. . . and said. . . Thus saith the Lord, Set thine house in order; for thou shalt die, and not live.—2 KINGS, ch. 20. [His life was spared in answer to prayer.]

1978. — *preferred.* *Paul.* ³¹ I am in a strait betwixt two, having a desire to depart, and to be with Christ; which is far better: ³⁴ Nevertheless to abide in the flesh is more needful for you.—PHIL., ch. 1.

1979. — *prayed for.* *Job.* ¹³ Oh that thou wouldst hide me in the grave, that thou wouldst keep me secret, until thy wrath be past, that thou wouldst appoint me a set time, and remember me!—JOB, ch. 14.

1980. — *preferred to Trouble.* *Moses.* ¹⁴ I am not able to bear all this people alone, because it is too heavy for me. ¹⁵ And if thou deal thus with me, kill me. . . out of hand, if I have found favour in thy sight; and let me not see my wretchedness.—NUM., ch. 11.

1981. — *Passage through.* *Jordan.* ¹⁵ As . . . the feet of the priests that bare the ark were dipped in the brim of the water. . . ¹⁶ . . . the waters which came down from above stood and rose up upon a heap. . . ¹⁷ . . . all the Israelites passed over on dry ground.—JOSEPH., ch. 3.

1982. — *a painful Sight.* *Ishmael.* [See No. 1948.]

1983. — *proven.* *Jesus.* ³³ When they came to Jesus, and saw that he was dead already, they brake not his legs: ³⁴ But one of the soldiers with a spear pierced his side, and forthwith came there out blood and water.—JOHN, ch. 19.

1984. — *defeats Plans. Rich Fool.* ¹⁹ I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years; take thine ease, eat, drink, and be merry. ²⁰ But God said unto him, *Thou fool, this night thy soul shall be required of thee: then whose shall those things be, which thou hast provided?*—LUKE, ch. 12.

1985. — *Good Prospect in. Paul.* ⁶ The time of my departure is at hand. ⁷ I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith: ⁸ Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord . . . shall give me.—2 TIM., ch. 4.

1986. — *Penitence in. Thief.* ⁴¹ We receive the due reward of our deeds: but this man hath done nothing amiss. ⁴² And he said unto Jesus, Lord, remember me when thou comest into thy kingdom.—LUKE, ch. 23.

1987. — *Remembered in. Paul.* ²⁶ When Jesus therefore saw his mother, and the disciples standing by, whom he loved, he saith unto his mother, Woman, behold thy son! ²⁷ Then saith he to the disciple, Behold thy mother! And from that hour that disciple took her unto his own home.—JOHN, ch. 19.

1988. — *restores Friends. David.* ²² While the child was yet alive, I fasted and wept. . . ²³ But now he is dead, wherefore should I fast? can I bring him back again? I shall go to him, but he shall not return to me.—2 SAM., ch. 12.

1989. — *Relief by. Job.* ⁵ My flesh is clothed with worms and clods of dust; my skin is broken, and become loathsome. ¹⁴ Then thou scarest me with dreams, and terrifiest me through visions: ¹⁵ So that my soul chooseth strangling, and death rather than my life. ¹⁶ I loathe it; I would not live alway.—JOB, ch. 7.

1990. — *Summons of. Moses.* ¹² Get thee up into this mount Abarim, and see the land which I have given unto the children of Israel. ¹³ And when thou hast seen it, thou also shalt be gathered unto thy people.—NUM., ch. 27.

1991. — *petulantly soliloquized. Jonah.* ⁸ The sun beat upon the head of Jonah, that he fainted, and wished in himself to die, and said, *It is better for me to die than to live.* ⁹ And God said to Jonah, *Doest thou well to be angry for the gourd?* And he said, *I do well to be angry, even unto death.*—JONAH, ch. 4.

1992. — *Silence of. David's Child.* ¹⁸ On the seventh day . . . the child died. ¹⁹ . . . when David saw that his servants whispered, David perceived that the child was dead.—2 SAM., ch. 12.

1993. — *Safety in. David.* ⁴ Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.—PS., 23.

1994. — *Semblance of. Child.* [See No. 1939.]

1995. — *a Sleep. Stephen.* [See No. 1998.]

1996. — *Spiritual. Dry Bones.* ¹ The Lord, and set me down in the midst of the valley which was full of bones, ² . . . and, behold, there were very many in the open valley; and, lo, they were very dry.—EZEK., ch. 37.

1997. — *Testimony in. Joshua.* ¹⁴ Behold, this day I am going the way of all the earth: and ye know in all your hearts and in all your souls, that not one thing hath failed of all the

good things which the Lord your God spake concerning you.—JOSH., ch. 23.

1998. — *in a Tumult. Stephen.* ³¹ They cried out with a loud voice, and stopped their ears, and ran upon him with one accord, ³² And cast him out of the city, and stoned him: ³³ And he kneeled down, and cried with a loud voice, Lord, lay not this sin to their charge. And when he had said this, he fell asleep.—ACTS, ch. 7.

1999. — *Triumph over. The Christian.* ²⁵ O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory? ²⁶ The sting of death is sin; and the strength of sin is the law. ²⁷ But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.—1 COR., ch. 15.

2000. — *Universal. Flood.* ¹¹ I, do bring a flood of waters upon the earth, to destroy all flesh, wherein is the breath of life, from under heaven; and every thing that is in the earth shall die.—GEN., ch. 6.

2001. — *An unhappy. Eli.* ¹⁷ Israel is fled before the Philistines. . . and thy two sons also, Hophni and Phinehas, are dead, and the ark of God is taken. ¹⁸ . . . he fell from off the seat backward. . . and his neck brake, and he died: for he was an old man.—1 SAM., ch. 4.

2002. — *Victory by. Samson.* ³⁰ Let me die with the Philistines. And he bowed himself with all his might; and the house fell upon the lords, and upon all the people that were therein. So the dead which he slew at his death were more than they which he slew in his life.—JUDGES, ch. 16.

2003. — *parted, Waters of. Elijah.* ¹ With Elijah. . . they two stood by Jordan. ² And Elijah took his mantle, and wrapped it together, and smote the waters, and they were divided hither and thither, so that they two went over on dry ground.—2 KINGS, ch. 2.

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2006. — DEBTS compromised. *Fraud.* ² How much owest thou unto my lord? ⁴ And he said, An hundred measures of oil. And he said..Take thy bill, and sit down quickly, and write fifty. ⁷ Then said he to another, And how much owest thou? And he said, An hundred measures of wheat. And he said..Take thy bill, and write fourscore. —LUKE, ch. 16.

2007. — Forgiveness. *Jubilee.* ¹ At the end of every seven years..² Every creditor that lendeth ought unto his neighbour shall release it; he shall not exact it of his neighbour, or of his brother; because it is called the Lord's release. —DEUT., ch. 15.

2008. — Severity in collecting. *Forgiveness Debtor.* ²⁸ The same servant went out, and found one of his fellow servants, which owed him a hundred pence: and he laid hands on him, and took him by the throat, saying, Pay me that thou owest. —MAT., ch. 18.

2009. DEBTOR miraculously delivered. *Elisha.* [The creditor was about to take the widow's two sons for bondmen. Elisha commanded her to borrow vessels, which were miraculously filled with oil.] ¹ And he said, Go, sell the oil, and pay thy debt, and live thou and thy children of the rest. —2 KINGS, ch. 4.

2010. DEBTORS, An Army of. *David.* ² Every one that was in distress, and every one that was in debt, and every one that was discontented, gathered themselves unto him; and he became a captain over them..about four hundred men. —1 SAM., ch. 22.

2011. — forgiven. *Woman.* ⁴⁶ My head with oil thou didst not anoint: but this woman hath anointed my feet with ointment. ⁴⁷ Wherefore I say unto thee, Her sins, which are many, are forgiven; for she loved much: but to whom little is forgiven, the same loveth little. —LUKE, ch. 7.

2012. — Destroy each Other. *Parable.* [See No. 2008.]

2013. — Insolvent. *Jews.* ¹ There was a great cry of the people and of their wives against their brethren the Jews. ² Some..said, We have mortgaged our lands, vineyards, and houses, that we might buy corn, because of the dearth. —NEH., ch. 5.

2014. — protected. *Law.* ¹⁰ When thou dost lend thy brother any thing, thou shalt not go into his house to fetch his pledge. ¹¹ Thou shalt stand abroad, and the man to whom thou dost lend shall bring out the pledge abroad unto thee. —DEUT., ch. 24.

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2015. DECEPTION of Apostates. *Latter Times.* ¹ The Spirit speaketh expressly, that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils; ² Speaking lies in hypocrisy; having their conscience seared with a hot iron. —1 TIM., ch. 4.

2016. — An Assassin's. *Ehud* ¹⁹ Said, I have a secret errand unto thee, O king: who said, Keep silence. And all that stood by him went out from him. ²¹ And Ehud put forth his left hand, and took the dagger from his right thigh, and thrust it into his belly. —JUDGES, ch. 13.

2017. — of Backsliders. *Proverb.* ¹⁴ The backslider in heart shall be filled with his own ways: and a good man shall be satisfied from himself. —PROV., ch. 14.

2018. — A Brother's. *Jacob.* ¹⁹ Jacob said unto his father, I am Esau thy firstborn; I have done according as thou badest me: arise, I pray thee, sit and eat of my venison, that thy soul may bless me. —GEN., ch. 27.

2019. — A cruel. *Jacob's Sons.* ²¹ They took Joseph's coat, and killed a kid of the goats.

and dipped the coat in the blood ; ³² . and they brought it to their father ; and said, This have we found : know now whether it be thy son's coat or no.—GEN., ch. 37.

2020. — Difficult. *Jacob.* ²³ Jacob went near unto Isaac his father ; and he felt him, and said, The voice is Jacob's voice, but the hands are the hands of Esau.—GEN., ch. 27.

2021. — discovered. *David.* ¹⁹ Said, Is not the hand of Joab with thee in all this ? And the woman answered and said, thy servant Joab, he bade me, and he put all these words in the mouth of thine handmaid.—2 SAM., ch. 14.

2022. — of the Deceiver. *Jacob.* ¹⁵ In the morning, behold, it was Leah : and he said to Laban, did not I serve with thee for Rachel ? wherefore then hast thou beguiled me ?—GEN., ch. 29.

2023. — hurts the Deceiver. *Prov. 11.* ¹ Bread of deceit is sweet to a man ; but afterwards his mouth shall be filled with gravel.—PROV., ch. 20.

2024. — by Equivocation. *Abram.* ¹³ The Egyptians shall see thee, that they shall say, This is his wife : and they will kill me. . . ¹⁵ Say, thou art my sister : that it may be well with me for thy sake.—GEN., ch. 12. [She was daughter to his father, but not to his mother.]

2025. — Ineffective. *Blind Ahijah.* ³ Jeroboam said to his wife, disguise thyself, that thou be not known to be the wife of Jeroboam ; and get thee to . . . Ahijah the prophet, which told me that I should be king over this people. . . ⁵ . go to him : he shall tell thee what shall become of the child.—1 KINGS, ch. 14.

2026. — exposed. *Peter.* ¹⁰ He denied it again. And a little after, they . . . said again to Peter, Surely thou art one of them : for thou art a Galilean, and thy speech agreeth thereto. ¹¹ But he began to curse and to swear, saying, I know not this man.—MARK, ch. 14.

2027. — The first. *Eve.* ⁶ Saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was pleasant to the eyes, and a tree to be desired to make one wise, she took . . . and did eat, and gave also unto her husband. . . ⁷ And the eyes of them both were opened.—GEN., ch. 3.

2028. — Fear of. *Disciples.* ¹⁶ When Saul was come to Jerusalem, he assayed to join himself to the disciples : but they were all afraid of him, and believed not that he was a disciple.—ACTS, ch. 9.

2029. — for Gain. *Ananias.* ³ Peter said, Ananias, why hath Satan filled thine heart to lie to the Holy Ghost, and to keep back part of the price of the land ?—ACTS, ch. 5.

2030. — of Hypocrites. *Pharisees.* ²³ Ye pay tithe of mint and anise and cummin, and have omitted the weightier matters of the law, judgment, mercy, and faith : these ought ye to have done, and not to leave the other undone.—MAT., ch. 23.

2031. — Insincere. *Pilate.* ³⁴ When Pilate saw that he could prevail nothing, but that rather a tumult was made, he took water, and washed his hands before the multitude, saying, I am innocent of the blood of this just person.—MAT., ch. 27.

2032. — impossible. *Elijah.* ²² He put the

wood in order, and cut the bullock in pieces, and laid him on the wood, and said, Fill four barrels with water, and pour it on the burnt sacrifice, and on the wood. ²⁴ And he said, Do it the second time. . . And he said, Do it the third time.—1 KINGS, ch. 18.

2033. — An ingenious. *Gibeonites.* ⁴ They . . . made as if they had been ambassadors, and took old sacks upon their asses, and wine-bottles, old, and rent, and bound up ; ⁵ And old shoes and clouted. . . and old garments upon them ; and all the bread . . . was dry and mouldy. ⁶ And they went to Joshua.—JOSH., ch. 9.

2034. — Justifiable. *By Michal.* ¹⁵ Saul sent the messengers again to see David, saying, Bring him up to me in the bed, that I may slay him. ¹⁶ And when the messengers were come in, behold, there was an image in the bed, with a pillow of goats' hair for his bolster.—1 SAM., ch. 19.

2035. — Military. *Sisera to Jael.* ²⁰ He said unto her, Stand in the door of the tent, and it shall be, when any man doth come and inquire of thee, and say, Is there any man here ? that thou shalt say, No.—JUDGES, ch. 4.

2036. — Overthrown by. *Moabites.* ²³ The Moabites saw the water on the other side as red as blood : ²⁴ And they said, This is blood : the kings . . . have smitten one another : now therefore, Moab, to the spoil. ²⁵ And when they came to the camp of Israel, the Israelites rose up and smote the Moabites, so that they fled before them.—2 KINGS, ch. 3.

2037. — Perfidious. *Joab.* ⁹ Art thou in health, my brother ? And Joab took Amasa by the beard with the right hand to kiss him. ¹⁰ But Amasa took no heed to the sword that was in Joab's hand : so he smote him therewith in the fifth rib.—2 SAM., ch. 20.

2038. — Preservation by. *Spies by Rahab.* ⁶ Whither the men went, I wot not : pursue after them quickly ; for ye shall overtake them. ⁷ But she had brought them up to the roof of the house, and hid them with the stalks of flax.—JOSH., ch. 2.

2039. — Religious. *Scribes.* ⁴¹ Which devour widows' houses, and for a shew make long prayers : the same shall receive greater damnation.—LUKE, ch. 20.

2040. — repeated. *Delilah by Samson.* ¹⁵ She said unto him, How canst thou say, I love thee, when thine heart is not with me ? Thou hast mocked me these three times, and hast not told me wherein thy great strength lieth.—JUDGES, ch. 16.

2041. — removed. *Parable of the Eve Lamb.* ⁶ David's anger was greatly kindled. . . and he said to Nathan, As the Lord liveth, the man that hath done this thing shall surely die : ⁷ And he shall restore the lamb fourfold. . . ⁸ And Nathan said to David, Thou art.—2 SAM., ch. 12.

2042. — Spiritual. *Laodiceans.* ¹¹ Because thou sayest, I am rich, and increased with goods, and have need of nothing ; and knowest not that thou art wretched, and miserable, and poor, and blind, and naked : ¹⁸ I counsel thee to buy of me gold.—REV., ch. 3.

2043. — A sinner's. *Adam.* ⁹ The Lord God called unto Adam, and said, . . . Where art

thou? ¹⁰ And he said, I heard thy voice in the garden, and I was afraid, because I was naked; and I hid myself.—GEN., ch. 3.

2044. — of the Self-willed. *Saul.* ²¹ The people took of the spoil, sheep and oxen, the chief of the things which should have been utterly destroyed, to sacrifice unto the Lord. ²² And Samuel said, Hath the Lord as great delight in burnt offerings and sacrifices, as in obeying the voice of the Lord?—1 SAM., ch. 15.

2045. — taught. *Rebekah.* ¹⁵ Rebekah took goodly raiment of Esau, which were with her in the house, and put them upon Jacob. ¹⁶ And the skins of the kids of the goats upon his hands, and upon the smooth of his neck.—GEN., ch. 27.

2046. — Unconscious. *Graves.* ⁴⁴ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye are as graves which appear not, and the men that walk over them are not aware of them.—LUKE, ch. 11.

2047. — in Wine. *Proverb.* ¹ Wine is a mocker, strong drink is raging: and whosoever is deceived thereby is not wise.—PROV., ch. 20.

2048. — A woeful. *Isaiah.* ³⁰ Woe unto them that call evil good, and good evil; that put darkness for light, and light for darkness; that put bitter for sweet, and sweet for bitter.—ISA., ch. 5.

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2049. DECEIVER. Accused as a. Jesus. ¹³ Pilate. ¹⁴ Said..Ye have brought this man unto me, as one that perverteth the people; and, behold, I, having examined him before you, have found no fault in this man touching those things whereof ye accuse him.—LUKE, ch. 23.

2050. — A popular. *Simon.* ⁹ Simon..beforetime in the same city used sorcery, and bewitched the people of Samaria, giving out that himself was some great one: ¹⁰ To whom they all gave heed, from the least to the great—

est, saying, This man is the great power of God.—*ACTS*, ch. 8.

2051. — A reputed. *Jesus*. "Pharisees came together unto Pilate, "Saying, Sir, we remember that that deceiver said, while he was yet alive, After three days I will rise again.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

2052. — Self-deceived, A. *Simon*. "When Simon saw that through laying on of the apostles' hands the Holy Ghost was given, he offered them money, "Saying, Give me also this power.—*ACTS*, ch. 8.

2053. — A Saint or a. *Jesus*. "There was much murmuring among the people concerning him: for some said, He is a good man: others said, Nay; but he deceiveth the people.—*JOHN*, ch. 7.

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2054. DECEIT, Base. *Ishmael*. [Eighty men came,] "having their beards shaven, and their clothes rent, and having cut themselves, with offerings and incense in their hand, to bring them to the house of the Lord. "And Ishmael.. went forth from Mizpah to meet them, weeping all along as he went: and..he said.. Come to Gedaliah.. "when they came into the midst of the city, Ishmael.. slew them, and cast them into the midst of the pit.—*JER.*, ch. 41.

2055. — Religious. *Pharisees*. "The Pharisees.. took counsel how they might entangle him in his talk. "And they sent.. their disciples with the Herodians, saying, Master, we know that thou art true, and teachest the way of God in truth, neither carest thou for any man: for thou regardest not the person of men. "Tell us.. Is it lawful to give tribute unto Cesar, or not?—*MAT.*, ch. 22.

2056. — Self-injurious. *Proverb*. "Bread of deceit is sweet to a man; but afterwards his mouth shall be filled with gravel.—*PROV.*, ch. 20.

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2057. DECISION, An affectionate. *Ruth*. "Entreat me not to leave thee, or to return from following after thee: for whither thou goest, I will go; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge: thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God.—*RUTH*, ch. 1.

2058. — A bold. *Absalom*. "Absalom sent for Joab, to have sent him to the king; but he would not come to him: and when he sent again the second time, he would not come. "Therefore he said unto his servants, See, Joab's field is near mine, and he hath barley there; go and set it on fire.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 14.

2059. — changed. *Peter*. "Thou shalt never wash my feet. Jesus answered him, If I wash thee not, thou hast no part with me. "Simon Peter saith, Lord, not my feet only, but also my hands and my head.—*JOHN*, ch. 13.

2060. — A Christian's. *Jesus*. "No man can serve two masters: for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to the one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon.—*MAT.*, ch. 6.

2061. — A desperate. *Ester*. "There is one law of his to put him to death, except such to whom the king shall hold out the golden sceptre, that he may live.. "fast ye for me..

three days.. I also and my maidens will fast likewise; and so will I go in unto the king, which is not according to the law: and if I perish, I perish.—*ESTHER*, ch. 4.

2062. — A difficult. *David*. "Gad came to David.. and said.. Shall seven years of famine come.. or wilt thou flee three months before thine enemies.. or that there be three days' pestilence in thy land?.. "And David said.. I am in a great strait.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 24.

2063. — by Evidence. *Elijah*. "And I will dress the other bullock, and lay it on wood, and put no fire under: "And call ye on the name of your gods, and I will call on the name of the Lord: and the God that answereth by fire, let him be God. And all the people answered.. it is well spoken.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 18.

2064. — A final. *Disciple*. "Lord, I will follow thee; but let me first go bid them farewell, which are at home.. "And Jesus said.. No man, having put his hand to the plough, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God.—*LUKE*, ch. 9.

2065. — A fixed. *Three Hebrews*. "If it be so, our God whom we serve is able to deliver us from the burning fiery furnace, and he will deliver us out of thine hand, O king. "But if not, be it known unto thee, O king, that we will not serve thy gods, nor worship the golden image.—*DAN.*, ch. 3.

2066. — A happy. *The Prodigal*. "When he came to himself, he said, How many hired servants of my father's have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger! "I will arise and go to my father, and will say.. Father, I have sinned.—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

2067. — An heroic. *Paul*. "Besought him not to go up to Jerusalem. "Then Paul answered, What mean ye to weep and to break mine heart? for I am ready not to be bound only, but also to die at Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus.—*ACTS*, ch. 21.

2068. — An immediate. *Abram's Servant*. "Now, if ye will deal kindly and truly with my master, tell me: and if not, tell me; that I may turn to the right hand, or to the left. "Then Laban and Bethuel answered.. The thing proceedeth from the Lord.—*GEN.*, ch. 24.

2069. — Important. *Serpent of Brass*. "Moses made a serpent of brass, and put it upon a pole; and.. if a serpent had bitten any man when he beheld the serpent of brass, he lived.—*NUM.*, ch. 21.

2070. — An independent. *Joshua*. "If it seem evil unto you to serve the Lord, choose you this day whom ye will serve; whether.. gods of the Amorites, in whose land ye dwell: but as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord.—*JOSEPH.*, ch. 24.

2071. — An ill-considered. *Apostles*. "Jesus answered.. Ye know not what ye ask. Are ye able to drink of the cup that I shall drink of, and to be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with? They say.. We are able.—*MAT.*, ch. 20.

2072. — manifested. *Moses*. [After the golden calf was destroyed,] "Then Moses stood in the gate of the camp, and said, Who is on the Lord's side? let him come unto me.—*EX.*, ch. 32. [3000 idolaters slain.]

2073. — **A modest. Guest.** ¹⁰ When thou art bidden, go and sit down in the lowest room; that when he that bade thee cometh, he may say, Friend, go up higher: then shalt thou have worship in the presence of them that sit at meat with thee.—**LUKE**, ch. 14.

2074. — **A premature. Builder.** ²⁸ For which of you, intending to build a tower, sitteth not down first, and counteth the cost... ²⁹ Lest haply, after he hath laid the foundation, and is not able to finish it.—**LUKE**, ch. 14.

2075. — **A ready. Paul.** ¹⁵ When it pleased God, who... called me by his grace, ¹⁶ To reveal his Son in me, that I might preach him among the heathen; immediately I conferred not with flesh and blood.—**GAL.**, ch. 1.

2076. — **A resolute. Caleb.** ³⁰ Caleb stilled the people... and said, Let us go up at once, and possess it; for we are well able to overcome it. ³¹ But the men... said... they are stronger than we.—**NUM.**, ch. 3.

2077. — **A rash. Ahasuerus.** ⁹ Let it be written that they may be destroyed: and I will pay ten thousand talents of silver... into the king's treasures. ¹⁰ And the king took his ring from his hand, and gave it unto Haman... the Jews' enemy.—**ESTHER**, ch. 3.

2078. — **In Religion. Mt. Carmel.** ²¹ Elijah... said, How long halt ye between two opinions? if the Lord be God, follow him: but if Baal, then follow him. And the people answered him not a word.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 18.

2079. — **A speedy. The Eunuch.** ²⁶ They came unto a certain water: and the eunuch said, See, here is water; what doth hinder me to be baptized? ²⁷ And Philip said, If thou believest with all thine heart, thou mayest.—**ACTS**, ch. 8.

2080. — **A serious. Aged Moses.** ²⁴ I set before you this day a blessing and a curse; ²⁷ A blessing, if ye obey the commandments of the Lord your God... ²⁸ And a curse, if ye will not obey the commandments of the Lord.—**DEUT.**, ch. 11.

2081. — **A selfish. Guest.** ⁹ When thou art bidden... to a wedding, sit not down in the highest room; lest a more honourable man than thou be bidden of him; ¹⁰ And he that bade thee... say to thee, Give this man place; and thou begin with shame to take the lowest room.—**LUKE**, ch. 14.

2082. — **An unfortunate. Lot.** ⁹ Separate thyself, I pray thee, from me: if thou wilt take the left hand, then I will go to the right; or if thou depart to the right hand, then I will go to the left. ¹⁰ And Lot lifted up his eyes, and beheld all the plain of Jordan, that it was well watered every where, before the Lord destroyed Sodom.—**GEN.**, ch. 13.

2083. — **Unavoidable. Jehu.** ²⁵ Who is on my side? who? And there looked out to him two or three eunuchs. ²⁶ And he said, Throw her down. So they threw her down: and some of her blood was sprinkled on the wall, and on the horses: and he trode her under foot.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 9. [So Jezebel died.]

2084. — **A worldly. Young Ruler.** ²¹ Jesus said, If thou wilt be perfect, go and sell that thou hast, and give to the poor, and follow

me. ²² he went away sorrowful: for he had great possessions.—**MAT.**, ch. 19.

2085. — **A wise. Four Lepers.** ⁴ If we say, We will enter into the city, then the famine is in the city, and we shall die there: and if we sit still here, we die also. Now therefore come, and let us fall unto the host of the Syrians: if they save us alive, we shall live; and if they kill us, we shall but die.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 7.

2086. — **A wavering. Wave.** ⁶ For he that wavereth is like a wave of the sea driven with the wind and tossed.—**JAMES**, ch. 1.

2087. — **YOUTHFUL. Three Hebrews.** ⁹ Daniel purposed in his heart that he would not defile himself with the portion of the king's meat, nor with the wine which he drank: therefore he requested of the prince of the eunuchs that he might not defile himself.—**DAN.**, ch. 1.

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2089. — **Want of. David.** ¹⁶ As the ark... came into the city of David, Michal... looked through a window, and saw king David leaping and dancing before the Lord; and she despised him in her heart.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 6.

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saw, they shouted, and fell on their faces.—*Lxx.*, ch. 9.

2002. — *A Heathen. Golden Image.* *Nebuchadnezzar..sent to gather together the princes, the governors, and the captains, the judges, the treasurers, the counsellors, the sheriffs, and all the rulers of the provinces, to come to the dedication of the image. ¹..when all the people heard the sound of the cornet, flute, harp, sackbut, psaltery, and all kinds of music, all the people, the nations, and the languages, fell down and worshipped the golden image.—*DAN.*, ch. 3.

2003. — *of Property. David.* ¹⁰ *Joram* brought with him vessels of silver, and..of gold, and..of brass: ¹¹ Which also king David did dedicate unto the Lord, with the silver and gold that he had dedicated of all nations which he subdued.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 8.

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2005. — *evinces Character. Blind Man.* ²² Since the world began was it not heard that any man opened the eyes of one that was born blind. ²³ If this man were not of God, he could do nothing.—*JOHN*, ch. 9.

2006. — *Tested by. Good Samaritan.* ²⁵ Which now of these three, thinkest thou, was neighbour unto him that fell among the thieves? ²⁷ And he said, He that shewed mercy on him. Then said Jesus..Go, and do thou likewise.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

2007. — *like Words. Mt. Carmel.* ²⁹ When all the people saw it, they fell on their faces: and they said, The Lord, he is the God.. ⁴⁰ And Elijah said..Take the prophets of Baal; let not one of them escape. And they took them..and slew them.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 18.

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2009. — *of Conspirators. Pharisees.* ¹⁵ The Pharisees..took counsel how they might entangle him in his talk. ³¹..Then saith he unto them, Render therefore unto Cesar the things which are Cesar's; and unto God the things that are God's. ³²..they marvelled, and left him.—*MAT.*, ch. 22.

2100. — *Desperation from. Jews.* ⁹ Disputing with Stephen. ¹⁰..they were not able to resist the wisdom and the spirit by which he spake. ¹¹ Then they suborned men, which said, We have heard him speak blasphemous words against Moses, and against God.—*ACTS*, ch. 6.

2101. — *A humiliating. Israelites.* ⁵ The men of Ai smote of them about thirty and six men: for they chased them from before the gate..wherefore the hearts of the people melted, and became as water. ⁶ And Joshua rent his clothes, and fell to the earth upon his face before the ark of the Lord.—*JOSE.*, ch. 7.

2102. — *predicted. Israelites.* ¹⁵ Thus saith the Lord God..In returning and rest shall ye be saved; in quietness and in confidence shall be your strength: and ye would not. ¹⁶ But ye said, No; for we will flee upon horses; therefore shall ye flee: and, We will ride upon the swift; therefore shall they that pursue you be swift. ¹⁷ One thousand shall flee at the rebuke of one; at the rebuke of five shall ye flee: till ye be left as a beacon upon the top of a mountain, and as an ensign on a hill.—*ISA.*, ch. 30.

2103. — *A providential. Babel.* ⁴ Let us build us a city, and a tower, whose top may reach unto heaven; and let us make us a name, lest we be scattered abroad. ⁹ Therefore is the name..Babel; because the Lord did there confound the language of all the earth: and from thence..scatter them.—*GEN.*, ch. 11.

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In Gifts. Gave Hiram 20 cities..pleased him not	2316
Good. They have taken the L. out of the sepulchre	2318
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Judgment. Thou hast taught in our streets	2320
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Religion. Since we left off to burn incense..for	2324
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Explained. This kind can come..by prayer	2873
Fear. We saw the giants..we were grasshoppers	2874
Irremediable. The door was shut..Lord open	2875
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Misdeed. Mock him..began to build..not able	2878
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— DEFECT. —

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BLEMISH.

Disqualifies. Let him not approach the altar	813
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FEEBLENESS.

Ashamed. I was ashamed to require..soldiers	3188
Age. Eli was 98 years old; eyes were dim	3189
" David was old and stricken..gat no heat	3190

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Believers. Babes in Christ..not able to bare meat	9394
" Lest the people repent..return to	9395
Conscious. I am..weak, though anointed king	9396
Flesh. Moses' hands were heavy..stayed up his	9397
Instruments. L. sent flies..land was corrupted	9398
Moral. Peter separated..fearing them of the	9399
Personal. He that abideth in me bringeth forth	9400
Remembered. I was with you in weakness	9401
Submission. Ahab said, I am thine, and all that I	9402
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Overlooked. L. said unto Jehu..because..done	4350
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See DEFICIENCY and references.

2104. DEFENCE declined. *Jesus.* ¹³ When he was accused of the chief priests and elders, he answered nothing. ¹³ Then said Pilate. Hearkest thou not how many things they witness against thee? ¹⁴ And he answered him to never a word; inasmuch that the governor marvelled greatly.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

2105. — An incomplete. *Goliath.* ⁵ And he had a helmet of brass..and he was armed with a coat of mail; and the weight..was five thousand shekels of brass. ⁶ And he had greaves of brass upon his legs, and a target of brass between his shoulders. ⁷ And the staff of his spear was like a weaver's beam..and one bearing a shield went before him.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 17. [He was killed by a sling stone.]

2106. — A lawful. *Jews.* ¹¹ The king

granted the Jews..to gather themselves together, and to stand for their life, to destroy..all..that would assault them, both little ones and women, and to take the spoil of them for a prey.—*EATHER*, ch. 8.

2107. — A perilous. *Of David.* ²³ Jonathan answered Saul his father, and said..Wherefore shall he be slain? what hath he done? ²³ And Saul cast a javelin at him to smite him.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 20.

2108. — Preparation for. *Military.* ¹⁴ Uziah prepared for..all the host shields, and spears, and helmets, and habergeons, and bows, and slings to cast stones. ¹⁵ And he made in Jerusalem engines, invented by cunning men, to be on the towers and upon the bulwarks, to shoot arrows and great stones.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 26.

2109. — Spiritual. *Armour.* ¹⁴ Stand therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness; ¹⁵ And your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace; ¹⁶ Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked. ¹⁷ And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.—*EPH.*, ch. 6.

2110. — Unheard. *Ephesians.* ²³ Alexander beckoned with the hand, and would have made his defence unto the people. ²⁴ But when they knew that he was a Jew, all with one voice about the space of two hours cried out, Great is Diana of the Ephesians.—*ACTS*, ch. 19.

2111. — by Weapons. *First Invention.* ²³ I have slain a man to my wounding, and a young man to my hurt. ²⁴ If Cain shall be avenged sevenfold; truly Lamech seventy and sevenfold.—*GEN.*, ch. 4. [I can slay a man for my hurt, when he hurts me; even a vigorous young man for my wound, when he wounds me. If Cain shall be avenged of God sevenfold, I will avenge myself more—seventy times seven.]

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ARMOUR.

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Raised. [Ehud] I. cried..L. raised them up a	2135
Rewarded. Who killeth him [Goliath] the king	2136
Valiant. Shamgar slew..Philistines 600..delivered	2137

SAFETY.

Godly. He that keepeth thee will not slumber	7547
" The beloved..shall dwell between his s.	7548
" Hast thou not made a hedge about him	7549
" I will both lay me down in peace and sleep	7550
" He shall cover thee with his feathers	7551
Hiding. Jotham..was left; for he hid himself	7552
Mutual. Except these abide in the ship..not be	7553
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WEAPONS.

Faith. David chose him five smooth stones	9443
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Divine. L. is my rock..fortress..high tower	1535
Shield. Above all, taking the shield of faith	8072

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See PROTECTION.

2112. DEFERENCE to the Aged. *Elihu.*
These three men ceased to answer Job, because he was righteous in his own eyes. * Now Elihu had waited till Job had spoken, because they were elder than he.—JOB, ch. 32.

2113. — a wicked. *Herod.* * Give me here John the Baptist's head in a charger. * And the king was sorry : nevertheless for the oath's sake, and them which sat with him at meat, he commanded it to be given her.—MAT., ch. 14.

See other illustrations under :

POLITENESS.

Cultivated. May we know what this new doctrine 6232
Inculcated. Sit down in the lowest room . . . higher 6233
Treasurerous Art thou in health, my brother? 6234
Tender. Is. well, the old man of whom ye spake ? 6235

RESPECT.

Age. I am young, and ye are very old . . . mine 7306
Great. Young men hid themselves . . . aged arose 7307
Good. Herod feared John . . . observed him . . . did 7308

REVERENCE.

Attitude. He opened it . . . stood up . . . bowed their 7316
Affectionate. Stood at his feet behind him, weeping 7317
Aga. Joseph brought in Jacob . . . blessed Pharaoh 7318
Careful. Put off thy shoes . . . holy ground 7319
Commanded. No man be seen throughout . . . mount 7320
Commends. Peter fell down at Jesus' knees 7321
Esteem. Mephibosheth was come . . . did reverence 7322
Joyous. Came a fire . . . people shouted and fell 7323
Manifested. Joshua fell on his face . . . did worship 7324
Necessary. Him that is poor and of a contrite 7325
" Men of Bethshemesh looked into the 7326
Preserved by. Third captain fell on his knees 7327
Unworthy of. The king's servants revered H. 7328
Word. Ezra opened the book . . . all the people stood 7329
Worthy. Sent his son . . . will reverence him 7330
Youthful. [Young ruler] came running, and 7331

2114. DEFIANCE, a bold. *Goliath.* * I defy the armies of Israel this day ; give me a man, that we may fight together.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

2115. — An impious. *Belshazzar.* * Belshazzar, while he tasted the wine, commanded to bring the golden and silver vessels . . . taken out of the temple which was in Jerusalem ; that the king and his princes, his wives and his concubines, might drink therein.—DAN., ch. 5.

2116. — A wicked. *Pharaoh.* * Who is the Lord, that I should obey his voice to let Israel go ? I know not the Lord, neither will I let Israel go.—EX., ch. 5.

See other illustrations under :

CHALLENGE.

Battle. I defy the armies of I. this day 1063
Champions. Let the young men play before us 1064
Prayer. Call ye on the name of your gods, and I 1065
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OPPOSITION.

Malleous. Diotrephes . . . receiveth us not 5900
Ridicula. They laughed us to scorn 5901
Unmoved. G. of heaven he will prosper us 5902
Weakened by. Weakened the hands of the 5903

2117. DEFICIENCY, An unconscious. *Young Ruler.* * The young man saith . . . All these things have I kept from my youth up : what lack I yet ? * Jesus said . . . go and sell that thou hast, and give to the poor . . . and come and follow me.—MAT., ch. 19.

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WANT.

A Blessing. I perish with hunger . . . my father 8286
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near Luxury. Rich man . . . fared sumptuously 8290
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Financial. Began to build, and was not able to 2878
Moral. One thing thou lackest, sell . . . give . . . follow 2879
Proven. Weighed in the balance, and found 2880

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2118. DEFILEMENT, Origin of. *Heart.* * For out of the heart proceed evil thoughts, murders, adulteries, fornications, thefts, false witness, blasphemies : * These are the things which defile a man : but to eat with unwaashed hands defileth not a man.—MAT., ch. 15.

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CLEANSING.

Blood. Moses . . . sprinkled it on all the people 1343
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Expulsion. He drove them all out of the temple 1345
Fire. This [live coal] hath touched . . . sin purged 1346
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— **DEGENERATION.** —

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Children. Sons of Eli were sons of Belial. 1174
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2119. DEGRADATION by Drink. *All Classes.*
* Woe unto them that rise up early in the morning, that they may follow strong drink ; that continue until night, till wine inflame them !
* And the mean man shall be brought down, and the mighty man shall be humbled, and the eyes of the lofty shall be humbled.—ISA., ch. 5.

2120. — in Food. *La w.* * Whatsoever goeth upon the belly, and . . . upon all four, or . . . hath more feet among all creeping things that creep upon the earth, them ye shall not eat ; for they are an abomination.—LEV., ch. 11.

2121. — of Morals. *Sodomites.*—GEN., 19 : 5.
Gibeathites.—JUDGES 19 : 22.

2122. — Mental. *Drink.* * The priest and the prophet have erred through strong drink, they are swallowed up of wine, they are out of the way through strong drink ; they err in vision, they stumble in judgment.—ISA., ch. 28.

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DEPRAVITY.

Ancient. Wicker^o loss of man was great . . . every 2188
Bestial. Sons of Belial beset the house 2189
Discovered. Woe is me ! . . . unclean lips 2190
Heathen. God gave them up to uncleanness 2191

Infectious. Both the daughters of Lot with child 2192
 Inherited. Ye are... of them that killed the prophets 2193
 Natural. All gone aside... filthy... none doeth g. 2194
 Unconscious. Is thy servant a dog... do this thing? 1536

2123. DELAY in Business, No. Abraham's Servant. ²³ There was set meat before him to eat : but he said, I will not eat, until I have told mine errand. And he said, Speak on. ²⁴ And he said, I am Abraham's servant.—GEN., ch. 24. [Rebekah was given him for Isaac's wife.]

2124. — for Decency. Ambassadors. ⁴ Hanun took David's servants, and shaved off the one half of their beards, and cut off their garments in the middle, even to their buttocks, and sent them away. ⁵ the men were greatly ashamed : and the king said, Tarry at Jericho until your beards be grown, and then return.—2 SAM., ch. 10.

2125. — A dangerous. Burial. ⁹ Follow me. But he said, Lord, suffer me first to go and bury my father. ¹⁰ Jesus said, Let the dead bury their dead ; but go thou and preach the kingdom of God.—LUKE, ch. 9.

2126. — Evil of, Samuel. ¹¹ And Saul said, Because I saw that the people were scattered from me, and that thou camest not within the days appointed, and that the Philistines gathered themselves together at Michmash ; ¹² Therefore said I, The Philistines will come down now upon me to Gilgal, and I have not made supplication unto the Lord : I forced myself therefore, and offered a burnt offering.—1 SAM., ch. 13. [Saul lost his kingdom because of it.]

2127. — Failure from. Pool of Bethesda. ⁴ An angel went down at a certain season into the pool, and troubled the water : whosoever then first after .stepped in was made whole of whatsoever disease he had.—JOHN, ch. 5.

2128. — for Hinderances, No. Bartimeus. ²⁰ Be of good comfort, rise ; he calleth thee. ²¹ And he, casting aside his garment, rose, and came to Jesus.—MARK, ch. 10.

2129. — Impatience from. Sinai. ¹ Moses delayed to come down out of the mount, the people gathered themselves together unto Aaron, and said, Up, make us gods, which shall go before us ; for as for this Moses, the man that brought us up out of the land of Egypt, we wot not what is become of him.—EX., ch. 32.

2130. — A long. Impotent Man. ⁴ A certain man was there, which had an infirmity thirty and eight years. ⁵ Sir, I have no man, when the water is troubled, to put me into the pool : but while I am coming, another steppeth down before me.—JOHN, ch. 5.

2131. — The Lord's. Egypt. ²² Moses .said, Lord, wherefore hast thou so evil entreated this people ? why is it that thou hast sent me ? ²³ For since I came to Pharaoh to speak in thy name, he hath done evil to this people ; neither hast thou delivered thy people at all.—EX., ch. 5.

2132. — for Preparation. Pentecost. [Jesus] ⁴ commanded them that they should not depart from Jerusalem, but wait for the promise of the Father, which, saith he, ye have heard of me.—ACTS, ch. 1.

2133. — Weariness from. David. ¹ How long wilt thou forget me, O Lord ? for ever ? how long wilt thou hide thy face from me ?

² How long shall I take counsel in my soul, having sorrow in my heart daily ? how long shall mine enemy be exalted over me ?—PS. 13.

See other illustrations under :

HINDERANCE.

Disobedience. Say nothing to any man .blaze 3979
 Natural. Let me .kiss my father .mother 3980
 Provoking. Let us pass through thy country .not 3981
 Removed. Angel .rolled back the stone .door 3982
 Riches. Deceitfulness of riches .choke the word 3983
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HINDERANCES.

Care. Take heed lest .become a stumblingblock 3985
 Malicious. People of the land hired counsellors 3986
 Removed. I will eat no flesh while the world 3987
 Secular. I have bought .bought .married 3988
 Social. Let me first go bid them farewell 3989
 Selfish. Neither go in yourself, neither suffer ye 3990

HINDERING.

Fear. It is reported .Jews think to rebel 3991
 Intrigue. Let us meet .in the plain of Ono 3992

IDLENESS.

Accusation. No straw .ye are idle, ye are idle 4270
 Ecstatic. Why stand ye gazing into heaven ? 4271
 Needless. Why stand ye here all the day idle ? 4272
 Perishing. If we sit still here, we die also [lepers] 4273

LOITERERS.

Driven. Fire .consumed them in the uttermost 5052
 Hastened. While he lingered, the men laid hold 5053

PROCRASTINATION.

Charity. Say not .to-morrow I will give when thou 6620
 Fatal. Go thy way this time .convenient season 6621
 Folly. Foolish said, Give us of your oil .gone out 6622
 Loss. We will hear thee again .Paul departed 6623
 No. Suffer me first to go and bury my father 6624

WAITING.

Calamity. Jonah sat .see what would .city 9262
 Eager. My soul waiteth .watch for the morning 9263
 in Faith. Tell the stars .so shall thy seed be 9264
 on God. Renew their strength .as eagles 9265
 Patient. After one year, G. spake to Noah, Go forth 9267
 for Power. Not depart from Jerusalem, but wait 9268
 Rewarded. Simeon .waiting for the consolation 9269
 Vigilant. Let your loins be girt .lights burning 9270
 Weariness. Let me see the king's face .kill me 9271
 Watching. When the fowls came .Abram drove 9272
 for Work. When forty years were expired .an 9273

Diversion. If thou meet any man, salute him not 2454
 Fatal. Virgins .went to buy .door was shut 4990
 Inexplicable. Neither hast thou delivered thy 2396
 Late. While they went to buy, the bridegroom 4999
 Perilous. Felix said, Go .when I have a more 1557

— DELIGHT. —

See illustrations under :

Friendship. Jonathan .delighted much in David 3694
 Godly. His delight is in the law of the Lord 1593
 Lord's. Delightest not in burnt offering 7540

" Delighteth not in the strength of—Ps. 147 : 10
 Redeemed. Shalt be called Hephzi-bah—Isa. 62 : 4

2134. DELIVERER, The great. Jesus. ¹⁶ He saw that there was no man, and wondered that there was no intercessor : therefore his arm brought salvation unto him ; and his righteousness, it sustained him. ¹⁷ For he put on righteousness as a breastplate, and a helmet of salvation upon his head ; and he put on the garments of vengeance for clothing, and was clad with zeal as a cloak.—ISA., ch. 59.

2135. — raised up, *A. Ehud*. ¹⁶ When . . . Israel cried unto the Lord, the Lord raised them up a deliverer, Ehud . . . a man lefthanded : and by him the children of Israel sent a present unto Eglon the king of Moab. ¹⁶ But Ehud made him a dagger which had two edges, of a cubit length ; and he did gird it under his raiment upon his right thigh.—*JUDGES*, ch. 3. [He stabbed the king. Israel broke the yoke of the Moabites.]

2136. — rewarded, *Goliath*. ²⁸ The man who killeth him, the king will enrich him with great riches, and will give him his daughter, and make his father's house free in Israel.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 17.

2137. — A valiant, *Shamgar*. ²¹ Shamgar . . . slew of the Philistines six hundred men with an oxgoad : and he also delivered Israel.—*JUDGES*, ch. 3.

2138. DELIVERANCE appreciated. *Bartimeus*. ¹² Jesus said . . . Go thy way : thy faith hath made thee whole. And immediately he received his sight, and followed Jesus in the way.—*MARK*, ch. 10.

2139. — Completion of, *Lazarus*. ⁴⁴ Came forth, bound hand and foot with graveclothes ; and his face was bound about with a napkin. Jesus saith . . . Loose him, and let him go.—*JOHN*, ch. 11.

2140. — commemorated, *Purim*. ²¹ They should keep the fourteenth day of the month Adar, and the fifteenth day of the same, yearly, ²⁴ Because Haman . . . the enemy of all the Jews, had devised . . . to destroy them, and had cast Pur, that is, the lot . . . to destroy them.—*ESTHER*, ch. 9.

2141. — delayed, *From Pharaoh*. [See No. 2131.]

2142. — from Despair, *At Red Sea*. ¹⁹ It had been better for us to serve the Egyptians, than that we should die in the wilderness. ¹³ And Moses said . . . Fear ye not, stand still, and see the salvation of the Lord . . . for the Egyptians whom ye have seen to day, ye shall see them again no more for ever.—*EX.*, ch. 14.

2143. — in Extremity, *Abraham*. ¹⁹ Lay not thine hand upon the lad . . . for now I know that thou fearest God, seeing thou hast not withheld thy son, thine only son, from me. ¹² . . . lifted up his eyes . . . behold behind him a ram caught in a thicket by his horns : and Abraham . . . offered him up for a burnt offering in the stead of his son.—*GEN.*, ch. 22.

2144. — Faith brings, *Distressed Father*. ²⁵ If thou canst believe, all things are possible to him that believeth. ²⁴ And straightway the father of the child cried out and said with tears, Lord, I believe ; help thou mine unbelief. ²⁵ . . . Jesus . . . rebuked the foul spirit.—*MARK*, ch. 9.

2145. — False Hope of, *King Ahaz*. ²² In the time of his distress did he trespass yet more . . . ²³ For he sacrificed unto the gods of Damascus, which smote him : and he said, Because the gods of the kings of Syria help them, therefore will I sacrifice to them, that they may help me. But they were the ruin of him, and of all Israel.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 28.

2146. — A great, *By Saul*. ⁹ Nahash . . . answered them, On this condition will I make a

covenant with you, that I may thrust out all your right eyes, and lay it for a reproach upon all Israel. ⁶ And the Spirit of God came upon Saul when he heard those tidings, and his anger was kindled greatly.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 11. [He raised a victorious army, and won his crown.]

2147. — by the Gospel, *Jesus*. ¹⁸ The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor ; he hath sent me to heal the brokenhearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised.—*LUKE*, ch. 4.

2148. — Hope of, *In Egypt*. ³⁰ Aaron spake all the words . . . and did the signs in the sight of the people. ³¹ And the people believed : and when they heard that the Lord had visited the children of Israel, and . . . looked upon their affliction, then they bowed their heads and worshipped.—*EX.*, ch. 4.

2149. — of the Innocent, *Daniel*. ²² My God hath sent his angel, and hath shut the lions' mouths, that they have not hurt me : forasmuch as before him innocency was found in me ; and also before thee, O king, have I done no hurt.—*DAN.*, ch. 6.

2150. — Incomplete, *Blind Man*. ²³ When he had spit on his eyes, and put his hands upon him, he asked him if he saw aught. ²⁴ And he looked up, and said, I see men as trees, walking.—*MARK*, ch. 8.

2151. — A joyful, *Jews*. ¹¹ The king granted the Jews . . . to stand for their life, to destroy . . . all . . . that would assault them . . . and to take the spoil of them for a prey, ¹⁴ And in every province, and in every city . . . the Jews had joy and gladness, a feast and a good day. And many of the people . . . became Jews ; for the fear of the Jews fell upon them.—*ESTHER*, ch. 8.

2152. — A miraculous, *Red Sea*. ²¹ Moses stretched out his hand over the sea ; and the Lord caused the sea to go back by a strong east wind, all that night, and made the sea dry land, and the waters were divided. ²² . . . Israel went into the midst of the sea upon the dry ground : and the waters were a wall . . . on their right hand, and on their left.—*EX.*, ch. 14.

2153. — Memorial of, *Passover*. ²⁶ When your children shall say . . . What mean ye by this service ? ²⁷ . . . ye shall say, It is the sacrifice of the Lord's passover, who passed over the houses of the children of Israel . . . when he smote the Egyptians.—*EX.*, ch. 12.

2154. — by Money, *From King of Syria*. ⁸ Ahaz took the silver and gold that was found in the house of the Lord, and in . . . the king's house, and sent it for a present . . . ⁹ And the king of Assyria hearkened unto him . . . went up against Damascus, and took it.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 16. [The Syrians raised the siege of Jerusalem.]

2155. — Monument of, *Eben-ezer*. ¹¹ The men of Israel went out of Mizpeh, and pursued the Philistines, and smote them . . . ¹² Then Samuel took a stone, and set it between Mizpeh and Shen, and called the name of it Eben-ezer, saying, Hitherto hath the Lord helped us.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 7.

2156. — A partial, *From King of Egypt*. ¹ They have humbled themselves ; therefore I

will not destroy them, but I will grant them some deliverance; and my wrath shall not be poured out upon Jerusalem by the hand of Shishak.—2 CHRON., ch. 12.

2157. — Publication of. *Possessed Man*.
¹⁸ He that had been possessed with the devil prayed him that he might be with him. ¹⁹ Howbeit Jesus suffered him not, but saith. Go home to thy friends, and tell them how great things the Lord hath done for thee.—MARK, ch. 5.

2158. — Peril after. *Samson*. ¹⁵ He found a new jawbone of an ass. . . and took it, and slew a thousand men therewith. ¹⁶ And he was sore athirst, and called on the Lord, and said, Thou hast given this great deliverance into the hand of thy servant: and now shall I die for thirst.—JUDGES, ch. 15.

2159. — A perfect. *Three Hebrews*. ²¹ The princes, governors, and captains, and the king's counsellors. . . saw these men, upon whose bodies the fire had no power, nor was a hair of their head singed, neither were their coats changed, nor the smell of fire had passed on them.—DAN., ch. 3.

2160. — recognized. *Nebuchadnezzar*. ²⁸ Nebuchadnezzar. . . said, Blessed be the God of Shadrach, Meshach, and Abed-nego, who hath sent his angel, and delivered his servants that trusted in him, and have changed the king's word, and yielded their bodies, that they might not serve nor worship any god, except their own God.—DAN., ch. 3.

2161. — Spiritual. *David*. ¹ I waited patiently for the Lord; and he inclined unto me, and heard my cry. ² He brought me up also out of a horrible pit, out of the miry clay, and set my feet upon a rock, and established my goings. ³ And he hath put a new song in my mouth, even praise unto our God.—PS. 40.

2162. — from Trouble. *David*. ⁹ Have mercy upon me, O Lord, for I am in trouble: mine eye is consumed with grief, yea, my soul and my belly. . . ¹⁰ Oh how great is thy goodness, which thou hast laid up for them that fear thee; which thou hast wrought for them that trust in thee before the sons of men!—PS. 31.

2163. — Unexpected. *Red Sea*. [See No. 2152.]

2164. — — *Peter*. ⁶ When Herod would have brought him forth, the same night Peter was sleeping between two soldiers, bound with two chains: and the keepers. . . kept the prison. ⁷ . . . the angel of the Lord came upon him, and a light shined in the prison: and he smote Peter on the side, and raised him up. . . And his chains fell off from his hands.—ACTS, ch. 12.

2165. — Unequalled. *Three Hebrews*. ²² I make a decree, That every people. . . which speak any thing amiss against the God of Shadrach, Meshach, and Abed-nego, shall be cut in pieces, and their houses shall be made a dunghill: because there is no other God that can deliver after this sort.—DAN., ch. 3.

2166. — Work follows. *Peter and John*.
²⁰ The angel of the Lord by night opened the prison doors, and brought them forth, and said,
²¹ Go, stand and speak in the temple to the people all the words of this life.—ACTS, ch. 5.

See other illustrations under:

DEFENCE.

Declined. Jesus answered to him never a word 2104
 Incomplete. Goliath had a helmet. . . coat of mail 2105
 I wful. King granted the Jews to stand for their 2106
 Perilous. Jonathan said. . . Wherefore shall he be 2107
 Preparation. Uzziah prepared. . . shields, spears 2108
 Spiritual. Loin's girt about with truth. . . breastplate 2109
 Unheard. Alex. would have made his defence 2110
 Weapons. I can slay a man for my hurt 2111

ESCAPE.

Assistance. Disciples by night; let him down the 2713
 Few. Noah, Shem, Ham, and Japheth. . . wives 2713
 Hasty. David said, Arise, let us flee. . . from 2714
 Miraculous. Jesus escaped out of their hand 2715
 Any Means. Some on boards, some on broken 2716
 Narrow. A great wind. . . I only am escaped 2717
 No. They slew of Moab. . . escaped not a man 2718
 Only One. Upon the priests, and slew 85 persons 2719
 Strategy. Michal took an image. . . covered it 2721
 Urging. While Lot lingered, the men laid hold 2722

REDEMPTION.

Blood. On the upper doorpost. . . I will pass over 6909
 " Not redeemed with corruptible. . . blood of C. 6910
 Power. The horse and his rider. . . cast into the sea 6911

SALVATION.

Brothers. His own brother Simon. . . brought him 7556
 Belated. When once the master. . . shut to the door 7557
 Difficulties. Strive to enter. . . many shall not be 7558
 Emergency. I. shall go on dry ground. . . sea 7559
 Free. Him that cometh. . . I will in no wise cast out 7560
 " If any man thirst, let him come unto me 7561
 Faith. Believe on the L. J. C. and thou shalt be 7562
 " Whosoever believeth. . . should not perish 7563
 by Few. No restraint to the L. to save by many or 7564
 Gratitude. Fifth part unto Pharaoh. . . hast saved 7565
 by Humanity. Angel said. . . call for Peter. he will 7566
 Wonderful. Waters were a wall. . . right hand. . . left 7567
 Waiting. Stand ye still and see the salvation 7568
 One Way. Verily. . . I am the door of the sheep 7569

See PROTECTION and PROVIDENCE.

2167. DELIBERATION necessary. *Building—War*. ²⁸ Which of you, intending to build a tower, sitteth down not first, and counteth the cost, whether he have sufficient to finish it? . . . ³¹ Or what king, going to make war against another king, sitteth not down first, and consulteth whether he be able with ten thousand to meet him that cometh against him with twenty thousand?—LUKE, ch. 14.

See other illustrations under:

REFLECTION.

Important. Whatsoever things are true. . . think on 6914
 Painful. When Peter thought thereon, he wept 6915

2168. DELUSION, Destructive. *Ahaz*. [See No. 2145.]

2169. — from Success. *Philistines*. ²² The lords of the Philistines gathered. . . for to offer a great sacrifice unto Dagon their god, and to rejoice: for they said, Our god hath delivered Samson our enemy into our hand.—JUDGES, ch. 16.

2170. — of the Wicked. *Lot's Sons in Law*.
¹⁴ Lot went out, and spake unto his sons in law . . . and said, Up, get you out of this place; for the Lord will destroy this city. But he seemed as one that mocked unto his sons in law.—GEN., ch. 19.

See other illustrations under :

ERROR.
Sweeping. Barnabas also was carried away 2709
Sincere. There is a way that seemeth right... ways 2710

INFATUATION.
Mind. In the time of his distress did Ahaz trespass 4455
Reproved. Knowest thou not yet... Egypt is d. 4456
Wicked. They were driven out from Pharaoh's 4457
" Simon saw... H. G. was given, he offered 4458

INSANITY.
Exhibited. Hairs were grown like eagle's 4514
Feigned. David... feigned himself mad... spittle 4515
Moral. Pharaoh said... see my face no more 4516
Occasional. Evil spirit from God came upon Saul 4517
Sinners. When he came to himself... bread 4518
So-called. His friends said... he is beside himself 4519
" Paul, thou art beside thyself... mad 4520

SORCERY.
Captivating. Simon bewitched the people... all 8202
Renounced. Simon himself believed... was bapt'd 8203
" [Ephesians] used curious arts 8204

WITCHCRAFT.
Abolished. Workers with familiar spirits... Josiah 9649
Famous. Seek me a woman... a familiar spirit 9647
Influential. They all gave heed... lest... greatest 9650

Curious Arts. [Ephesians] used curious arts... burn 908
Imposition. Magicians... cast down... rod... serpent 5162
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2171. DEMAGOGUE, Artful. Absalom.
" When any man that had a controversy came to the king for judgment, then Absalom... said...
" See, thy matters are good and right ; but there is no man *deputed* of the king to hear thee. " Oh that I were made judge in the land, that every man which hath any suit or cause might come unto me, and I would do him justice ! " And... when any man came nigh to him to do him obeisance, he put forth his hand, and took him, and kissed him.—2 SAM., ch. 15.

See other illustrations under :

POLITICS.
Condemned. We found this fellow... forbidding 6226
Influence. If thou let this man go... not Cesar's 6228
In Religion. Is it lawful to give tribute to Cesar ? 6229

2172. DEMON within. Unclean Spirit. " Jesus rebuked him, saying, Hold thy peace, and come out of him. " And when the unclean spirit had torn him, and cried with a loud voice, he came out of him.—MARK, ch. 1.

See other illustrations under :

DEVIL.
Called a. Say we not well that thou hast a devil ? 2266
Hypocrisy. Ye are of your father the devil 2267
Sold to. Ahab did sell himself to work wickedness 2268

SATAN.
Ancestry. If thou be the S. of G. command... bread 7578
Bound. An angel... bound him a thousand years 7579
Children. Ye are of your father the devil... no 7580
Cunning. God doth know... your eyes shall be 7581
Doem. Cast him into the bottomless pit 7582
Delivered to. Hymeneas and Alex... delivered unto 7583
Enmity. I will put enmity between thee... woman 7584
Fall of. War in heaven... the dragon fought 7585
Filled. Ananias, why hath Satan filled thy heart 7586
Injurious. L. said... all that he hath... thy power 7587
Inspired by. Devil put into the heart of Judas 7588
Leader. After the sop, Satan entered into him 7589
Peril. The devil as a roaring lion... seeking 7590
Scripture. It is written, He shall give his angels 7591
Worshipper. Satan came also to present himself 7592

2173. DENIAL, Self-considerate. David.
" The three mighty men brake through the host of the Philistines, and drew water out of the well of Beth-lehem... and brought it to David : nevertheless he... poured it out unto the Lord. " And he said, Be it far from me, O Lord, that I should do this : *is not this* the blood of the men that went in jeopardy of their lives ?—2 SAM., ch. 23.

2174. — Self, for Others. Eating. " Neither, if we eat, are we the better ; neither, if we eat not, are we the worse. " But take heed lest by any means this liberty of yours become a stumblingblock to them that are weak. " Wherefore, if meat make my brother to offend, I will eat no flesh while the world standeth.—1 COR., ch. 8.

2175. — Twofold. Earth—Heaven. " Whosoever shall deny me before men, him will I also deny before my Father which is in heaven.—MAT., ch. 10.

2176. — An unexpected. Peter. " Peter sat down among them. " But a certain maid... earnestly looked upon him, and said, This man was also with him. " And he denied him, saying, Woman, I know him not.—LUKE, ch. 22.

See other illustrations under :

SELF-DENIAL.
Abstinence. David would not drink thereof 7701
Bodily. I keep under my body lest... be a castaway 7702
Better. People complained... fire consumed them 7703
Costly. If thy right hand offend thee... out it off 7704
Difficult. Young ruler went away grieved... great 7705
Decent. Put a knife to thy throat... given to a 7706
Essential. Let him deny himself... take up his cross 7707
Marvellous. Get thee out of thy country... kindred 7708
" Moses refused to be called the son 7709
" Unto this present hour we both 7710
for Others. If meat make my brother to offend 7711
Patriotic. Twelve years... not eaten the bread of 7712
Positive. If... hate not his father... own life 7713
Rewarded. Ye also shall sit upon twelve thrones 7714
" Shall receive 100 fold... eternal life 7715
Saved by. Because strait is the gate and narrow 7716
Sabbath. If thou turn from doing thine own 7717
Service. Whosoever will be chief... be your servant 7718
Vow of. We will drink no wine... build... sow nor 7719

TEMPERANCE.
Advised. [Mother] drink no wine, nor strong 8659
Extreme. Neither liquor of grapes... moist or dried 8660
Eating. His dainties... are deceitful meat 8661
Hereditary. Our father commanded us... drink no 8662
Health. Proved them ten days... fairer and fatter 8663
Mastery. Striveth for mastery is temperate in all 8664
Piety. [J. B.] neither wine nor strong drink... H. G. 8665
Strength. [Mother of Samson] Drink no wine 8666
Refusal. Let us pass through thy country 6948

2177. DENUNCIATION, An appalling. Simon.
" Then... Paul, filled with the Holy Ghost, set his eyes on him, " And said, O full of all subtilty and all mischief, *thou* child of the devil, *thou* enemy of all righteousness, wilt thou not cease to pervert the right ways of the Lord ?—ACTS, ch. 13.

2178. — of Hypocrites. Jesus. " Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites ! for ye are like unto whited sepulchres, which indeed appear beautiful outward, but are within full of dead men's bones, and of all uncleanness.

²² Ye serpents, ye generation of vipers, how can ye escape the damnation of hell?—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

See other illustrations under:

THREATENING.

Contemptible. Let fire..of the bramble..devour 8798
Intimidating. So let the gods do..make thy life 8792
Rash. I will chastise you with scorpions 8794
Repeated. Commanded them not to speak 8795
Terrible. Whosoever cometh not..be done unto 8796
Unfulfilled. I will give thy flesh unto the fowls 8797
Useless. [See 8798] They spake the word..with 8798
Unreasonable. King commanded to destroy the 8799

2179. DEPARTURE. A constrained. *Disciples.*
²² Jesus constrained his disciples to get into a ship, and to go before him unto the other side, while he sent the multitudes away.—*MAT.*, ch. 14.

2180. — in Haste. *Out of Egypt.* ²³ The Egyptians were urgent..that they might send them out of the land in haste; for they said, We be all dead men.—*EX.*, ch. 12.

2181. — for Safety. *Calamity.* ¹⁶ Then let them which be in Judea flee into the mountains: ¹⁷ Let him which is on the housetop not come down to take any thing out of his house: ¹⁸ Neither let him which is in the field return back to take his clothes.—*MAT.*, ch. 24.

2182. — A stolen. *Jacob.* ¹¹ Jacob rose up, and set his sons and his wives upon camels; ¹⁸ And he carried away all his cattle, and all his goods.. ²⁰ And Jacob stole away unawares to Laban the Syrian.—*GEN.*, ch. 31.

2183. — An unexpected. *Four Lepers.*
⁵ When they were come to the uttermost part of the camp of Syria, behold, there was no man there. ⁶ For the Lord had made..the Syrians to hear..the noise of a great host: and they said one to another, Lo, the king of Israel hath hired against us the kings.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 7.

See other illustrations under:

ABANDONMENT.

Anger. Let me alone..wrath may wax hot 1
Blasphemers. Hymeneus and Alex..learn not to 2
Christ. Left house, or brethren..lands for my sake 3
Destruction. I will destroy from off the..earth 4
Home. Abram get thee..from thy father's house 5
Just. Go cry unto the gods which ye have chosen 6
Jesus. All the disciples forsook him, and fled 7
Merited. They hated knowledge..despised reproof 8
Sanctuary. L. abhorred his sanctuary 9
Surprising. The ark of God was taken 10
Transgressors. 3000 men fled before the men of Ai 11
Work. Mark..went not with them to the work 12
Unconscious. Samson wist not that the L. was 13

APOSTASY.

Angelic. Angels which kept not their first estate 461
Age. When Solomon was old..turned..other gods 462
Deception. Latter times..heed to seducing spirits 463
Enmity. Alexander..did me much evil 464
Hopeless. If we sin wilfully..no more sacrifice 465
Inconsiderate. Gave Esau pottage..despised his 466
Idolatrous. Ahab..served Baal, and worshipped 467
Prosperity. Jeshurun waxed fat, and kicked 468
Responsibility. Whoso shall offend..millstone 469
Shipwreck. Made shipwreck..Hymeneus..Alex. 470

DESERTION.

Ignorance. Drinketh my blood..disciples went 2304
Painful. At my first answer..all men forsook 2305
Prevailed. Soldiers cut the ropes..boat..let her 2306

EXPULSION.

Ecclesiastical. If he neglect to hear the church 2821
Persecution. Jews..raised persecution against 2822
Sinners. Drove out the man..garden of Eden 2823
Vigorous. Jeholada..I chased him from me 2824

FAREWELL.

Beatific. While he blessed them he was departed 3040
Glorious. Horses of fire..Elijah went up..into 3041
Loving. Naomi said, Turn again, my daughters 3042
Perilous. Let me first bid them farewell..at 3043
Sorrowful. All wept sore and fell on Paul's neck 3044

FORSAKING.

All. Flee into the mountains..not take anything 3378
Business. Ships to land, they forsook all and 3379
Duty. Jonah rose up to flee..going to Tarshish 3380
God. Amaziah..set them up to be his gods 3381
" But we will have a king over us..like all 3383
" Have despised the L..why came we forth 3383
" We have forsaken our God and followed 3384
" Forsaken..living waters, and hewed 3385
" Ahaz sacrificed unto the gods..which 3386
Office. Levi sitting at the receipt of custom..left 3228

FORSAKEN.

Friends. All the disciples forsook him and fled 3389
of God. [David] I cry in the daytime..hearest 3390
" [Saul] Bring me up Samuel..L. is 3391
" [Jesus] My God, my God, why hast 3392
" [Apparently] If the L. be with us, why 3393

FUGITIVE.

Criminal. Jacob..flee thou to Laban, my 3487
Infant. Take the young child..flee into Egypt 3488
Noble. Pharaoh sought to slay Moses..fled 3489
Protected. Not deliver unto his master the 3490
Return. [Onesimus] departed for a season 3491

SECESSION.

Political. If this city be builded..no portion on 7642
" I will chastise you with scorpions 7643

SEPARATION.

Drunkards. Not to keep company..not to eat 7758
Godly. Separated from I. all the mixed 7759
Impossible. Neither death nor life..able to 7764
Reason of. For they will turn away thy son 7778
Sorrowful. They kissed one another, and wept 7780
Spiritual. Fan is in his hand..wheat..chaff 7781
Sinners. Blessed..when they shall separate 7783
by Sin. As a shepherd divideth his sheep..goats 7789
" Your iniquities have separated..your 7784
Unavoidable. Ye cannot drink the cup of the L. 7787

WANDERING.

Corrected. Before I was afflicted, I went astray 9282
Invitation. Return unto me, and I will return 9280
Restoration. Lovest thou me?...Feed my sheep 9279
Search. Having a hundred sheep, if he lose one 9284
Unsatisfied. Dove found no rest for the..foot 9285
Wicked. I will be a swift witness against the 9281

See DEATH.

2184. DEPENDENCE cut off. *Straw.* ¹ Ye shall no more give the people straw to make brick, as heretofore: let them go and gather straw for themselves. ² And the tale of the bricks, which they did make heretofore, ye shall lay upon them.—*EX.*, ch. 5.

2185. — A doubtful. *Elijah.* ⁹ Arise, get thee to Zarephath..and dwell there: behold, I have commanded a widow woman there to sustain thee.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 17.

2186. — Humiliating. *No Smith.* ¹⁹ There was no smith found throughout all the land of

Israel : for the Philistines said, Lest the Hebrews make *them* swords or spears : ²⁰ But all . . . went down to the Philistines, to sharpen every man his share, and his coultter, and his axe, and his mattock.—1 SAM., ch. 13.

2187. — upon a Woman. *Deborah.* ⁸ Barak said unto her, If thou wilt go with me, *then* I will go : but if thou wilt not go with me, *then* I will not go. ⁹ And she said, I will . . . notwithstanding the journey . . . shall not be for thine honour ; for the Lord shall sell Sisera into the hand of a woman.—JUDGES, ch. 4.

See other illustrations under :

CONFIDENCE.

Believers. Though I walk through the valley	1518
Blind. Know I that the L. I have a priest	1519
Caution. They are smitten down . . . as at the first	1520
Disappointed. Ark came . . . I shouted . . . ark taken	1521
False. King [of Ai] wist not . . . ambush	1522
Future. Doth deliver . . . trust he will deliver	1523
Intelligent. I know whom I have believed	1524
Joyful. How great is thy goodness . . . trust thee	1525
Over. Is thy servant a dog . . . do this? [Hazeal]	1526
Peril. Have the sentence of death . . . we trust	1527
Piety begets. L. was with Joseph . . . into his hand	1528
Strong. L. delight in us . . . fear them not	1529
Self. Peter said . . . I will lay down my life	1530
Triumphant. Although the fig tree shall not b.	1531
Unwarranted. Let two or three thousand go	1532
Unfortunate. Confidence . . . like a broken tooth and	1533
Undermining. Neither let Hez. make you trust . . . L.	1534
Warranted. L. is my rock, fortress, deliverer	1535

TRUST.

Active. Hezekiah clave to the L. . . rebelled against	9008
Courageous. Thou comest . . . I come . . . in the name	9009
Experience. L. who delivered me . . . the paw of the	9010
Egotists. Pharisee . . . I . . . I . . . I . . . I	9011
Fearless. Our G. . . is able to deliver us . . . furnace	9012
" Though I walk through the valley	9013
" The Lord is on my side, I will not fear	9014
Fixed. Though he slay me, yet will I trust	9015
Foolish. Bramble said . . . Put your trust in my s.	9016
Honoured. Cried to G. in the battle . . . trust in him	9017
" Angel smote . . . Assyrians, 185,000	9018
Ill-timed. Let us fetch the ark . . . it may save us	9020
Providence. May boldly say, The L. is my helper	9021
Self. Philistine . . . saw David . . . disdained him	9022

See FAITH.

2188. DEPRAVITY, Ancient. Antediluvians. ⁸ God saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and *that* every imagination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually. ⁹ And it repented the Lord that he had made man on the earth, and it grieved him at his heart.—GEN., ch. 6.

2189. — Bestial. *Gibeathites.* ²² The men of the city, certain sons of Belial, beset the house round about, *and* beat at the door, and spake to the . . . old man, saying, Bring forth the man that came into thine house.—JUDGES, ch. 19.

2190. — discovered. *Isaiah.* ⁵ Woe is me ! for I am undone ; because I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips : for mine eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts.—ISA., ch. 6.

2191. — of the Heathen. *Paul.* ²² Changed the glory of 'the incorruptible God into an image made like to corruptible man, and to birds, and fourfooted beasts, and creeping things.

²⁴ Wherefore God also gave them up to uncleanness.—ROM., ch. 1.

2192. — infectious. *From Sodom.* ²⁶ Thus were both the daughters of Lot with child by their father.—GEN., ch. 19. [They were reared in Sodom.]

2193. — inherited. *Pharisees.* ²¹ Ye be witnesses unto yourselves, that ye are the children of them which killed the prophets. ²² Ye serpents, ye generation of vipers, how can ye escape the damnation of hell?—MAT., ch. 23.

2194. — Natural. *Universal.* ¹ The fool hath said in his heart, *There is no God.* They are corrupt, they have done abominable works, *there is none that doeth good.* ² The Lord looked down from heaven upon the children of men, to see if there were any that did understand, and seek God. ³ They are all gone aside, they are all together become filthy : *there is none that doeth good, no, not one.*—PS. 14.

See other illustrations under :

DEGRADATION.

Drink. Mighty man shall be humbled	2119
Food. Whatsoever goeth upon the belly . . . not eat	2120
Morals. [See Genesis 19 : 5 and Judges 19 : 22]	
Mental. Strong drink . . . stumble in judgment	2122

VICES.

Mental. Idolatry, witchcraft, hatred, variance	9188
Physical. Works of the flesh are . . . adultery	9189
Pleasures. As . . . lieth down in the midst of the sea	9190

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2195. DEPRECIATION, Self. Jeremiah. ⁶ Said I, Ah, Lord God ! behold, I cannot speak : for I am a child. . . ¹⁰ See, I have this day set thee over the nations . . . to root out, and to pull down, and to destroy, and to throw down, to build, and to plant.—JER., ch. 1.

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FAULTS.

One. When my master . . . house of Rimmon	3063
Official. [Enemies] could find none . . . fault in	3066
Overlooked. Sins of Jehu . . . golden calves . . . done	4350
Unchurched. Neglect to hear the church . . . as a	3064

FAULTFINDERS.

Fastidious. Why do ye eat . . . with sinners	3067
Hypocritical. Why was not this . . . sold for 300	3068
Malleious. John B. . . he hath a devil . . . Son of man	3069

Discrimination. Abel offered . . . more excellent

See CRITICISM.

2196. DEPRESSION, Overwhelming. Jesus. ⁴⁴ About the ninth hour Jesus cried with a loud voice, saying . . . My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me?—MAT., ch. 27.

See other illustrations under :

DESPONDENCY.

Bereavement. Joseph is, without doubt, rent in	2226
Complaint. Since I came to Pharaoh . . . done evil	2227
Constitutional. Let us go . . . die with him	2230
Continued. My heart is smitten and withered like	2228
Cure. David was greatly distressed . . . spake of	2229
Difficulties. People was much discouraged	2231
Hope. Why art thou cast down, O my soul?	2229
Hasty. Sun beat . . . Jonah fainted . . . wished to die	2233
Ill-timed. Handful of meal . . . little oil . . . die	2234
Loneliness. I only am left, and they seek my life	2235
Memories. By the rivers of Babylon we wept	2236
Overcare. If thou deal thus with me, kill me	2237
Public. Moses heard the people weeping . . . door	2238
Prayer. How long wilt thou forget me, O Lord	2239

Peril. Esau cometh . . 400 men . . Jacob afraid 2240
Singular. Lord take away my life . . not better 2242
Vows. I. make a reproach unto me . . derision 2243
Without. Troubled on every side . . not in despair 2244

DISAPPOINTMENT.

Doubt. Heard that he was alive . . believed not 2215
Gifts. S. gave Hiram 20 cities . . pleased him not 2216
Good. They have taken . . Lord out of the S. 2217
Humiliating. Prison truly . . shut . . no man there 2218
Ignorance. No place of seed . . figs . . vines 2219
Judgment. Thou hast taught in our streets 2220
Misjudged. We trusted it had been he . . saved I. 2221
Maternal. I have gotten a man [murderer] from L. 2222
Many. Sown much, and bring in little 2223
Perplexing. King of Syria sore troubled 2223
Religion. Have wanted all things . . consumed 2224
Unendurable. Ahithophel . . hanged himself 2225

DISCOURAGEMENT.

Contrast. But as for me, my feet were almost gone 2246
Defeat. Would to God we had been content 2247
Evildoers. I am . . weak, though anointed king 2248
Failure. Neither hast thou delivered thy people 2249
" We have tolled all the night, and taken 2250
Mismanagement. Men of A. smote 36 men 2251
Ministerial. Some fell on stony ground . . thorns 2252
Needless. They that be with us are more . . with 2253
Overcome. He answered her not a word 2253
Reproved. Yet I have left me 7000 in L. 2254
Trials. I am not able to bear all this people . . too 2255
Unbelief. Been better to have served the Egyptians 2256
Unreasonable. Wherefore have ye brought us out 2257
Without. We faint not . . though our outward man 2258

DESPAIR.

Affliction. Let me not see the death of the child 2212
Anguish. Slay me, for anguish is come upon me 2214
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2222. *DESPISERS of Others. Pharisee.* ⁹ He spake this parable unto certain which trusted in themselves that they were righteous, and despised others: ¹⁰ Two men went up into the temple to pray; the one a Pharisee, and the other a publican.—*LUKE*, ch. 18.

2223. — *of Privileges. Esau.* ³⁴ Jacob gave Esau bread and pottage of lentiles; and he did

eat and drink, and rose up, and went his way. Thus Esau despised his birthright.—*GEN.*, ch. 25.

2224. — *Sin of. Of Christ.* ²² Of how much sorer punishment, suppose ye, shall he be thought worthy, who hath trodden under foot the Son of God, and hath counted the blood of the covenant, wherewith he was sanctified, an unholy thing, and hath done despite unto the Spirit of grace?—*HEB.*, ch. 10.

2225. — *Warning to. Of God.* ²⁴ Because I have called, and ye refused; I have stretched out my hand, and no man regarded; ²⁵ But ye have set at nought all my counsel, and would none of my reproof: ²⁶ I also will laugh at your calamity; I will mock when your fear cometh; ²⁷ When your fear cometh as desolation, and your destruction cometh as a whirlwind; when distress and anguish cometh upon you.—*PROV.*, ch. 1.

See other illustrations under:

CONTEMPT.

Bigots. Pharisee prayed..I am not as other men	1618
Critics. Michal saw king David leaping..despised	1619
Concited. Thistle..sent to the cedar..give thy	1620
Disregarded. The God of heaven will prosper us	1621
Enemy's. Am I a dog that thou comest..staves	1622
Expressed. Children of Belial..brought Saul no	1623
Fraternal. With whom hast thou left those few	1624
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Malleious. Did spit in his face, and buffeted	1628
Others. That they were righteous..despised others	1629
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DERISION.

Horrible. Put on him a scarlet robe..crown	2197
Impious. Laughed them to scorn, and mocked	2198
Punished. Sarah saw the son of Hagar..mocking	2199
Nickname. Thou art a Samaritan, and hast a devil	2200
Truth. Pharisees who were covetous..derided	2201
Unfortunates. Thieves also..cast the same into	2202
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INSULT.

Ignored. Despised him [Saul]..held his peace	4567
First. Thrust him [Jesus] out of the city..headlong	4568
Rewarded. Cut off their garments in the middle	4569
Stinging. To smite him on the mouth	4570

RIDICULE.

Doctrine. When they heard of the resurrection	7425
Fatal. Call for Samson, that he may make us sport	7426
Failure. Not able to finish..begin to mock him	7427
Horrible. He saved others, let him save himself	7428
Impious. They laughed them to scorn, and mocked	7429
" What will this babbler say [Athenians]	7430
Insulting. Cut off their garments..their buttocks	7431
Opposition. What do these feeble Jews will they	7432
" If a fox go up, he shall break down	7433
Punishment. Children of Bethel..Go up, thou bald	7434
Royalty. Wearing the crown of thorns and purple	7435
Scornful. They laughed us to scorn, and despised us	7436
Spirit. Mocking said, These men are full of new wine	7437
Trial. They reviled him and said, We are Moses'	7438

SCOFFERS.

Malleious. Prophecy unto us, thou Christ..who	7614
" Herod arrayed him in a gorgeous robe	7615

SCORN.

of Pride. [Haman] Scorn to lay hands on Mordecai	7616
Public. All clap their hands at thee, and hiss	7619
Taunt. Who made thee a prince and a judge over	8562
Unbelief. She sleepeth..they laughed him to scorn	7639

2236. DESPONDENCY in Bereavement. Jacob. ²³ Joseph is without doubt rent in pieces. ²⁴ And Jacob rent his clothes, and put sackcloth upon his loins, and mourned for his son many days. ²⁵ . . . he refused to be comforted ; and he said, For I will go down into the grave unto my son mourning.—GEN., ch. 37.

2237. — Complaint in. Moses. ²² Moses . . . said, Lord, wherefore hast thou so evil entreated this people ? why is it that thou hast sent me ? ²³ For since I came to Pharaoh to speak in thy name, he hath done evil to this people ; neither hast thou delivered thy people at all.—EX., ch. 5.

2238. — continued. Affliction. ⁴ My heart is smitten, and withered like grass ; so that I forget to eat my bread . . . ⁵ By reason of the voice of my groaning my bones cleave to my skin. ⁶ I am like a pelican of the wilderness : I am like an owl of the desert. ⁷ I watch, and am as a sparrow alone upon the housetop. ⁸ Mine enemies reproach me all the day ; and they that are mad against me are sworn against me. ⁹ For I have eaten ashes like bread, and mingled my drink with weeping.—PS. 102.

2239. — Cure for. Prayer. ³ The city . . . was burned with fire ; and their wives, and their sons, and their daughters, were taken captives. ⁴ And David was greatly distressed, for the people spake of stoning him, because the soul of all the people was grieved, every man for his sons and for his daughters : but David encouraged himself in the Lord his God.—1 SAM., ch. 30.

2240. — Constitutional. Thomas. ⁸ Master, the Jews of late sought to stone thee, and goest thou thither again ? ¹⁶ Then said Thomas . . . unto his fellow disciples, Let us also go, that we may die with him.—JOHN, ch. 11.

2241. — under Difficulties. Israelites. ⁶ They journeyed from mount Hor by the way of the Red sea, to compass the land of Edom : and the soul of the people was much discouraged because of the way.—NUM., ch. 21.

2242. — Hope in. David. ¹¹ Why art thou cast down, O my soul ? and why art thou disquieted within me ? hope thou in God : for I shall yet praise him, who is the health of my countenance, and my God.—PS. 42.

2243. — Hasty. Jonah. ⁶ The Lord God prepared a gourd . . . that it might be a shadow over his head, to deliver him from his grief. So Jonah was exceeding glad of the gourd. ⁷ But . . . a worm . . . the next day . . . smote the gourd that it withered. ⁸ . . . and the sun beat upon the head of Jonah, that he fainted, and wished in himself to die, and said, *It is better for me to die than to live.*—JONAH, ch. 4.

2244. — Ill-timed. Widow of Z. ¹⁸ I have not a cake, but a handful of meal in a barrel, and a little oil in a cruse : and, behold, I am gathering two sticks, that I may go in and dress it for me and my son, that we may eat it, and die.—1 KINGS, ch. 17. [Neither meal nor oil grew less.]

2245. — from Loneliness. Elijah. ⁹ He came thither unto a cave, and lodged there ; and behold, the word of the Lord . . . What doest thou here, Elijah ? ¹⁰ And he said, I have been very jealous for the Lord God of hosts ; for the chil-

dren of Israel have forsaken thy covenant, thrown down thine altars, and slain thy prophets . . . and I, even I only, am left ; and they seek my life, to take it away.—1 KINGS, ch. 19.

2236. — Memories bring. Captives. ¹ By the rivers of Babylon, there we sat down, yea, we wept, when we remembered Zion. ² We hanged our harps upon the willows in the midst thereof. ³ For there they that carried us away captive required of us a song.—PS. 137.

2237. — from Care. Moses. ¹⁴ I am not able to bear all this people alone, because it is too heavy for me. ¹⁵ And if thou deal thus with me, kill me . . . out of hand, if I have found favour in thy sight ; and let me not see my wretchedness.—NUM., ch. 11.

2238. — Public. Flesh-hungry. ¹⁰ Moses heard the people weep throughout their families, every man in the door of his tent : and the anger of the Lord was kindled greatly ; Moses also was displeased.—NUM., ch. 11.

2239. — Prayer in. David. ¹ How long wilt thou forget me, O Lord ? for ever ? how long wilt thou hide thy face from me ? ² How long shall I take counsel in my soul, having sorrow in my heart daily ? how long shall mine enemy be exalted over me ? ³ Consider and hear me, O Lord my God ; lighten mine eyes, lest I sleep the sleep of death.—PS. 13.

2240. — from Peril. Jacob. ⁶ The messengers returned to Jacob, saying, We came to thy brother Esau, and also he cometh to meet thee, and four hundred men with him. ⁷ Then Jacob was greatly afraid and distressed.—GEN., ch. 32. [He prayed all night.]

2241. — in Sickness. Hezekiah. ¹⁰ I said in the cutting off of my days, I shall go to the gates of the grave : I am deprived of the residue of my years. ¹¹ I said, I shall not see . . . the Lord, in the land of the living : I shall behold man no more with the inhabitants of the world. ¹² Mine age is departed, and is removed from me as a shepherd's tent : I have cut off like a weaver my life : he will cut me off with pining sickness.—ISA., ch. 38.

2242. — Singular. Elijah. [After the great success at Mount Carmel, he fled from Jezebel into the wilderness, and] ⁴ sat down under a juniper tree : and he . . . said, It is enough ; now, O Lord, take away my life ; for I am not better than my fathers.—1 KINGS, ch. 19.

2243. — Vows in. Jeremiah. ¹ I am in derision daily, every one mocketh me. ² . . . the word of the Lord was made a reproach unto me, and a derision, daily. ³ Then I said, I will not make mention of him, nor speak any more in his name. But his word was in mine heart as a burning fire shut up in my bones, and I was weary with forbearing, and I could not stay.—JER., ch. 20.

2244. — Without. Paul. ⁸ We are troubled on every side, yet not distressed ; we are perplexed, but not in despair.—2 COR., ch. 4.

See other illustrations under :

DESPAIR.

Affliction. Let me . . . see the death of the child 2213
Anguish. Slay me, for anguish is come upon me 2214
Awaking. Wine was gone out . . . heart died within 2215
Deliverance. Been better for us to serve the Egypt 2216
Needless. Widow . . . meal . . . oil . . . me and my son eat 2217

DESPERATION.	
Boldness. I will go in unto the king..if I perish	2218
Effort. Why sit we here till we die?	2219
Sinners. Saul inquired of the L..answered him	2220
Sacrifices. King of Moab took his eldest son	2221
DISCOURAGEMENT.	
Contrast. But as for me, my feet were almost	2346
Defeat. Would to God we had been content..other	2347
Evildoers. I am..weak, though anointed king	2348
Failure. Neither hast thou delivered thy people	2349
" We have toiled all the night, and taken	2350
Mismanagement. Men of Aismote 36 men	2351
Ministerial. Some fell on stony ground..thorns	2352
Needless. They that be with us are more..with	2353
Overcome. He answered her not a word	2359
Reproved. Yet I have left me 7000 in L.	2354
Trials. I am not able to bear all this people..too	2355
Unbelief. Been better to have served the Egyp'ns	2356
Unreasonable. Wherefore have ye brought us, out	2357
Without. We faint not..though our outward man	2358
DISTRESS.	
Cry of. Great cry..none like it, nor shall be	2437
Derided. They that see me, shoot out the lip	2438
Described. I was a derision to all my people	2439
Exasperation. What shall I do..people ready to	2440
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Little Faith. Why are ye fearful..little faith..calm	2442
Friend. Gedallah..took Jeremiah out of prison	2443
Great. Thrust..right eyes..people wept	2444
Needless. Saul had adjured..food	2445
Refuge. Ahaz sacrificed unto the gods that smote	2446
DOUBT.	
Adversity. Harkened not unto Moses for anguish	2493
Disappointment. Disciples heard he was alive	2494
Forbidden. Consider the lilies..much more..clothe	2495
Hurtful. Know..be hungry..get into the city	2496
Impossible. Fire..fell..licked..water..L. he is God	2497
Solved. If any man will do..know the doctrine	2498
Struggling. Say unto God, Do not condemn me	2499
Strong. Except I shall see..hands..not believe	2500
Snare. Discouraged..People is greater and taller	2501
Trouble. Life shall hang in doubt..none assurance	2502
LAMENTATION.	
Adversity. Let the day perish wherein I was	4883
Fathers. O my son Absalom! my son, my son	4884
General. Thrust out right eyes..people..voices	4885
Ill-timed. Would to G. we had been content	4886
Jesus. O Jerusalem, Jerusalem..would I have	4887
For Jesus. Weep not for me, but weep for	4888
National. In every province..Jews..weeping and	4889
Tearful. Oh that my head were waters..fountain	4890
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Abstinence. [Abner assassinated] If I taste	5608
Bereavement. I am distressed for thee, my	5604
Beneficial. Better to go to the house of mourning	5605
Comfort. Asleep..sorrow not as others which	5598
Feigned. Be as a woman..long time mourned	5606
Good. Mary..told them..as they mourned and	5600
Genuine. Widows..weeping and showing	5601
Intense. David went up..wept..barefoot	5607
Joy. Jesus came and touched the bier	5608
Last. Thou mourn at the last..body consumed	5609
Time. Great and very sore lamentation	5610
Wicked. King wept at the grave of Abner	5611
REMORSE.	
Needful. People that came..smote their breasts	7067
Prevented. Lest swallowed up with overmuch sor.	7068
Treachery. Judas..went and hanged himself	7069
Agony. My soul is exceeding sorrowful..unto death	204
Boldness. I will go in unto the king..if I perish	2218
Disappointment. Saw his counsel was not follow'd	2225
Ministerial. I will not speak any more in his name	2246
Mystery. Money..in sack..heart fainted	2285
Sacrifices. Took his eldest son..for burnt offering	2221
2245. DESPOTISM, Royal. Israel. [Israel asked a king. Samuel premonished them of the burdens of royalty. Sons, daughters, fields, taxes, servants, animals, etc., would be taken for the king.] ¹⁸ And ye shall cry out in that day because of your king which ye shall have chosen you.—1 SAM., ch. 8.	
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OPPRESSION.	
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Deliverance. Hebrew..seventh year let him go	5918
Famine. Mortgaged our lands, vineyards, and	5919
Servants. Thou shalt not oppress a hired servant	5920
Slaves. Let there be more work laid upon the men	5921
Unendurable. Evil entreated our fathers..cast out	5922
Tyrannical. My father made your yoke heavy	9048
2246. DESTITUTION, Physical. Saul. ¹⁷ In weariness and painfulness, in watchings often, in hunger and thirst, in fastings often, in cold and nakedness.—2 COR., ch. 11.	
2247. — Pastoral. Jews. ²⁴ Jesus..saw much people, and was moved with compassion toward them, because they were as sheep not having a shepherd: and he began to teach them.—MARK, ch. 6.	
2248. — Religious. Israelites. [Azariah said,] ³ The Lord is with you, while ye be with him; and if ye seek him, he will be found of you; but if ye forsake him, he will forsake you. ⁵ Now for a long season Israel hath been without the true God, and without a teaching priest, and without law.—2 CHRON., ch. 15.	
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FAMINE.	
Charity. Disciples determined to send relief	3023
Care. Shall eat bread by weight..water by	3024
Dying. Eaten no bread..three days..sick	3025
Distress. Delicate woman..children..eat then	3026
Exiled. Sojourn wherever thou canst..seven	3027
Escape. Abram went down into Egypt..famine	3028
Emigration. Elimelech went to sojourn in	3029
Inhumanity. Give thy son, that we may eat him	3030
Sin. I will break the staff of bread	3031
" Ye have forsaken the..L. and followed	3032
Seven Years. No bread..land of Canaan fainted	3033
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" Be not among winebibbers..come to	6296
not a Crime. Poor man is better than a liar	6297
Dangers. Give me neither poverty nor riches	6298
Famine. We are many..take up corn for them	6299
Hinderance. No. King's son in law..I am a poor	6300
Inevitable. Famine prevailed..land became	6301
Known. She did cast in all her living	6302
to Plenty. Beggar..carried by the angels to	6303
Protection of. Left the poor of the land to be	6304
Sluggard. Will not plough..cold, therefore..beg	6305
" Little sleep, a little slumber, a little	6306

Suffering. In weariness and painfulness, in hunger 6307
and Bibles. Beggar..at his gate..crumbs which 6308
Wm. Better is the poor that walketh uprightly 6309
Wealth in. There is that maketh himself poor 6310
Wealth. Better is the poor than..though he be 6311

WANT.

a Messing. I perish with hunger..my father 8286
Contentment. I have learned..to be content 8287
Degraded. We boiled my son..give thy son 8288
Frivolity. He that followeth vain persons 8289
near Luxury. Rich man..fared sumptuously 8290
to Planty. Four lepers..did eat and drink 8291
Sin brings. Woman..brought to a piece of bread 8292

Jeyous. Although the fig tree shall not blossom 1379
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2249. DESTRUCTION, Complete. *Egyptians.*
 "The waters returned, and covered the chariots, and the horsemen, and all the host of Pharaoh that came into the sea after them; there remained not so much as one of them.—Ex., ch. 14.

2250. — by Fire. In War. "Nebuzar-adan, captain of the guard, a servant of the king of Babylon.. he burnt the house of the Lord, and the king's house, and all the houses of Jerusalem, and every great man's house.—2 Kings, ch. 25.

2251. — General. Flood. "Every living substance was destroyed which was upon the face of the ground, both man, and cattle, and the creeping things, and the fowl of the heaven; ..and Noah only remained alive, and they that were with him in the ark.—GEN., ch. 7.

2252. — of the Grave. *Job.* "For there is hope of a tree, if it be cut down, that it will sprout again, and that the tender branch thereof will not cease. "Though the root thereof wax old in the earth, and the stock thereof die in the ground; "Yet through the scent of water it will bud, and bring forth boughs like a plant. "But man dieth, and wasteth away: yea, man giveth up the ghost, and where is he?—Job, ch. 14.

2253. — Preserved from. *Israel.* "The Lord saw the affliction of Israel, that it was very bitter: for there was not any shut up, nor any left, nor any helper for Israel. "And the Lord said not that he would blot out the name of Israel from under heaven: but he saved them by the hand of Jeroboam.—2 Kings, ch. 14.

2254. — Sudden. *Antediluvians.* "They did eat, they drank, they married wives, they were given in marriage, until the day that Noe entered into the ark, and the flood came, and destroyed them all.—LUKE, ch. 17.

2255. — Unexpected. *Sodomites.* "Likewise also as it was in the days of Lot; they did eat, they drank, they bought, they sold, they planted, they builded; "But the same day that Lot went out of Sodom it rained fire and brimstone from heaven, and destroyed them all.—LUKE, ch. 17.

2256. — Vandals. *God's House.* "A man was famous according as he had lifted up axes upon the thick trees. "But now they break down the carved work thereof at once with axes and hammers. They have cast fire into thy sanctuary.—Ps. 74.

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CALAMITY.

Destructive. We fell upon 27,000 men that were 925
Feared. His strength shall be hunger bitten 1000
of God. Earth opened her mouth and swallowed 926
Hardened. I have smitten you with blasting 1001
Indiscriminating. The L. maketh the earth 1203
Misjudged. Tower in Siloam fell..think..they 1003
Predicted. Shall not be left one stone upon 907
Reflection. O that I were..days of my youth 1004
Sin. Taken the accursed thing..therefore could 928
Waiting. Jonah sat..see what would become 929

Arson. Nebuzar-adan burnt..all the houses 3235
Common. He that helpeth..is holpen, shall fall 293
Doom. Gather together first the tares..burn them 2423
Exterminating. Smiteth Amalek, and utterly destroy 2226
 " [Ahab's sons] Slew seventy 2327
Fire. L. rained upon Sodom and G. brimstone 3230
Forbidden. Only the trees..not for meat..destroy 9315
Shipwreck. Get to land..on broken pieces of the 7340
Wicked. In the lake which burneth with fire 3244
War. Moabites bent down their cities..felled good 9314

2257. DETECTIVE, A female. *Delilah.*
 "When Delilah saw that he had told her all his heart, she sent..for the lords of the Philistines, saying, Come up this once, for he hath shewed me all his heart. Then the lords..brought money in their hand.—JUDGES, ch. 16.

2258. — Impious. *Watch Jesus.* "They watched him, whether he would heal him on the sabbath day; that they might accuse him. "And the Pharisees..straightway took counsel with the Herodians..how they might destroy him.—MARK, ch. 3.

2259. DETECTION feared. *Moses.* "He spied an Egyptian smiting a Hebrew, one of his brethren. "And he looked this way and that way, and when he saw that there was no man, he slew the Egyptian, and hid him in the sand.—Ex., ch. 2.

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DISCOVERY.

Astounding. I am Joseph; doth my father yet live 2360
Alarming. My money is restored in my sack 2361
Painful. Isaac trembled very exceedingly..Who 2362
Unexpected. Is not the hand of Joab..in this? 2342

2260. DETERMINATION, An evil. *Idolatrous Jews.* "As for the word that thou hast spoken unto us in the name of the Lord, we will not hearken unto thee. "But we will certainly do whatsoever thing goeth forth out of our own mouth, to burn incense unto the queen of heaven.—JER., ch. 44.

2261. — Fixed. *Paul.* "The Holy Ghost witnesseth in every city, saying that bonds and afflictions abide me. "But none of these things move me, neither count I my life dear unto myself, so that I might finish my course with joy, and the ministry.—ACTS, ch. 20.

2262. — A fixed. *Shunammite.* [Her child was dead, and she came for the prophet Elisha. He said he would send Gehazi with his staff.] "And the mother of the child said, As the Lord liveth, and as thy soul liveth, I will not leave thee. And he arose, and followed her.—2 Kings, ch. 4.

2263. — A resolute. *Absalom.* "Absalom sent for Joab..but he would not come to him.. the second time he would not come. "There-

fore he said unto his servants, See, Job's field is near mine, and he hath barley there; go and set it on fire. ⁸¹ Then Job arose, and came to Absalom.—2 SAM., ch. 14.

2264. — wanting. Pilate. ⁸² He said unto them the third time, Why, what evil hath he done? I have found no cause of death in him: I will therefore chastise him, and let him go. ⁸⁴ And Pilate gave sentence that it should be as they required.—LUKE, ch. 23.

See other illustrations under:

DESPERATION.

Boldness. I will go in unto the king..If I perish 2218
Effort. Why sit we here till we die? 2219
Sinners. Saul inquired of the L..answered him 2220
Sacrifices. King of Moab took his eldest son 2221

HARDNESS.

Adversity. In his distress did Ahaz trespass more 3797
Heart. Looked..anger being grieved..hardness of 3798
Spiritual. We will certainly burn incense 3799

IMPENITENCE.

Affliction. Ahaziah said..Go inquire of Baal-zebub 4347
Hardened. Thou shalt die..He sent to arrest 4348

OBDURACY.

Defiant. Who is the L..let I go 5755
Final. Pharaoh made ready his chariot..people 5756
Foolish. Ahaz in..distress did trespass more and 5757
Jewish. Thy neck is an iron sinew..brow brass 5758
Spiritual. If the mighty works..been done in Tyre 5759
Self-destructive. I know G. hath determined to 5760
Truth. Divers were hardened..spake evil 5761

OBSTINACY.

Provoking. The L. said..it is a stiffnecked people 5825
Rebuked. I..withstand thee..thy way is perverse 5826
Rebellious. People refused to obey the voice of 5827

PERSISTENCE.

Necessary. Aaron and Hur stayed up his hands 6067
Prayer. Let me go, for the day breaketh..will not 6068
Rewarded. As thy soul liveth, I will not leave thee 6069
Unchangeable. They spake daily..Mordecai 6070
Undiscouraged. Many charged Bartimeus..hold his 6071
Because of his importunity he will 6072

SELF-WILL.

Destructive. O Jerusalem, thou..ye would not 7781
Loss by. They presumed to go..smote them 7782
The sacrifice. To obey is better than sacrifice 7784
Work. Simeon and Levi..self-will digged down 7785

STUBBORNNESS.

Punished. They mocked the messengers 6393
Sin. To obey is better than sacrifice 6394
We will certainly..burn incense 6395
Took Dagon and set him in his place again 6396
Changed. Why have ye not brought him? 1073

See DECISION.

2265. DETRACTION, Malignous. Pharisees. [Jesus healed two blind men, and cast out an evil spirit before the people.] ²³ And the multitudes marvelled, saying, It was never so seen in Israel. ²⁴ But the Pharisees said, He casteth out devils through the prince of the devils.—MAT., ch. 9.

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ACCUSATION.

Astonishing. Why doth this man speak blasphemies 76
Fraudulent. The Hebrew..came in to mock me 77
False. Saul said..all..have conspired against me 78
Thou fallest away to the Chaldeans..in 79
Investigated. One of you..betray me..is it I? 80

Meekness. Herod questioned..Jesus answered him 81
Misapplied. I have not troubled I., but thou 82
Malignous. Samaritans wrote [Ahasuerus] an 83
Resented. Abner said, Am I a dog's head..charged 84
Sustained. Stephen..set up two false witnesses 85
Suppressed. Convicted by their own conscience 86
Unsustained. I have examined him..no fault 87
Withheld. Michael durst not bring..railing 88

BLAME.

Assumed. I will be surety for Benjamin..Judah 796
Benefactors. Ye have made..abhorred..Pharaoh 797
Misapplied. All..against Moses and Aaron 798
Others. How long shall this man be a snare? 799

SLANDER.

Antidote. They may by your good works..glorify 8101
Base. This fellow doth cast out devils by Beelzebub 8102
Disgraceful. We found this man a pestilent fellow 8103
Folly. He that uttereth a slander is a fool 8104
Hurtful. Then will they not pay tribute 8105
Impious. He saved others; himself he cannot save 8106
Joyful. Blessed..men revile you..rejoice 8107
Loyalty. Ziba said..he abideth at Jerusalem 8108
Malignous. Diotrophes..prating against us 8109
Opposed. It is reported..be their king 8110
Refuted. If Satan cast out Satan..divided 8111
Rebels. The people is greater than we 8112
Sinners. Thou art an austere man 8113
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2266. DEVIL, Called a. Jesus. ⁴¹ He that is of God heareth God's words: ye therefore hear them not, because ye are not of God. ⁴² Then answered the Jews..Say we not well that thou..hast a devil?—JOHN, ch. 8.

2267. — Hypocrisy of the. Pharisees. ⁴⁴ Ye are of your father the devil, and the lusts of your father ye will do: he was a murderer from the beginning, and abode not in the truth.—JOHN, ch. 8.

2268. — Sold to the. Ahab. ²⁵ There was none like unto Ahab, which did sell himself to work wickedness in the sight of the Lord, whom Jezebel his wife stirred up. ²⁶ And he did very abominably in following idols, according to all things as did the Amorites.—1 KINGS, ch. 21.

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2269. DEVOTION, Benevolent. Widow. ⁴³ She threw in two mites. ⁴⁴ .this poor widow hath cast more in, than all they which have cast into the treasury : ⁴⁵ For all *they* did cast in of their abundance ; but she of her want did cast in all that she had, even all her living.—**MARX**, ch. 12.

2270. — A deceptive. Peter. ²⁷ Peter said . . Lord, why cannot I follow thee now ? I will lay down my life for thy sake. ²⁸ Jesus answered him, Wilt thou lay down thy life for my sake ? . . The cock shall not crow, till thou hast denied me thrice.—**JOHN**, ch. 13.

2271. — Excessive. Epaphroditus. ³⁰ For the work of Christ he was nigh unto death, not regarding his life, to supply your lack of service toward me.—**PHIL.**, ch. 2.

2272. — Expensive. Ointment. ³ Then took Mary a pound of ointment of spikenard, very costly, and anointed the feet of Jesus, and wiped his feet with her hair : and the house was filled with the odour of the ointment.—**JOHN**, ch. 12.

2273. — Friendship's. Ittai. ²⁰ Whereas thou camest but yesterday, should I this day make thee go up and down with us ? seeing I go whither I may, return thou, and take back thy brethren : mercy and truth be with thee. ²¹ And Ittai answered the king . . As the Lord liveth . . surely in what place my lord the king shall be, whether in death or life, even there also will thy servant be.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 15.

2274. — Filial. Ruth. ¹⁶ Entreat me not to leave thee, or to return from following after thee : for whither thou goest, I will go ; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge : thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God : ¹⁷ Where thou diest, will I die, and there will I be buried : the Lord do so to me, and more also, if *ought* but death part thee and me.—**RUTH**, ch. 1.

2275. — Fraternal. To Paul. ³ Greet Priscilla and Aquila, my helpers in Christ Jesus : ⁴ Who have for my life laid down their own necks.—**ROM.**, ch. 16.

2276. — Hindrance to. Pride. ⁴⁴ How can ye believe, which receive honour one of another, and seek not the honour that *cometh* from God only ?—**JOHN**, ch. 5.

2277. — Partial. Amaziah. ³ He did that which was right in the sight of the Lord, yet not like David his father : ⁴ Howbeit the high places were not taken away : as yet the people did sacrifice and burnt incense on the high places.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 14.

2278. — rewarded. Caleb. ³⁴ But my servant Caleb, because he had another spirit with him, and hath followed me fully, him will I bring into the land whereinto he went : and his seed shall possess it.—**NUM.**, ch. 14.

2279. — Religious. Of Jesus. ²⁵ In the morning, rising up a great while before day, he went out, and departed into a solitary place, and there prayed.—**MARX**, ch. 1.

2280. — Sublime. Abraham. ¹² Lay not thine hand upon the lad . . for now I know that thou fearest God, seeing thou hast not withheld thy son, thine only son from me.—**GEN.**, ch. 22.

2281. — Unselfish. Moses. [Israel had made a golden calf.] ²² Yet now, if thou wilt forgive their sin— ; and if not, blot me, I pray thee, out of thy book which thou hast written.—**EX.**, ch. 32.

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2282. DEVOTIONS, Midnight. In Philippi's Jail. ²⁵ At midnight Paul and Silas prayed, and sang praises unto God : and the prisoners heard them.—**ACTS**, ch. 16.

See PRAISE, PRAYER, and WORSHIP.

2283. DEXTERITY, Left-handed. Benjamites. ¹⁶ There were seven hundred chosen men left-handed ; every one could sling stones at a hair breadth, and not miss.—**JUDGES**, ch. 20.

2284. DIET, for Health. Four Hebrews. ¹² Prove thy servants, I beseech thee, ten days ; and let them give us pulse to eat, and water to drink. ¹⁵ . . their countenances appeared fairer and fatter in flesh than all the children which did eat the portion of the king's meat.—**DAN.**, ch. 1.

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2285. DIFFICULTIES, Doctrinal. Disciples. "He that eateth my flesh, and drinketh my blood, dwelleth in me, and I in him." ⁶⁰ Many therefore of his disciples, when they had heard this, said, This is a hard saying; who can hear it?—JOHN, ch. 6. [Many went back.]

2286. — Despondency from. Elijah. ¹⁰ I have been very jealous for the Lord..for the children of Israel have forsaken thy covenant, thrown down thine altars, and slain thy prophets..and I, even I only, am left; and they seek my life, to take it away.—1 KINGS, ch. 19.

2287. — Discouragement from. Israelites. "They journeyed from mount Hor by the way of the Red sea, to compass the land of Edom: and the soul of the people was much discouraged because of the way.—NUM., ch. 21.

2288. — Increase Endeavours. Bartimeus. [See No. 2297.]

2289. — Faith removes. Two Spies. "If the Lord delight in us, then he will bring us into this land, and give it us..⁹ Only rebel not ye against the Lord, neither fear ye the people of the land: for they are bread for us: their defence is departed from them, and the Lord is with us: fear them not.—NUM., ch. 14.

2290. — feared. Lion. ¹³ The slothful man saith, There is a lion without, I shall be slain in the streets.—PROV., ch. 22.

2291. — with God, No. One Hundred Years Old. ¹³ The Lord said unto Abraham, Wherefore did Sarah laugh, saying, Shall I of a surety bear a child, which am old? ¹⁴ Is any thing too hard for the Lord?—GEN., ch. 18.

2292. — God ignores. Opened Prison.

⁶ Peter therefore was kept in prison: but prayer was made without ceasing of the church unto God for him..⁷ And, behold, the angel of the Lord came upon him, and a light shined in the prison: and he smote Peter on the side, and raised him up..And his chains fell off from his hands.—ACTS, ch. 12.

2293. — Help amid. Divine. ¹⁰ Moses said..O my Lord, I am not eloquent..but I am slow of speech, and of a slow tongue. ¹¹ And the Lord said..Who hath made man's mouth? or who maketh the dumb, or deaf, or the seeing, or the blind? have not I the Lord?—EX., ch. 4.

2294. — magnified. Ten Spies. ²³ The land, through which we have gone to search it, is a land that eateth up the inhabitants thereof; and all the people that we saw in it are men of a great stature. ²⁴ And there we saw the giants, the sons of Anak..and we were in our own sight as grasshoppers, and so we were in their sight.—NUM., ch. 13.

2295. — must be met. Proverb. ⁴ He that observeth the wind shall not sow; and he that regardeth the clouds shall not reap.—ECC., ch. 12.

2296. — from Opposition. Enemies. ⁷ Heard that the walls of Jerusalem were made up, and that the breaches began to be stopped, then they were very wroth, ⁸ And conspired all of them together to come and to fight against Jerusalem, and to hinder it.—NEH., ch. 4.

2297. — overcame. Blind Bartimeus. ⁴⁷ When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out..⁴⁸ And many charged him that he should hold his peace: but he cried the more a great deal, Thou Son of David, have mercy on me.—MARK, ch. 10.

2298. — from Peril. Building. ¹⁶ The half of my servants wrought in the work, and the other half of them held both the spears, the shields, and the bows, and the habergeons..¹⁷ They which builded on the wall, and they that bare burdens, with those that laded..with one of his hands wrought in the work, and with the other hand held a weapon. ¹⁸..every one had his sword girded by his side, and so builded.—NEH., ch. 4.

2299. — Prayer removes. Faith. ²² Have faith in God. ²³..whosoever shall say unto this mountain, Be thou removed, and be thou cast into the sea; and shall not doubt in his heart, but shall believe that those things which he saith shall come to pass; he shall have whatsoever he saith.—MARK, ch. 11.

2300. — in Prayer. Jesus. ⁴⁶ He constrained his disciples to get into the ship, and to go to the other side before unto Bethsaida, while he sent away the people. ⁴⁷ And when he had sent them away, he departed into a mountain to pray.—MARK, ch. 6.

2301. — from Ridicule. Sanballat. ³ What do these feeble Jews? will they fortify themselves? will they sacrifice? will they make an end in a day? will they revive the stones out of the heaps of the rubbish which are burned? ⁴ Now Tobiah..said, Even that which they build, if a fox go up, he shall even break down their stone wall.—NEH., ch. 4.

2302. — unexpectedly removed. Stone. ⁸ And they said..Who shall roll us away the

stone from the door of the sepulchre? ⁴ And when they looked, they saw that the stone was rolled away: for it was very great.—**MARK**, ch. 16.

2303. — Self-sacrifice in. Jews. ²¹ So we laboured in the work: and half of them held the spears from the rising of the morning till the stars appeared. ²² So neither I, nor my brethren, nor my servants, nor the men of the guard... put off our clothes, *saving that every one put them off for washing.*—**Neh.**, ch. 4.

2304. — A Seeker's. Zaccheus. ³ He sought to see Jesus who he was; and could not for the press, because he was little of stature. ⁴ And he ran before, and climbed up into a sycamore tree to see him; for he was to pass that way.—**LUKE**, ch. 19.

2305. — unheeded. Samson. ³ Samson... arose at midnight, and took the doors of the gate of the city, and the two posts... bar and all, and put them upon his shoulders, and carried them up to the top of a hill that is before Hebron.—**JUDGES**, ch. 16.

2306. — Zeal greater than. Palsy. ⁴ When they could not come nigh unto him for the press, they uncovered the roof where he was: and when they had broken it up, they let down the bed wherein the sick of the palsy lay.—**MARK**, ch. 2. [Jesus healed his soul and body.]

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Loneliness. I only am left, and they seek my life 2235
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Singular. Lord take away my life... not better 2242
Vows. L. made a reproach unto me... derision 2243
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2307. DILEMMA, A Deceiver's. Jews. ²⁵ The baptism of John, whence was it? from heaven, or of men? And they reasoned with themselves, saying, If we shall say, From heaven; he will say unto us, Why did ye not then believe him? ²⁶ But if we shall say, Of men; we fear the people; for all hold John as a prophet. ²⁷ And they answered Jesus... We cannot tell.—**MAT.**, ch. 21.

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2308. DILIGENCE, Lack of. Denial of Faith. ³ If any provide not for his own, and specially for those of his own house, he hath denied the faith, and is worse than an infidel.—**1 TIM.**, ch. 5.

2309. — Success by. Business. ²⁹ Seest thou a man diligent in his business? he shall stand before kings; he shall not stand before mean men.—**PROV.**, ch. 22.

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2310. DIRECTNESS commanded. *Joshua*. ⁷ Observe to do according to all the law..turn not from it to the right hand or to the left, that thou mayest prosper whithersoever thou goest.—*JOSEPH*, ch. 1.

2311. — God gives. Kine. ¹⁰ Shut up their calves at home : ¹¹ And they laid the ark of the Lord upon the cart. ¹² And the kine took the straight way to the way of Beth-shemesh, and went..lowing as they went, and turned not aside to the right hand or to the left.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 6.

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2312. DISAGREEMENT in Quality. *New and Old*. ²⁴ No man putteth a piece of a new garment upon an old ; if otherwise, then both the new maketh a rent, and the piece that was taken out of the new agreeth not with the old. ²⁵ And no man putteth new wine into old bottles ; else the new wine will burst the bottles, and be spilled, and the bottles shall perish.—*LUKE*, ch. 5.

2313. — in Testimony. Perjurers. ²⁵ The chief priests, and all the council, sought for witness against Jesus to put him to death ; and found none : ²⁶ For many bare false witness against him, but their witness agreed not together.—*MARK*, ch. 14.

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2314. DISAFFECTION, Doctrinal. *Disciples*.

²⁴ Whoso eateth my flesh, and drinketh my blood, hath eternal life ; and I will raise him up at the last day. ²⁵ Many therefore of his disciples, when they had heard this, said, This is a hard saying ; who can hear it ? ²⁶ From that time ..went back, and walked no more with him.—*JOHN*, ch. 6.

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2315. DISAPPOINTMENT, Doubt from. *Apostles*. ⁹ Mary Magdalene. ¹⁰..told them that had been with him, as they mourned and wept. ¹¹ And they, when they had heard that he was alive, and had been seen of her, believed not.—*MARK*, ch. 16.

2316. — in Gifts. Hiram. ¹¹ King Solomon gave Hiram twenty cities in the land of Galilee. ¹² And Hiram came out from Tyre to see the cities..and they pleased him not.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 9.

2317. — A good. Mary. ² Then she runneth..to Simon Peter, and to the other disciple, whom Jesus loved, and saith..They have taken away the Lord out of the sepulchre, and we know not where they have laid him.—*JOHN*, ch. 20.

2318. — A humiliating. Peter and John.

² The officers . . returned . . ² Saying, The prison truly found we shut with all safety, and the keepers standing without before the doors: but when we had opened, we found no man within.—ACTS, ch. 5.

2319. — through Ignorance. *Desert of Sin.* ¹ Wherefore have ye made us to come up out of Egypt, to bring us in unto this evil place? it is no place of seed, or of figs, or of vines, or of pomegranates; neither is there any water.—NUM., ch. 20.

2320. — at the Judgment. *The Rejected.* ² We have eaten and drunk in thy presence, and thou hast taught in our streets. ² But he shall say, I tell you, I know you not whence ye are; depart from me, all ye workers of iniquity. ² There shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth.—LUKE, ch. 13.

2321. — Misjudged. *Disciples.* ² The chief priests and our rulers delivered him to be condemned to death, and have crucified him. ² But we trusted that it had been he which should have redeemed Israel.—LUKE, ch. 24.

2322. — Maternal. *Eve.* ¹ I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel. ¹ . . she conceived, and bare Cain, and said, I have gotten a man from the Lord.—GEN., ch. 3 and 4. [This man bruised his brother's head.]

2323. — A perplexing. *Syrian King.* ¹ The man of God told him and warned him of, and saved himself there, not once nor twice. ¹ Therefore the heart of the king of Syria was sore troubled. . . and he called his servants, and said. . . Will ye not shew me which of us is for the king of Israel? ² And one. . . said, None. . . Elisha, the prophet that is in Israel, telleth the king of Israel the words that thou speakest in thy bed-chamber.—2 KINGS, ch. 6.

2324. — in Religion. *Unconverted.* ¹ Since we left off to burn incense to the queen of heaven, and to pour out drink offerings unto her, we have wanted all things, and have been consumed by the sword and by the famine.—JER., ch. 44.

2325. — Unendurable. *Ahithophel.* ² When Ahithophel saw that his counsel was not followed, he saddled his ass. . . and gat him home. . . and put his household in order, and hanged himself.—2 SAM., ch. 17.

2326. DISAPPOINTMENTS, Many. *The Wicked.* ¹ Thus saith the Lord of hosts; Consider your ways. ¹ Ye have sown much, and bring in little; ye eat, but ye have not enough; ye drink, but ye are not filled with drink; ye clothe you, but there is none warm: and he that earneth wages, earneth wages to put it into a bag with holes.—HAG., ch. 1.

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DEFEAT.

Angered. Elihu saw . . was no answer . . wrath 2098
Conspirators. Entangle him . . marvelled, and left 2099
Desperation. Not able to resist the wisdom and 2100
Humiliating. Men of Ai smote . . Joshua rent 2101
Predicted. Will flee upon . . horses, therefore shall 2102
Providential. L. did confound the language 2103

FAILURE.

Avoiding. First . . counteth the cost . . to finish 2867
Cruelty. More they afflicted them . . grew 2868
Complaint. Why is it thou hast sent me? 2869

Church. Disciples . . should cast him out . . could 2870
Discouraging. Toiled all the night . . taken nothing 2871
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Explained. Why could not we cast him out? 2873
Fear. We were . . as grasshoppers 2874
Irremediable. Went to buy . . door was shut 2875
Ominous. Thou hast begun to fall . . surely fall 2876
Providential. Confounded their language . . left off 2877
Ridiculed. Mock him . . began to build . . not able 2878
Temporary. Pharaoh said . . neither will I let I. go 2879

2327. DISCIPLES, Steadfast. *In the Word.* ² Said Jesus to those Jews which believed on him, If ye continue in my word, *then* are ye my disciples indeed; ² And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.—JOHN, ch. 8.

2328. — Timid. *Joseph.* ² Being a disciple of Jesus, but secretly for fear of the Jews, besought Pilate that he might take away the body of Jesus: and Pilate gave him leave. . . ² And there came also Nicodemus, (which at the first came to Jesus by night,) and brought a mixture of myrrh and aloes, about a hundred pounds weight.—JOHN, ch. 19.

2329. — Willing. *John—Andrew.* ² Behold the Lamb of God! ² And the two disciples heard him speak, and they followed Jesus. ² Then Jesus turned, and saw them following, and saith. . . What seek ye? They said. . . Rabbi. . . where dwellest thou? ² He saith. . . Come and see. They came. . . and abode with him that day; for it was about the tenth hour.—JOHN, ch. 1.

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CHRISTIAN.

Almost. Almost thou persuadest me 1267
Care. I lay down my life for the sheep 1268
Childlike. Of such is the kingdom 1269
Carnal. Whereas there is . . envying and strife 1270
Epistle. Ye are our epistle . . read of all men 1271
Exemplary. Be blameless . . not self-willed . . angry 1272
Greatness. Least . . is greater than he [J. B.] 1273
Homeward. Come to Zion with songs 1274
Named. First called C. at Antioch 1275
Saved. He might destroy the works of the D. 1276
Visible. City . . set upon a hill 1277

BELIEVERS.

Joy. Though now ye see him not . . yet believing, ye 681
Possibilities. All things are possible to him that 682
Weak. Speak unto you . . as unto babes in Christ 683

CONVERTS.

Duty. Woman went . . and saith, Come see 1667
Distinguished. Eunuch . . went into the water 1668
Spurious. Simon . . offered them money . . give 1669
Trial. Thou art his disciple, but we are Moses' 1670
Counsel. Barnabas . . exhorted them to cleave unto 1671
Food. As newborn babes desire . . milk of the word 1672
Humble. Have any of the rulers or Pharisees 1673
Hypocrisy. Proselyte . . twofold more the child of 1674
Influential. Believed . . many honourable women 1675
Increase. Many believed . . about 5000 men 1676
" Same day added . . about 3000 souls 1677
Principle. No. Many became Jews . . for fear of the 1678
Steadfast. Continuing daily with one accord 1679
Superficial. Have no root in themselves 1680
Zeal. Made myself servant unto all 1681

CONVERSION.

Creation. New creature, old things passed away 1700
Conscious. Know we that we dwell in him . . S. 1701
Changed. Made their feet fast . . washed their 1702
Changes Life. Saul preached . . Is not this he that 1703
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Evidence. Besought us..come into my house	1705
False. Simon saw..H. G. given..offered money	1706
Genuine. Set meat..rejoiced, believing in G.	1707
Heart-work. Out of the heart..evil thoughts	1708
Hasty. See, here is water; what doth hinder	1709
Inward. Pharisees make clean the outside of the	1710
Mystery. Wind bloweth..canst not tell whence	1711
Necessity. Except a man be born of water and the	1712
New Heart. God gave Saul another heart	1713
Negative. Reckon ye yourselves dead indeed unto	1714
Sudden. Called for a light..what must I do?	1715
Superficial. When tribulation or persecution	1716
Wonderful. Suddenly there shined..voice..Saul	1717

CONVERSIONS.

Daily. L. added to the church daily..be saved	1718
Genuine. Confessed, showed their deeds..books	1719
Instrumental. Samaritans believed..for the saying	1720

Childlike. Except..be converted and become as	1185
Divine. Now are ye the sons of G...shall be	1179
Godlikeness. [Unconscious] Moses wist not that	3632
Happiness. Shall be like a tree planted by the	3633
Zionite. Who shall dwell..walketh..speaketh	1330

2330. DISCIPLESHIP, Abnegation of. Jesus. ²¹ Another of his disciples said..Lord, suffer me first to go and bury my father. ²² But Jesus said..Follow me; and let the dead bury their dead.—*MAT.*, ch. 8.

2331. — Conditional. Jesus. ⁴¹ Another also said, Lord, I will follow thee; but let me first go bid them farewell, which are at home at my house.—*LUKE*, ch. 9.

2332. — Provisional. Naaman. ¹¹ Thy servant will henceforth offer neither burnt offering nor sacrifice unto other gods, but unto the Lord. ¹⁶..when my master goeth into the house of Rimmon to worship there, and he leaneth on my hand..when I bow down myself in the house of Rimmon, the Lord pardon thy servant in this thing.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 5.

2333. — postponed. Elisha. ¹⁹ Elijah passed by him, and cast his mantle upon him. ²⁰ And he left the oxen, and ran after Elijah, and said, Let me, I pray thee, kiss my father and my mother, and then I will follow thee. And he said..Go back again.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 19.

2334. — Terms of. Jesus. ²⁸ If any man come to me, and hate not his father, and mother, and wife, and children, and brethren, and sisters, yea, and his own life also, he cannot be my disciple. ²⁹ And whosoever doth not bear his cross, and come after me, cannot be my disciple.—*LUKE*, ch. 14.

2335. — Trials of. Sinner. ²⁵ It is enough for the disciple that he be as his master, and the servant as his lord. If they have called the master of the house Beelzebub, how much more shall they call them of his household.—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

2336. — Unconditional. Jesus. ¹⁷ Said to..all, If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow me. ²⁴ For whosoever will save his life shall lose it: but whosoever will lose his life for my sake, the same shall save it.—*LUKE*, ch. 9.

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DISCIPLINE.

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Care. Nay..lest ye root up also the wheat	2338
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LEADER.

Always. Jesus went before them..amazed	4919
Blind. Smote them with blindness. he led them	4920
Bold. Ehud made him a dagger. present unto	4921
Unwise. Jonathan heard not when his father	4922
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Failure. Went ill with Moses..spake unadvisedly	4924
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Rejected. Let us make a captain and return to E.	4927

TEACHER.

Authoritative. Jesus taught them as one having	8611
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Great. Jesus went about..teaching in..synagogues	8613
Home. Thou shalt teach them..in thine house	8614
Necessary. Understandest thou..? How can I	8615
Prepared. Come up..mount..that thou mayest	8616
Spirit. When they bring you..H. G. shall teach you	8617

TEACHING.

Divine. G. hath showed me..not call..common	8618
Ministerial. In the temple they ceased not to teach	8619

TEACHABLENESS.

Attitude. Mary sat at Jesus' feet..heard his word	8606
Characteristic. Received..word with all readiness	8607
Manifested. Eunuch desired Philip..sit with him	8608
Professed. All here present before G. to hear all	8609
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INSTRUCTION.

Better than Practice. They bid you..do, but do not	4541
Children. Teach them thy sons, and thy sons' sons	4542
Course of. Nourishing them three years..might	4543
Humble. Apollos..Aquila and Priscilla..expounded	4544
Important. Heareth the word, and understandeth	4545
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Personal. Aquila and Priscilla took him..and	4547
Public. Ezra..brought the law before the	4548
Private. There came many unto..his lodging	4549
Youthful. From a child thou hast known the Holy	4550

EDUCATION.

Monument. Children ask, What mean ye by these	2602
Neglected. Children spake half in the speech of	2603
Preparatory. Such as had ability in them..kings	2604
Partisan. I am of Paul, and I of Apollos	5699

2337. DISCIPLINE, Ancient. Israelites. ¹ They read in the book of Moses..that the Ammonite and the Moabite should not come into the congregation of God for ever; ² Because they met not the children of Israel with bread and with water, but hired Balaam against them, that he should curse them... ³..when they had heard the law..they separated from Israel all the mixed multitude.—*NUM.*, ch. 13.

2338. — Care in. Tares. ²⁶ The servants said..Wilt thou then that we go and gather them up? ²⁷ But he said, Nay; lest while ye gather up the tares, ye root up also the wheat with them. ²⁸ Let both grow together until the harvest: and..I will say to the reapers, Gather ye together first the tares, and bind them in bundles to burn them: but gather the wheat into my barn.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

2339. — Method of. Trespass. ¹⁸ If thy brother shall trespass against thee, go and tell him his fault between thee and him alone. ¹⁹ But if he will not hear thee, then take with thee one or two more, that in the mouth of two or three witnesses every word may be established.

"And if he shall neglect to hear them, tell it unto the church: but if he neglect to hear the church, let him be unto thee as a heathen man.—*MAT.*, ch. 18.

2340. — *Primitive. Ananias.* ¹ Ananias, with Sapphira his wife, sold a possession. ¹⁰ Then fell she down straightway at his feet, and yielded up the ghost. And the young men, carrying her forth, buried her by her husband. ¹¹ And great fear came upon all the church.—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

See other illustrations under:

CHASTISEMENT.

Children. He that spareth the rod hateth his son 1131
Fruits. It yieldeth the peaceable fruit of 1132
Good. Chastened us for their pleasure. .our profit 1133
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SELF-CONTROL.

Lack. He that hath no rule over his own spirit 7686
Masterly. Bellal said. He held his peace 7689
Resolute. Put a knife to thy throat. .much 7700

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Abstinence. David would not drink thereof 7701
Bodily. I keep under my body lest. .be a castaway 7702
Better. People complained. .fire consumed them 7703
Costly. If thy right hand offend thee, cut it off 7704
Difficult. [Young ruler] went away grieved 7705
Decent. Put a knife to thy throat. .given to 7706
Essential. Let him deny himself. .take up his 7707
Marvellous. Get thee out of thy country. .kindred 7708
" Moses refused to be called the son 7709
" Unto this present hour we both 7710
for Others. If meat make my brother to offend 7711
Patriotic. Twelve years. .not eaten the bread 7712
Positive. If. .hate not his father. .own life 7713
Rewarded. Ye also shall sit upon 12 thrones 7714
" Shall receive 100 fold. .eternal life 7715
Saved by. Because strait is the gate and narrow 7716
Sabbath. If thou turn from doing thine own 7717

TRAINING.

Early. Syrians brought a little maid. .said 8676
" Moses when he was come to years refused 8677
" Samuel. .shall be lent to the Lord 8678

Adornment. Shall be an ornament of grace 1807
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2341. *DISCERNMENT, Imperfect. Hypocrites.*
"When ye see a cloud rise out of the west, straightway ye say, There cometh a shower; and so it is. ³⁵ And when ye see the south wind blow, ye say, There will be heat. ³⁶ Ye hypocrites, ye can discern the face of the sky and of the earth; but how is it that ye do not discern this time?—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

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DISCRETION.

Necessary. King consulteth. .war. .or. .peace 2366
Part of. Let not thy voice be heard. .lose thy life 2367
Success. David said to Abigail. .Blessed be thy 2368
Safety. Paul perceived that one part were Saddu's 2369
Want of. As a jewel of gold in a swine's snout 2370
" Nabal said, Who is David? .his master 2371

PRUDENCE.

Age. Wherefore should thy servant be yet a burden 6774
Commended. Lord commended the unjust steward 6775
Example. Render unto Cesar. .they marvelled and 6776
Preservation. Hold. .lest angry fellows run upon 6777
" Joseph hearkened not. .or to be with 6778
Resolutions. Intending to build a tower. .counteth 6779
Discipline. Nay; lest while ye gather up the tares 2386

Influence. Nor to drink wine. .whereby thy 4460
Perception. Is not the hand of Joab. .in this? 95
Useless. Which. .by taking thought, can add one 3333

2342. *DISCLOSURE, Astounding. Joseph.*
"Joseph said. .I am Joseph; doth my father yet live? And his brethren could not answer him; for they were troubled at his presence.—*GEN.*, ch. 45.

See other illustrations under:

DISCOVERY.

Alarming. My money is restored. .heart failed 2360
Painful. Isaac trembled. .Who? where is he? 2361
Unexpected. Is not the hand of Joab. .in this? 2362
Appalling. When saw we thee. .in prison? .least 3502
Doubted. Told them. .he was. .seen, believed not 2330
Happy. Jesus saith unto her, Mary. .master 9725
" [John] saith unto Peter, It is the Lord 3253
Judgment. We have eaten. .I know not whence ye 2319
Strange. How is it thou wilt manifest thyself 5305
Unexpected. Come see a man. .Is not this the C. 9741

2343. *DISCONTENTMENT, A Foreigner's. Hadad.* ²¹ Hadad said to Pharaoh, Let me depart, that I may go to mine own country. ²² Then Pharaoh said. .But what hast thou lacked with me, that, behold, thou seekest to go to thine own country? And he answered, Nothing: howbeit let me go in any wise.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 11.

2344. — *of the Proud. Haman.* ¹² Yea, Esther the queen did let no man come in with the king unto the banquet that she had prepared but myself; and to-morrow am I invited. ¹³ Yet all this availeth me nothing, so long as I see Mordecai the Jew sitting at the king's gate.—*ESTHER*, ch. 5.

2345. — *Unity in. David.* ² Every one that was in distress, and. .in debt, and. .discontented, gathered themselves unto him; and he became a captain over them. .about four hundred men.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 22.

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COMPLAINERS.

Punished. Our soul loatheth. .bread. .sent fiery 1445
Unreasonable. The first supposed. .received more 1446
Unprincipled. These are. .walking in their own 1447
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DISAPPOINTMENT.

Doubt. Heard. .he was alive. .seen. .believed not 2315
In Gifts. Gave Hiram 20 cities. .pleased him not 2316
Good. They have taken the L. out of the sepulchre 2318
Ignorance. Evil place? no place of seed. .figs 2319
Judgment. Thou hast taught in our streets 2320
Misjudged. We trusted. .had been he. .should have 2321
Maternal. Bare Cain. .I have gotten a man of the 2322
Perplexing. Which of us is for the king of I.? 2323
Religion. Since we left off to burn incense. .for 2324
Unendurable. Ahithophel. .counsel not followed 2325
Many Disappointments. Consider your ways 2326

FAULTFINDERS.

Fastidious. Why do ye eat. .with sinners 3087
Hypocritical. Why was not this. .sold for 300 pence 3088
Malicious. John B. .he hath a devil. .Son of man 3089

MURMURING.

Disappointment. This evil place? .no place of figs 5639
Discouragement. People was much discouraged 5640
Distrust. Would G. that we had died in Egypt 5641
Fear. Did tell thee. .been better serve the E. 5642
God. Hath not the potter power over the clay 5643
Mercenaries. These last have wrought but one 5644
Neglect. Murmuring of the Greeks against the 5645

Punished. Fire of the L. burnt them..uttermost 5646
Severity. What shall I do?...almost ready to stone 5647
Thirst. Three days..no water..bitter..what shall 5648

2346. DISCOURAGEMENT from Contrast. *David.* ¹But as for me, my feet were almost gone; my steps had well nigh slipped. ²For I was envious at the foolish, when I saw the prosperity of the wicked. ³For there are no bands in their death; but their strength is firm. ⁴They are not in trouble as other men: neither are they plagued like other men. ⁵Verily I have cleansed my heart in vain, and washed my hands in innocence.—Ps. 73.

2347. — from Defeat. *At Ai.* ¹Joshua said, Alas! O Lord God, wherefore hast thou at all brought this people over Jordan, to deliver us into the hand of the Amorites, to destroy us? would to God we had been content, and dwelt on the other side Jordan!—Josh., ch. 7.

2348. — from Evildoers. *David's.* ³⁰Joab and Abishai his brother slew Abner, because he had slain their brother Asahel at Gibeon in the battle. ³¹And I am this day weak, though anointed king; and these men the sons of Zeruiah be too hard for me.—2 Sam., ch. 3.

2349. — from Failure. *Moses.* ²²Lord, wherefore hast thou so evil entreated this people? why is it that thou hast sent me? ²³For since I came to Pharaoh to speak in thy name, he hath done evil to this people; neither hast thou delivered thy people at all.—Ex., ch. 5.

2350. — — Peter. ⁴He said unto Simon, Launch out into the deep, and let down your nets for a draught. ⁵Master, we have toiled all the night, and have taken nothing: nevertheless, at thy word I will let down the net.—Luke, ch. 5.

2351. — from Mismanagement. *At Ai.* ³They returned to Joshua, and said, Let not all the people go up; but let about two or three thousand men go up and smite Ai: ⁴And the men of Ai smote of them about thirty and six men: for they chased them, and smote them, wherefore the hearts of the people melted, and became as water.—Josh., ch. 7.

2352. — Ministerial. *Parable.* ⁴Some fell on stony ground, where it had not much earth; and immediately it sprang up, because it had no depth of earth: ⁷And some fell among thorns, and the thorns grew up, and choked it, and it yielded no fruit.—Mark, ch. 4.

2353. — Needless. *Elisha's Servant* ¹⁸was risen early, and gone forth, behold, a host compassed the city both with horses and chariots. And..said, Alas, my master! how shall we do? ¹⁹And he answered, Fear not: for they that be with us are more than they that be with them.—2 Kings, ch. 6.

2354. — reproved. *Elijah.* ¹⁴I, even I only, am left; and they seek my life, to take it away. ¹⁵And the Lord said, Go, return..to the wilderness of Damascus: and..anoint Hazael to be king over Syria: ¹⁶And Jehu..to be king over Israel: and Elisha..to be prophet in thy room. ¹⁷Yet I have left me seven thousand in Israel, all the knees which have not bowed unto Baal.—1 Kings, ch. 19.

2355. — from Trials. *Moses.* ¹³They weep unto me, saying, Give us flesh, that we may eat. ¹⁴I am not able to bear all this people alone, be-

cause it is too heavy for me. ¹⁵And if thou deal thus with me, kill me, I pray thee.—Num., ch. 11.

2356. — from Unbelief. *At Red Sea.* ¹¹It had been better for us to serve the Egyptians, than that we should die in the wilderness. ¹²And Moses said unto the people, Fear ye not, stand still, and see the salvation of the Lord..for the Egyptians whom ye have seen to day, ye shall see them again no more for ever.—Ex., ch. 14.

2357. — Unreasonable. *Israelites.* ⁴The people spake against God, and against Moses, Wherefore have ye brought us up out of Egypt to die in the wilderness? for there is no bread, neither is there any water; and our soul loatheth this light bread. ⁶And the Lord sent fiery serpents..and much people of Israel died.—Num., ch. 21.

2358. — without. *Paul.* ¹⁶We faint not; but though our outward man perish, yet the inward man is renewed day by day.—2 Cor., ch. 4.

2359. DISCOURAGEMENTS overcome. *Syrophonician.* ²²Have mercy on me..my daughter is grievously vexed with a devil. ²³But he answered her not a word. And his disciples..besought him, saying, Send her away; for she crieth after us. ²⁴But he..said, I am not sent but unto the lost sheep of the house of Israel. ²⁵Then came she..saying, Lord, help me. ²⁶But he..said, It is not meet to take the children's bread, and to cast it to dogs. ²⁷And she said, Truth, Lord: yet the dogs eat of the crumbs which fall from their masters' table. ²⁸Then Jesus..said, O woman, great is thy faith: be it unto thee even as thou wilt.—Mat., ch. 15.

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Anguish. Slay me, for anguish is come upon me 2214
Awaking. Wine was gone out..heart died within 2215
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Needless. Widow..meal..oil..me and my son eat 2217

DESPERATION.

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Effort. Why sit we here till we die? 2219
Sinners. Saul inquired of the L..answered him 2220
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Loneliness. I only am left, and they seek my life 2235
Memories. By the rivers of Babylon we wept 2236
Overcare. If thou deal thus with me, kill me 2237
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Public. Moses heard the people weeping..door 2238
Peril. Esau cometh..400 men..Jacob afraid 2240
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FAILURE.

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2360. DISCOVERY, Alarming. *Joseph's Brethren.* "My money is restored: and, lo, it is even in my sack: and their heart failed them, and they were afraid, saying one to another, What is this that God hath done unto us?—GEN., ch. 42.

2361. — Painful. *Jacob.* "Isaac trembled very exceedingly, and said, Who? where is he that hath taken venison, and brought it me, and I have eaten of all before thou camest, and have blessed him?—GEN., ch. 27.

2362. — Unexpected. *Widow of Tekoah.* "The king said, Is not the hand of Joab with thee in all this? And the woman answered..As thy soul liveth..none can turn to the right hand or to the left from aught that my lord the king hath spoken: for thy servant Joab, he bade me, and he put all these words in the mouth of thine handmaid.—2 SAM., ch. 14.

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2364. DISCOURSE, Full of. *Elihu.* "I also will shew mine opinion. "For I am full of matter; the spirit within me constraineth me. "Behold, my belly is as wine which hath no vent; it is ready to burst like new bottles. "I will speak, that I may be refreshed.—JOB, ch. 30.

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Heart. Out of the abundance of the heart..speak	8286
Punished. We have sinned..spoken..away the	8287
Responsible. By thy words..justified..condemned	8288
Religious. Spake often..L. hearkened	8289
Untamed. Of beasts..tongue can no man tame	8290
Use of. Swift to hear, slow to speak	8291
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" Words of the wise are as goads	8293
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TONGUES.

Changed. Let us..confound their language	8296
" Amazed..How hear we..our own	8297
Differ. Wise man's mouth are gracious..fool	8298
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Divine. In the beginning was the word	9763
Important. Say now Shibboleth..said Shibboleth	9764
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WORD OF GOD.

Limited. I cannot go beyond the word	9766
Effective. As the rain cometh..bread to the eater	9767
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WORDS.

Accountability. Every idle word..give account	9769
Cheerful. Heaviness in..heart..good word..glad	9770
" Merry heart doeth good like medicine	9771
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Kind. Pleasant words are as an honeycomb	9773
Listening. Spake often..L. hearkened and heard	9774
Overflow. Abundance of the heart..speaketh	9775
Proven. When Jacob saw the wagons..spirit	9776
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Corrupted. Children could not speak in the	4896
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Origin. Let us..confound their language	4898
Suppressed. Caleb stilled the people..we are	3128
Unfriendly. Brethren..not speak peaceably unto	3099

2365. DISCRETION, Friends by. *David.*
 20 The princes of the Philistines went forth : and
 ..David behaved himself more wisely than all
 the servants of Saul ; so that his name was much
 set by.—1 SAM., ch. 18.

2366. — necessary. War. 21 What king,
 going to make war..sitteth not down first, and
 consulteth whether he be able with ten thousand
 to meet him that cometh against him with
 twenty thousand ? 22 Or else, while the other is
 yet a great way off, he sendeth an ambassage,
 and desireth conditions of peace.—LUKE, ch. 14.

2367. — Part of. Micah. 23 Let not thy
 voice be heard among us, lest angry fellows run
 upon thee, and thou lose thy life, with the lives
 of thy household. 24 And the children of Dan
 went their way : and when Micah saw that they
 were too strong for him, he..went back unto his
 house.—JUDGES, ch. 18.

2368. — Success by. Nabal's Wife 23 fell
 before David on her face, and bowed herself to
 the ground, 24 And fell at his feet, and said..
 25 And David said to Abigail, Blessed be the Lord
 ..which sent thee this day to meet me : 26 And
 blessed be thy advice, and blessed be thou, which
 hast kept me this day from coming to shed
 blood, and from avenging myself.—1 SAM., ch.
 25. [See No. 2371.]

2369. — Safety by. Paul. 4 When Paul
 perceived that the one part were Sadducees,
 and the other Pharisees, he cried out in the
 council, Men and brethren, I am a Pharisee, the
 son of a Pharisee : of the hope and resurrection
 of the dead I am called in question. 7 And
 when he had so said, there arose a dissension
 between the Pharisees and the Sadducees : and
 the multitude was divided.—ACTS, ch. 23.

2370. — Want of. Proverb. [Solomon
 says,] 22 As a jewel of gold in a swine's snout, so
 is a fair woman which is without discretion.—
 PROV., ch. 11.

2371. — Nabal. 10 Who is David ?
 and who is the son of Jesse ? there be many
 servants nowadays that break away every man
 from his master. 11 Shall I then take my bread,
 and my water, and my flesh that I have killed
 for my shearers, and give it unto men, whom I
 know not whence they be ?—1 SAM., ch. 25,

See other illustrations under :

CAUTION.

Believers. Moses sent them to spy out the land	1548
Building. Lest not be able to finish	676
Eating. Put a knife to thy throat..given to	1068
Forgetfulness. Take heed lest thou forget..seen	3347
Fear. Howbeit no man spake openly..for fear	3432
" Did not confess him lest..put out	3433
Hearing. Increased..30..60..100 fold..he that	1069
Hypocrisy. Beware of the scribes..love greetings	321
Lack. Let about 8000..smite A1..fled	1532
" I made as if they were beaten..and fled	1522
Strife. Consulteth whether he be able to meet	677
Necessary. The simple believe every word	1070
Prudent. [Micah] saw they were too strong	1071
Wise. Fool uttereth all his mind..wise	1072

JUDGMENT.

Blindness. Hath blinded their eyes, and hardened	4763
Despondency. I, even I only am left..seek my life	4764
for Judgment. With what judgment ye judge	4771
Preparation. First cast out the beam..thine own	4773
Sincere. Let me be weighed in an even balance	4778

PRUDENCE.

Age. Wherefore should..be yet a burden	6774
Commended. Lord commended the unjust steward	6775
Example. Render unto Cesar..they marvelled	6776
Preservation. Hold..lest angry fellows..lose thy	6777
" Joseph hearkened not..or be with	6778
Resolutions. Intending to build..not able to finish	6779

THOUGHT.

Character. As he thinketh in his heart, so is he	8786
Evil. Every imagination of the thought..only evil	8787
Prompter. When they deliver you up, take no	8788
Subjects. Whatsoever things are true..honest	8789

See WISDOM.

2372. DISCUSSION, A protracted. *Paul.*
 9 When divers were hardened, and believed not,
 but spake evil of that way before the multitude,
 he..separated the disciples, disputing daily in
 the school of one Tyrannus. 10 And this contin-
 ued by the space of two years.—ACTS, ch. 19.

See other illustrations under :

Doctrinal. Jews..disputing with Stephen..not	3005
Discourse. I am full of matter..constraineth me	2364

See DEBATE.

2373. DISEASE, A chronic. 38 Years. 1 There
 is at Jerusalem by the sheep market a pool,
 which is called..Bethesda, having five porches.
 5 And a certain man was there, which had an
 infirmity thirty and eight years.—JOHN, ch. 5.

2374. — A painful. Boils. 7 So went Satan
 forth..and smote Job with sore boils from the
 sole of his foot unto his crown. 8 And he took
 him a potsherd to scrape himself withal ; and
 he sat down among the ashes.—JOB, ch. 2.

See other illustrations under :

CURE.

All Persons. Laid his hands on every one and heal	1867
All Diseases. Stepped in, was made whole of what	1868
Faith. When..beheld the serpent of brass, he lived	1869
Gratitude. She arose, and ministered unto them	1870
Means. Made clay of the spittle..anointed eyes	1871
Progressive. See men as trees walking..clearly	1872
Threefold. Possessed with a devil, blind and dumb	1873
Wonderful. Stretch forth thy hand..as the other	1874

SICKNESS.

Destructive. Elisha was sick..my father !..the	7852
Despondency. He will cut me off with pining	7853
Jesus in. Nobleman saith, Sir, come down ere my	7854

Overwork. Nigh unto death, not regarding his 7856
Punished. L. will make plagues..sore sickness 7857
Pretended. Saul sent..to take David, she said 7858
Reflections. I shall behold man no more 7859
Relieved. Simon's wife's mother..fever 7860
Sinners. Take a present..inquire..shall I recover 7861
Unimproved. [Hezekiah healed] Rendered not 7865
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LAMENESS.

Disqualification. Not offer the bread of his God 4878
Lame. Thou shalt not sacrifice it—Deut. 15 : 21
Healed. Never had walked..leaped and walked 4879
 " His feet and ankle bones received strength 4880
Royal. Jonathan hath a son..lame on his feet 4881
Want with. Laid daily at the gate..ask alms 4882

REMEDY.

Improbable. Anointed the eyes of the blind man 7068
Look. As Moses lifted up the serpent..S. of man 7069

Anxiety. Lazarus' sister sent unto Jesus, saying 7850
Bells. Bells breaking forth with blains 6190
Effort. Nobleman went..besought..heal his son 7851
Pestilence. L. sent a pestilence upon L..died 6112
 " Died in the plague, 14,700 9198
Ulcers. Lazarus was laid at his gate..sores 6181

See AFFLICTION.

2375. DISGRACE avenged. *Amnon.* " Absalom hated Amnon, because he had forced his sister Tamar. " .when I say unto you, Smite Amnon; then kill him, fear not..be courageous, and be valiant. " And the servants of Absalom did.—2 SAM., ch. 13.

2376. — of Drunkards. *Filthy.* " Woe to the crown of pride, to the drunkards of Ephraim, whose glorious beauty is a fading flower.. " For all tables are full of vomit and filthiness, so that there is no place clean.—ISA., ch. 28.

2377. — Humiliating. *One Half.* " Hanun took David's servants, and shaved off the one half of their beards, and cut off their garments in the middle, even to their buttocks, and sent them away.—2 SAM., ch. 10.

2378. — of the Innocent. *Calvary.* " THIS IS JESUS THE KING OF THE JEWS. " Then were there two thieves crucified with him; one on the right hand, and another on the left.—MAT., ch. 27.

2379. — Posthumous. *Bones.* " Saith the Lord, they shall bring out the bones of the kings of Judah, and..of the inhabitants of Jerusalem, out of their graves: " And they shall spread them before the sun, and the moon, and all the host of heaven, whom they have loved, and..served..and whom they have worshipped: they shall not be gathered, nor be buried; they shall be for dung upon..the earth.—JER., ch. 8.

2380. — Unendurable. *Ahithophel.* " When Ahithophel saw that his counsel was not followed, he saddled his ass, and arose, and gat him home..and put his household in order, and hanged himself.—2 SAM., ch. 17.

See other illustrations under:

DISHONOUR.

Soldier's. That men say not, A woman slew him 2386
Reward. Entice him..give 1100 pieces of silver 2387

DISPARAGEMENT.

Ignoble. We were as grasshoppers in our own 2407
Provoked. L. had respect unto Abel..but unto Cain 2408

REPROACH.

Affliction. I was a reproach..especially among my 7128
Christ's. Away with such a fellow..not fit to live 7129
Cowardice. Should such a man as I flee? 7130
Fear. Many believed..not confess him..put out 7131
Intended. Thrust out right eyes..for a reproach 7132
Idolaters. Therefore I made thee a reproach and a 7133
Joy. Blessed are ye when men shall separate 7134
Neglect. Jerusalem lieth waste..be no more a r. 7135
Proverb. Thou shalt become a proverb and a r. 7136
Shame. For thy sake..shame hath covered my 7137
Unconscious. What have we spoken..vain to serve 7138
Welcomed. Esteeming the reproach of Christ 7139

SCANDAL.

Ministerial. Eli was very old..his sons..at the 7608
Public. Absalom spread a tent..father's concubine 7604

SHAME.

Criminal's. As the thief is ashamed when found 7897
Impossible. Dealeth falsely..were they ashamed? 7899
Rejoicing. That they were counted worthy 7899
for Shame. Ashamed of me..of him..be ashamed 7890
Sin. Eyes..opened..were naked..aprons 7891

SLANDER.

Antidote. They may by your good works..glorify 8107
Base. This fellow doth cast out devils by Beelzebub 8109
Disgraceful. We found this man a pestilent fellow 8108
Folly. He that uttereth a slander is a fool 8104
Hurtful. Then will they not pay tribute 8105
Impious. He saved others; himself he cannot save 8106
Joyful. Blessed..men revile you..rejoice 8107
Loyalty. Ziba said..he abideth at Jerusalem 8108
Malicious. Diotrephes..prating against us 8109
Opposed. It is reported..be their king 8110
Refuted. If Satan cast out Satan..divided 8111
Rebels. The people is greater than we 8112
Sinners. Thou art an austere man 8113
Satan's. Touch all that he hath..will curse 8114
Secret. A whisperer separateth friends 8115
Unbelief. Would to G. we had died..by fleshpots 8116

Confessed. I am ashamed, and blush..my G. 4199
Defeat. Israel turned their backs..enemies 4300
National. No smith..in all the land of I. 4308
Painful. Haman..arrayed Mordecai..proclaimed 4308
 " Begin with shame to take the lowest seat 4304
Sin. Sent him to feed swine..hunger 4306
Weakness. I was ashamed to require..soldiers 4308

2381. DISGUISE, A Brother's. *Joseph.* " Joseph saw his brethren, and he knew them, but made himself strange unto them, and spake roughly..and he said..Whence come ye? And they said, From the land of Canaan to buy food.—GEN., ch. 42.

2382. — Fighting in. *Ahab.* " The king of Israel said unto Jehoshaphat, I will disguise myself, and enter into the battle; but put thou on thy robes.. " And a certain man drew a bow at a venture, and smote the king of Israel between the joints of the harness.—1 KINGS, ch. 22.

2383. — Failure of. *With Blind Priest.* " When Ahijah heard the sound of her feet, as she came in at the door..he said, Come in, thou wife of Jeroboam; why feignest thou thyself to be another? for I am sent to thee with heavy tidings.—1 KINGS, ch. 14.

2384. — An insufficient. *Saul.* " Saul disguised himself, and put on other raiment..and two men with him, and they came to the woman by night: and he said, I pray thee, di-

vine unto me by the familiar spirit. ¹⁹..and the woman spake..Why hast thou deceived me? for thou art Saul.—1 SAM., ch. 28.

2385. — penetrated. *Widow.* ¹⁹The king said, *Is not* the hand of Joab with thee in all this? And the woman answered..none can turn to the right hand or to the left from aught that my lord the king hath spoken: for thy servant Joab, he bade me, and he put all these words in the mouth of thine handmaid.—2 SAM., ch. 14.

See other illustrations under:

CONCEALMENT.

Impossible. Thou wast with Jesus..Peter denied 1464
Unsuccessful. I was afraid, and hid myself [Adam] 1465
" He that covereth his sins shall not 1466

HIDDEN.

Cave. Obadiah took 300 prophets, and hid 3966
Field. David hid himself in the field 3967
Graciously. King commanded to take Jeremiah 3968
House of God. Joash was hid..six years 3969
Housetop. Rahab..hid them with the..flax 3970
Infant. Ark..in the flags by the river brink 3971
Strangely. Took they up stones..Jesus hid himself 3972
Wilderness. Hid thyself..ravens to feed thee 3973

HIDING.

Difficult. Moses feared..surely this is known 3974
Sinners. Adam, where art thou?..hid myself 3975
Sin. Set ye Uriah in the hottest battle..retire 3976
Talent. Received one..digged..hid..Lord's money 3977

SECRET.

Difficult. Moses looked this way and that way 4645
Impossible. Elsha telleth the king..the words 4646
Woman's. If thou utter this our business..spies 4644

TRICK.

Diplomatic. From a very far country are..come 8965
Hypocrites. Feign themselves just men..might 8966
Lagerdmain. Magicians..rods became serpents 8967
Politicians. Shall ask a petition..save of thee 8968

Exposed. Beware that thou pass not such a place 335
Vice. Waiteth for the twilight..disguiseth his face 111

2386. DISHONOUR, A Soldier's. *Abimelech.* ¹⁴A certain woman cast a piece of a millstone upon Abimelech's head, and all to break his skull. ¹⁴Then he called hastily unto..his armourbearer, and said..Draw thy sword, and slay me, that men say not of me, A woman slew him.—JUDGES, ch. 9.

2387. — Reward of. *Samson.* ¹The lords of the Philistines..said unto her, Entice him, and see wherein his great strength lieth, and by what means we may prevail against him, that we may bind him to afflict him: and we will give thee every one of us eleven hundred pieces of silver.—JUDGES, ch. 16.

See other illustrations under:

DISGRACE.

Avenged. Absalom hated Amnon..kill him 2375
Drunkards. Tables are full of vomit 2376
Humiliating. Cut off their garments..buttocks 2377
Innocent. Two thieves crucified with him 2378
Posthumous. Bones..be for dung on the earth 2379
Unendurable. Ahithophel..counsel..not followed 2380

2388. DISHONESTY, Avaricious. *Short Weight.* ⁴O ye that swallow up the needy, even to make the poor of the land to fail, ⁵Saying, When will the new moon be gone, that we may sell corn? and the sabbath, that we may set forth wheat,

making the ephah small, and the shekel great, and falsifying the balances by deceit? ⁶That we may buy the poor for silver, and the needy for a pair of shoes; yea, and sell the refuse of the wheat?—AMOS, ch. 8.

2389. — toward God. *Ananias.* ²Peter said, Ananias, why hath Satan filled thine heart to lie to the Holy Ghost, and to keep back part of the price of the land? ⁴..was it not thine own! and after it was sold, was it not in thine own power?..thou hast not lied unto men, but unto God.—ACTS, ch. 5.

See other illustrations under:

Shameless. I cannot dig; to beg I am ashamed 8344
See DECEPTION.

2390. DISINTERESTEDNESS in Love. *Christian.* ¹We then that are strong ought to bear the infirmities of the weak, and not to please ourselves. ²Let every one of us please his neighbour for his good to edification. ³For even Christ pleased not himself.—ROM., ch. 15.

2391. — Pious. *Moses.* ²¹There ran a young man..and said, Eldad and Medad do prophesy in the camp. ²⁸And Joshua..the servant of Moses..said, My lord Moses, forbid them. ²⁹And Moses said..Enviest thou for my sake? would God that all the Lord's people were prophets.—NUM., ch. 11.

See other illustrations under:

INDIFFERENCE.

Hearing. Foolish man who built..upon the sand 4405
Inconsiderate. Here is thy pound, which I have 4406
Provoking. Wrath because..have not hearkened 4407
Pitiless. Saw him, and passed by..other side 4408
Sin. I have sinned..What is that to us? 4409
Sinners. Made light of it, and went their ways 4410
Unbelievers. They did eat..until the day Noe 4411

INDIFFERENT.

Curse. Curse ye, Meroz..came not..help of the L. 4412
Woe. Woe unto them that are at ease 4413

UNSELFISHNESS.

Godly. Elshah said, I will receive none..refused 9123
Giving. Call the poor..they cannot recompense 9123
Manifested. I will not take from a thread to 9134
Official. Required not I the bread of the governor 9135
" Would G. that all..were prophets 9136
Popularity. He must increase, I must decrease 9137
Pious. I please all men in all things..be saved 9138
Religious. Daniel answered, Let thy gifts be to 9139
Rival. Jonathan..gave it to David..sword 9140
Rewarded. Because thou hast not asked..riches 9141
Wise. That I may discern between good and bad 9142
Neglect. What honour hath been done to M. 5096
Poor. When saw we thee ahungered..in prison? 5709
Ungrateful. Yet did not the chief butler remember 3005

2392. DISOBEDIENCE, Apostasy by. *Solomon.* ²King Solomon loved many strange women, together with the daughter of Pharaoh, women of the Moabites, Ammonites, Edomites, Zidonians, and Hittites; ³And he had seven hundred wives, princesses, and three hundred concubines: and his wives turned away his heart.—1 KINGS, ch. 11.

2393. — Curses upon. *Moses.* [See Deut. 28: 15-51.]

2394. — Dangerous. *Ahab.* [The Lord gave him special help to conquer Benhadad king of Syria, and commanded his destruction. He spared and honoured him.] ⁴²Thus saith

the Lord, Because thou hast let go out of thy hand a man whom I appointed to utter destruction, therefore thy life shall go for his life, and thy people for his people. ⁴⁴ And the king of Israel went to his house heavy and displeased. —1 KINGS, ch. 20.

2395. — Death from. Priests. ¹ Nadab and Abihu, the sons of Aaron, took either of them his censer, and put fire therein, and put incense thereon, and offered strange fire before the Lord, which he commanded them not. ² And there went out fire from the Lord, and devoured them. —LEV., ch. 10.

2396. — through Fear. Joseph ²¹ Took the young child and his mother, and came into the land of Israel. ²² But when he heard that Archelaus did reign in Judea, he was afraid to go thither: notwithstanding, being warned of God in a dream, he turned aside into the parts of Galilee. —MAT., ch. 2.

2397. — a Hindrance. Leper. ⁴⁴ See thou say nothing to any man: but go thy way, shew thyself to the priest, and offer for thy cleansing those things which Moses commanded, for a testimony unto them. ⁴⁵ But he went out, and began to publish it much, and to blaze abroad the matter, insomuch that Jesus could no more openly enter into the city, but was without in desert places. —MARK, ch. 1.

2398. — A noble. Ahasuerus. ¹⁰ On the seventh day, when the heart of the king was merry with wine, he commanded. ¹¹ To bring Vashti the queen before the king with the crown royal, to shew the people and the princes her beauty: for she was fair to look on. ¹² But the queen Vashti refused to come. —ESTHER, ch. 1.

2399. — from Peril. King Saul. ¹¹ Because I saw that the people were scattered from me, and that thou camest not within the days appointed, and that the Philistines gathered themselves together at Michmash; ¹² Therefore said I, The Philistines will come, and I have not made supplication unto the Lord: I forced myself therefore, and offered a burnt offering. —1 SAM., ch. 13.

2400. — Penalty of. Temporal. [See Lev. 26: 15-38.]

2401. — Progressive. Israelites. ²⁴ They did not destroy the nations, concerning whom the Lord commanded them: ²⁵ But were mingled among the heathen, and learned their works. ²⁶ And they served their idols: which were a snare unto them. ²⁷ Yea, they sacrificed their sons and their daughters unto devils, ²⁸ whom they sacrificed unto the idols of Canaan. —PS. 106.

2402. — is Rebellion. King Saul. ¹⁵ Saul said, They have brought them from the Amalekites: for the people spared the best of the sheep, and of the oxen, to sacrifice unto the Lord, and the rest we have utterly destroyed. ²⁴ And Samuel said, Hath the Lord as great delight in burnt offerings and sacrifices as in obeying the voice of the Lord? Behold, to obey is better than sacrifice, and to hearken than the fat of rams. ²⁵ For rebellion is as the sin of witchcraft, and stubbornness is as iniquity and idolatry. Because thou hast rejected the word of the Lord, he hath also rejected thee from being king. —1 SAM., ch. 15.

2403. — Results of. Israelites. ² Ye shall make no league with the inhabitants of this land; ye shall throw down their altars: but ye have not obeyed my voice. ³ I will not drive them out from before you; but they shall be as thorns in your side, and their gods shall be a snare unto you. ⁴ When the Angel of the Lord spake these words, the people lifted up their voice, and wept. —JUDGES, ch. 2.

2404. — Rejection from. Israelites. ¹ The Lord said unto Moses, Go, get thee down; for thy people, have corrupted themselves: ² They have turned aside quickly out of the way which I commanded them: they have made them a molten calf. ¹⁰ Now therefore let me alone, that my wrath may wax hot against them, and that I may consume them. —EX., ch. 32.

2405. — Unprofitable. Judah. ²⁰ Them that had escaped from the sword carried he away to Babylon; where they were servants. ²¹ Until the land had enjoyed her sabbaths: for as long as she lay desolate she kept sabbath, to fulfil threescore and ten years. —2 CHRON., ch. 36.

2406. — Warning against. National. ²⁶ Shall corrupt yourselves, and make a graven image, or the likeness of any thing, and shall do evil in the sight of the Lord. ²⁷ I call heaven and earth to witness against you this day, that ye shall soon utterly perish from off the land whereunto ye go over Jordan to possess it. ²⁸ And the Lord shall scatter you among the nations, and ye shall be left few in number. —DEUT., ch. 4.

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INSUBORDINATION.

Intimidating. He could not answer Abner a word 4773
Soldiers. To translate the kingdom from. Saul 4774

OBEDURACY.

Defiant. Who is the L. that I should obey? 5735
Final. Why have we..let I. go from serving us 5736
Foolish. Ahaz..sacrificed unto the gods..smote 5737
Jewish. Thy neck is as an iron sinew, and thy 5738
Spiritual. Woe unto thee, Chorazin..if the mighty 5739
Self-destructive. I know that G. hath determined 3700
to Truth. Paul spake..three months..divers were 5761
Unfeeling. Past feeling have given themselves 5762
Wild. Balaam..went with the princes of Moab 5763

OBSTINACY.

Provoking. It is a stiffnecked people..consume 5825
Rebuked. Why..smitten thine ass these 3 times? 5826
Rebellious. Nevertheless the people refused 5827

PERSISTENCE.

Necessary. Aaron and Hur held up his hands 6067
in Prayer. Let me go, for the day breaketh..I will 6068
Rewarded. I will not leave thee..he followed her 6069
Unchangeable. Mordecai bowed not, nor did him 6070
Undiscouraged. Charged him..he cried the more 6071
Because of his importunity, he 6072

PROCRASTINATION.

Charity. Say not..go and come again 6620
Fatal. Paul reasoned..Felix trembled..time 6621
Folly. Give..our lamps are gone out 2622
Loss. We will hear thee again [Athenians] 2623
No. Suffer me first..to bury my father 2624

SELF-WILL.

Destructive. As a hen gathereth..ye would not 7731
Loss. Presumed to go up..Canaanites smote them 7732
Obstinate. We will certainly do whatsoever 7733
Sin. Rebellion is as the sin of witchcraft 7734
Work of. In their self-will they digged down a 7735

STUBBORNNESS.

Punished. They mocked..despised..therefore
in Sin. To obey is better than sacrifice
" We will certainly..burn incense to the
" Took Dagon and set him in his place

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REBELLION.

Abominable. Rebellion is as the sin of
Ingrates. Absalom sent spies..say Absalom
Ill-government. Thy father made our yoke
Jealousy. Ye take too much upon you [Korah]
Mental. Not enter..ye rebelled against my word
Sinners. We will not have this man to reign
" This is the heir; come, let us kill him
Tongue. Every kind of beasts..been tamed
Uncontested. Ye shall not fight..return every man
Vain. Sheba blew a trumpet..we have no part
Will. How oft would I..but ye would not
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2407. DISPARAGEMENT, Ignoble. Spies.

" The land, through which we have gone to
search it..eateth up the inhabitants thereof;
and all the people that we saw in it are men of
a great stature. " And there we saw the giants,
the sons of Anak..and we were in our own
sight as grasshoppers, and so we were in their
sight.—NUM., ch. 13.

2408. — Provoked by. Cain. " The Lord
had respect unto Abel and his offering.. " But
unto Cain and to his offering he had not respect.
And Cain was very wroth, and his countenance
fell.—GEN., ch. 4.

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CRITICISM.

Contemptuous. Michal said..How glorious was the
Disparaging. What do these feeble Jews?
Enemies. Not good..because..reproach of the

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REPROACH.

Affliction. I was a reproach..especially among my
Christ's. Away with such a fellow..not fit to live
Cowardice. Should such a man as I flee?
Fear. Many believed..not confess him..put out
Intended. Thrust out right eyes..for a reproach
Idolaters. Therefore I made thee a reproach and a
Joy. Blessed are ye when men shall separate
Neglect. Jerusalem lieth waste..be no more a r.
Proverb. Thou shalt become a proverb and a r.
Shame. For thy sake..shame hath covered my
Unconscious. What have we spoken..vain to serve
Welcomed. Esteeming the reproach of Christ

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SLANDER.

Antidote. They may by your good works..glorify
Base. Doth cast out devils by Beelzebub
Disgraceful. We found this man a pestilent
Folly. He that uttereth a slander is a fool
Hurtful. Then will they not pay tribute
Impious. He saved others; himself he cannot
Joyful. Blessed..men revile you..rejoice
Loyalty. Ziba said..he abideth at Jerusalem
Malignous. Diotrophes. prating against us
Opposed. It is reported..be their king
Refuted. If Satan cast out Satan..divided
Rebels. The people is greater than we
Sinners. Thou art an austere man
Satan's. Touch all that he hath..will curse
Secret. A whisperer separateth friends
Unbelief. Would to G. we had died..by fleshpots

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Satan's. G. doth know ye shall be as gods

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2409. DISPENSATIONS, Diverse. Sinai—Sion.

" Ye are not come unto the mount that might

be touched, and that burned with fire, nor unto
blackness, and darkness, and tempest. " But ye
are come unto mount Sion, and unto the city of
the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to
an innumerable company of angels.—HEB., ch.
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2410. DISPLAY, Royal. Ahasuerus. " The
king made a feast..both unto great and small,
seven days, in the court of the garden.. " Where
were white, green, and blue hangings, fastened
with cords of fine linen and purple to silver
rings and pillars of marble: the beds were of
gold and silver, upon a pavement of red, and
blue, and white, and black marble. " And they
gave them drink in vessels of gold, (the vessels
being diverse one from another,) and royal wine
in abundance.—ESTHER, ch. 1.

See other illustrations under:

OSTENTATION.

Forbidden. Be not called Rabbi..are brethren
" Do not sound a trumpet before thee
Purpose. Absalom prepared him chariots..50 men
Prayer. Scribes..for a shew make long prayers
Religious. To be seen..make broad their
Dress. Scribes..desire to walk in long robes

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2411. DISPLEASURE with Fraud. Rejection.

" I hate, I despise your feast days, and I will
not smell in your solemn assemblies. " Though
ye offer me burnt offerings and your meat offer-
ings, I will not accept them; neither will I re-
gard the peace offerings of your fat beasts.
" Take thou away from me the noise of thy
songs; for I will not hear the melody of thy
viols. " But let judgment run down as waters,
and righteousness as a mighty stream.—AMOS,
ch. 5.

2412. — A holy. Jesus. " Brought young
children..that he should touch them; and his
disciples rebuked those that brought them.
" But when Jesus saw it, he was much displeas-
ed, and said..Suffer the little children to come
unto me, and forbid them not; for of such is the
kingdom of God.—MARK, ch. 10.

See other illustrations under:

HATRED.

Brother. If..say, I love God, and hateth..is a liar
Bitter. Brother shall betray brother..to death
Commendable. Thou hatest the deeds of the
Changed. Ready to die..for the L. Jesus
Darkness. He that hateth his brother walketh
Divine. Six things doth the L. hate
Evil. Better is a dinner of herbs where love is
Good. [Joseph's] brethren hated him..not speak
Light. Every one that doeth evil hateth the light
Manifested. When the days of mourning ended
Silent. Absalom spake unto..Amnon..good nor
Sinner's. Micalah..I hate..doth not prophesy
World. If the world hate you..it hated me before

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INDIGNATION.

Bigoted. Ruler answered with indignation
Christian. Spirit was stirred..given to idolatry
Contemptuous. Why camest thou?..few sheep
Excessive. Fire to come down..consume them
Forgotten. Is thy servant a dog..do this?
God gives. S. of G. came upon Saul..anger
Hot. Saw the calf..Moses' anger waxed hot
at Hypocrisy. Jesus looked on them with anger
at Injustice. Elihu..wrath kindled..yet had con.
Improper. Indignation..Why..waste of the
Judgment. Remaineth..a certain fearful

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Murderous. When they heard..filled with wrath 4426
National. People arose as one man..to do to 4427
Natural. Ten heard it..moved with indignation 4428
Partisan. Sadducees..were filled with indignation 4429
Pride. Haman was full of indignation against M. 4430
Righteous. I may thrust out all your right eyes 4431
Religious. Against Job..because he justified 4432
at Sinners. David's anger was kindled..restore 4433
Severity. L. was wroth, and..to tormentors 4434

OFFENCE.

Prejudice. Is not this the carpenter?..were 5834
Responsibility. Woe to that man by whom the 5835

RESENTMENT.

Cruel. Herod slew all the children..Bethlehem 7183
Indignant. Woman was fallen..hands on the 7184
of Self-seeking. Much displeased with James and 7185

SCORN.

of Pride. Haman..scorn to lay hands on Mordecai 7618
Public. All clap their hands at thee, and hiss, and 7619
Unbelief. She sleepeth..they laughed him to 7620

Taunt. Who made thee a prince and a judge over 8592
Doctrinal. Kateth my flesh..This is a hard saying 8593
See ANGER.

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2413. DISPOSITION, An angry. *Saul.* ¹⁸ Saul's servants said..Behold now, an evil spirit from God troubleth thee. ¹⁹..to seek out a man, *who is a cunning player on an harp*: and..when the evil spirit from God is upon thee..he shall play with his hand, and thou shalt be well.—1 SAM., ch. 16.

2414. — A benevolent. *Samaritan.* ²³ When he saw him, he had compassion on him, ²⁴ And went to him, and bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine, and set him on his own beast, and brought him to an inn, and took care of him. ²⁵ And on the morrow when he departed, he took out two pence, and gave them to the host, and said..Take care of him: and whatsoever thou spendest more..I will repay thee.—LUKE, ch. 10.

2415. — A curious. *Levite.* ²³ And likewise a Levite, when he was at the place, came and looked on him, and passed by on the other side.—LUKE, ch. 10.

2416. — Change in. *Laban.* ¹ He heard the words of Laban's..sons, saying, Jacob hath taken away all that was our father's.. ² And Jacob beheld the countenance of Laban, and, behold, it was not toward him as before.—GEN., ch. 31.

2417. — Fixed. *Golden Calf.* ²¹ And Moses said unto Aaron, What did this people unto thee, that thou hast brought so great a sin upon them? ²² And Aaron said, Let not the anger of my lord wax hot: thou knowest the people that they are set on mischief.—EX., ch. 32.

2418. — A giving. *Tabernacle.* ² Speak unto the children of Israel, that they bring me an offering: of every man that giveth it willingly with his heart ye shall take my offering.—EX., ch. 25.

2419. — An indifferent. *Priest.* ²⁰ A certain man went down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell among thieves, which stripped him of his raiment, and wounded him, and departed, leaving him half dead. ²¹..there came down a

certain priest that way; and when he saw him he passed by on the other side.—LUKE, ch. 10.

2420. — A religious. *Athenians.* ¹⁶ While Paul waited..at Athens, his spirit was stirred in him, when he saw the city wholly given to idolatry. ²² Then Paul stood in the midst of Mars' hill, and said, Ye men of Athens, I perceive that in all things ye are too superstitious [better rendered, "Ye are very devout"]. ²³ For as I passed by, and beheld your devotions, I found an altar with this inscription, TO THE UNKNOWN GOD. Whom therefore ye ignorantly worship, him declare I unto you.—ACTS, ch. 17.

2421. DISPOSITIONS contrasted. *Mary—Martha.* ³⁹ Mary..sat at Jesus' feet, and heard his word. ⁴⁰ But Martha was cumbered about much serving..and said, Lord, dost thou not care that my sister hath left me to serve alone? bid her therefore that she help me.—LUKE, ch. 10.

See HEART and references.

2422. DISPUTE, A foolish. *Apostles.* ²³ They came to Capernaum: and..he asked them, What was it that ye disputed among yourselves by the way? ²⁴ But they held their peace: for by the way they had disputed among themselves, who should be the greatest.—MARK, ch. 9.

2423. — wisely settled. *Solomon.* ²⁴ Bring me a sword. And they brought a sword before the king. ²⁵ And the king said, Divide the living child in two, and give half to the one, and half to the other. ²⁶ Then spake the woman whose the living child was.—1 KINGS, ch. 3.

See other illustrations under:

DISSENSION.

Doctrinal. Except ye be circumcised..ye cannot be 2429
Perilous. Fearing lest Paul..pulled in pieces 2430
Partisan. I am of Paul, and I of Apollos 2431
Stubborn. Contention was sharp..departed 2432

CONTROVERSY.

Avoided. Our fathers worshipped..ye say 1652
Fatal. Cain talked with Abel..and slew him 1653
Holy. [At Athens] disputed Saul in the synagogue 1654

QUARREL.

Domestic. Sarah saw the son of Hagar mocking 6618
Destructive. Amnon and Moab..slew each other 6619
Foolish. Wherefore didst thou not call us?..burn 6620
Famished. What alleth thee?..hid her son 6621
Meddler. Who made thee a judge over us? 6622
 " Is like one that taketh a dog by the ears 6623
Matrimonial. Against Moses, because of the 6624
Overruled. Angel of G. called to Hagar..lift up the 6625
Test. Say now Shibboleth, and he said, Sibboleth 6626
War from. We have no part in David..To your 6627
Woman. It is better to dwell in a corner 6628

STRIFE.

Avoided. Go from us..mightier than we..Isaac 8378
Absence of. Isaac removed..and digged another 8379
Beginning. As when one letteth out water 8380
Cause of. As coals are..so is a contentious man 8381
Continued. Digged another well, and strove for 8382
Dishonour. An honour for a man to cease from 8383
Ended. Is not the whole land before thee? 8384
Occasion of. Their riches were more..dwell 8385
Prevention rewarded. All the land which thou 8386
Prosperity brings. Land was not able to bear 8387
Rebuked. Not from above..earthly, sensual 8388
Truth makes. I am not come to send peace, but a 8389
Wickedness of. Ungodly man diggeth up evil..as 8390
Words make. Where no wood is..fire goeth out 8391

— DISSATISFACTION. —

See Illustrations under:

In Age. Ye will take Benj. . . all these things are	9005
Covetous. Ahab. . . heavy and displeased	9006
Pride. All this availeth me nothing. . . see Mordecai	9007
Pleasure. Wine. . . houses. . . gardens. . . cattle. . . gold	9212
Royal. Neither were instruments of music brought	9008
Union in. Every one that was in distress. . . came	9009
Wealth. What shall I do. . . no room. . . build greater	9708

See DISCONTENTMENT and references.

2424. DISSEMBLING, Confession of. Achan.
 20 Achan answered Joshua. . . Indeed I have sinned. . . 21 When I saw among the spoils a goodly Babylonish garment, and two hundred shekels of silver, and a wedge of gold of fifty shekels weight, then I coveted them, and took them.—*JOSH.*, ch. 7.

2425. — imitated. Antiochians. 13 The other Jews dissembled likewise with him; inasmuch that Barnabas also was carried away with their dissimulation. 14 But when I saw that they walked not uprightly according to the truth of the gospel, I said unto Peter before them all, If thou, being a Jew, livest after the manner of Gentiles, and not as do the Jews, why compellest thou the Gentiles to live as do the Jews?—*GAL.*, ch. 2.

2426. — Inconsistency of. Peter. [See next above.]

2427. — rebuked. Peter. 11 When Peter was come to Antioch, I withstood him to the face, because he was to be blamed. 12 For before that certain came from James, he did eat with the Gentiles: but when they were come, he withdrew and separated himself, fearing them which were of the circumcision.—*GAL.*, ch. 2.

2428. — Vicious. Proverbs. 24 He that hateth dissembleth with his lips, and layeth up deceit within him; 25 When he speaketh fair, believe him not: for there are seven abominations in his heart.—*PROV.*, ch. 26.

See other Illustrations under:

DISSIMULATION.

Detective. Samson told her. she sent for the lords 2257
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FALSEHOOD.

Agreement. Ananias kept back part. . . wife. . . privy	2985
Begets. My master hath sent me. . . went no	2986
Bribery. Say ye. . . stole him. . . they took the money	2987
Covering. Began to curse. . . I know not the man	2988
Folly. Ananias, was it not thine? and after it was	2989
Father. Your father the devil. . . no truth in him	2990
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Saved by. David said to Ahimelech, The king sent	2992
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Short-lived. Lying tongue is but for a moment	2995
Statecraft. Garments and shoes. . . old. . . long journey	2996
Sacrilegious. An angel spake. . . bring him back	2998
Spirit of. I will be a lying spirit in. . . prophets	2997
Sin. Thou hast not lied unto men, but. . . G.	2998
Victim. Joseph's master put him in prison	2999

INSINCERITY.

Blindness. Thou blind Pharisee, cleanse first	4521
Ceremonial. In the day of your fast ye find pleasure	4522
Covetous. Priests teach for hire. . . prophets. . . for	4523
Dilemma. No man can serve two masters; either	4524
Fear. Baptism of John, whence was it?	4525
Proven. Profess. . . know G., but in works deny him	4526
Reformers. Jehu departed not. . . the golden	4527
Reformation. Every nation made gods of their	4528
Seekers. To catch him in his words. . . master	4529

2429. DISSENSION, Doctrinal.

At Antioch.
 1 Certain men which came down from Judea taught. . . Except ye be circumcised after the manner of Moses, ye cannot be saved. 2 When therefore Paul and Barnabas had no small dissension and disputation with them, they determined that Paul and Barnabas, and certain other of them, should go up to Jerusalem unto the apostles and elders about this question.—*ACTS.*, ch. 15.

2430. — A perilous. With Sadducees. 9 The scribes that were of the Pharisees' part arose, and strove, saying, We find no evil in this man: but if a spirit or an angel hath spoken to him, let us not fight against God. 10 And when there arose a great dissension, the chief captain, fearing lest Paul should have been pulled in pieces of them, commanded the soldiers. . . to bring him into the castle.—*ACTS.*, ch. 23.

2431. — A partisan. Corinthians. 12 Every one of you saith, I am of Paul; and I of Apollos; and I of Cephas; and I of Christ. 13 Is Christ divided? was Paul crucified for you? or were ye baptized in the name of Paul?—1 *COR.*, ch. 1.

2432. — A stubborn. Mark. 28 The contention was so sharp between them, that they departed asunder one from the other: and so Barnabas took Mark, and sailed unto Cyprus; 29 And Paul chose Silas, and departed, being recommended by the brethren unto the grace of God.—*ACTS.*, ch. 15.

See DISPUTE and references.

2433. DISTINCTION by Deeds. David. 57 As David returned from the slaughter of the Philistine, Abner. . . brought him before Saul with the head of the Philistine in his hand. 58 And Saul said. . . Whose son art thou, thou young man? And David answered, I am the son of thy servant Jesse the Beth-lehemite.—1 *SAM.*, ch. 17.

See other Illustrations under:

APPLAUSE.

Loved. Receive honour one of another	495
Temptation. On a pinnacle. . . cast thyself down	496

FAME.

Increasing. His fame spread abroad. . . about	3000
Military. Uzziah made. . . engines. . . to shoot	3001
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Unexpected. In the whole world. . . woman hath	3003
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Age Jacob blessed Pharaoh	4058
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Elders. Ellihu had waited. . . were elder than he	4061
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Protected. Wherefore should the Egyptians say	4064
Regarded. I was ashamed to require. . . soldiers	4065
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Sudden. Pharaoh took off his ring. . . Joseph	4067
Seeking. How can ye believe which receive honour	4068
Service. Said unto the olive. . . Reign over us	4969
Special. Queen did let no man come. . . but myself	4070
Unexpected. Mordecai went out. . . in royal apparel	4071
Won. Abishai was chief of the three. . . 300 slew them	4072

OFFICE.

Faithful. Because thou hast been faithful. . . ten	5851
Intrigue. Remember that I am your bone and	5852
Merit. Faithful over a few things. . . ruler over	5853
Seeking. Oh that I were made a judge in the land	5855
Trials. Wherefore. . . made us to come up out of E. ?	5856
Undesired. The fig tree said. . . should I forsake	5859

2434. DISTINCTIONS, False. Pharisees. ¹⁵ Woe unto you, ye blind guides, which say, Whosoever shall swear by the temple, it is nothing; but whosoever shall swear by the gold of the temple, he is a debtor! ¹⁶ Ye fools and blind: for whether is greater, the gold, or the temple that sanctifieth the gold?—**MAT.**, ch. 23.

2435. — reversed. Pharisees. ²³ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye pay tithe of mint and anise and cummin, and have omitted the weightier matters of the law, judgment, mercy, and faith: these ought ye to have done, and not to leave the other undone. ²⁴ Ye blind guides, which strain at a gnat, and swallow a camel.—**MAT.**, ch. 23.

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HONOURS.

Abroad. No prophet is accepted in his own	4073
Brave. King will entice. give him his daughter	4074
Many. Haman told them of the glory	4075
Posthumous. Widows weeping. shewing Dorcas	4076
Service. Made Saul king [Ammonites subdued]	4077
Trials. I am. weak, though anointed king	4078

2436. DISTRESS of the Condemned. In Persia. ³ In every province, whithersoever the king's decree came, there was great mourning among the Jews, and fasting, and weeping, and wailing; and many lay in sackcloth and ashes.—**ESTHER**, ch. 4.

2437. — Great Cry of. Egypt. ⁵ All the firstborn in. Egypt shall die, from the firstborn of Pharaoh. even unto the firstborn of the maid-servant. and. of beasts. ⁶ And there shall be a great cry throughout all the land of Egypt, such as there was none like it, nor shall be like it any more.—**EX.**, ch. 11.

2438. — derided. David. ⁷ All they that see me laugh me to scorn: they shoot out the lip, they shake the head, saying, ⁸ He trusted on the Lord that he would deliver him: let him deliver him, seeing he delighted in him.—**PS.** 22.

2439. — described. Jeremiah. ¹⁴ I was a derision to all my people; and their song all the day. ¹⁵ He hath filled me with bitterness, he hath made me drunken with wormwood. ¹⁶ He hath also broken my teeth with gravel stones, he hath covered me with ashes.—**LAM.**, ch. 3.

2440. — Exasperation of. Israelites. ³ The people murmured. Wherefore is this that thou hast brought us up out of Egypt to kill us and our children and our cattle with thirst? ⁴ And Moses cried unto the Lord, saying, What shall I do unto this people? they be almost ready to stone me.—**EX.**, ch. 17.

2441. — in Famine. Disobedient. ⁴⁶ The tender and delicate woman among you, which would not adventure to set the sole of her foot upon the ground for delicateness and tenderness, her eyes shall be evil toward the husband of her bosom, and toward her son, and. daughter, ⁴⁷ and toward her children. for she shall eat them for want of all things secretly in the siege and straitness, wherewith thine enemy shall distress thee.—**DEUT.**, ch. 28.

2442. — from little Faith. Disciples. ²⁴ There arose a great tempest in the sea. the ship was covered with the waves: but he was asleep. ²⁵ And his disciples. awoke him, saying, Lord, save us; we perish. ²⁶ And he saith. Why are ye fearful, O ye of little faith? Then

he arose, and rebuked the winds and the sea; and there was a great calm.—**MAT.**, ch. 8.

2443. — A Friend in. Gedaliah. ¹³ All the king of Babylon's princes; ¹⁴ sent, and took Jeremiah out of the court of the prison, and committed him unto Gedaliah. that he should carry him home: so he dwelt among the people.—**JER.**, ch. 39.

2444. — Great. Blindness. ³ Nahash the Ammonite answered them, On this condition will I make a covenant with you, that I may thrust out all your right eyes, and lay it for a reproach upon all Israel. ⁴ And the elders of Jabesh said. Give us seven days' respite, that we may send messengers unto all the coasts of Israel: ⁵ Then came the messengers to Gibeath of Saul, and told the tidings. and all the people lifted up their voices, and wept.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 11.

2445. — A needless. Israelites. [The yoke of bondage was broken, and the Philistines were being pursued.] ²⁴ The men of Israel were distressed that day: for Saul had adjured the people, saying, Cursed be the man that eateth any food until evening, that I may be avenged on mine enemies. So none of the people tasted any food.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 14. [Jonathan ate, and Saul proposed to kill him.]

2446. — False Refuge in. Ahas. ²² In the time of his distress did he trespass yet more against the Lord. ²³ For he sacrificed unto the gods of Damascus, which smote him: and he said, Because the gods of the kings of Syria help them, therefore will I sacrifice to them, that they may help me. But they were the ruin of him, and of all Israel.—**2 CHRON.**, ch. 28.

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2448. DISTRUST in Adversity. Bondmen.
 "Moses spake so unto the children of Israel :
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2449. — of Evildoers. Joseph's Brethren.
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2451. — Needless. Lilies. "Consider the
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2456. — in Hearers. Parable. "When he
 sowed, some seeds fell by the way side, and the
 fowls came and devoured them up : "Some fell
 upon stony places ; "And some fell among
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2457. DIVISION in Affections. Jonathan.
 "Saul's anger was kindled against Jonathan,
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 lious woman, do not I know that thou hast chosen
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2458. — of Brethren. *Christians.* ²⁷ Barnabas determined to take with them John, whose surname was Mark. ²⁸ But Paul thought not good to take him with them, who departed from them from Pamphylia. ²⁹ And the contention was so sharp between them, that they departed asunder one from the other.—*ACTS*, ch. 15.

2459. — A cruel. *Solomon.* ³³ Then said the king, The one saith, This is my son that liveth, and thy son is the dead : and the other saith, Nay ; but thy son is the dead, and my son is the living. ³⁴ And the king said, Divide the living child in two, and give half to the one, and half to the other.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 3.

2460. — Doctrines make. *Disciples.* ³⁶ He that eateth my flesh, and drinketh my blood, dwelleth in me, and I in him. ³⁷ From that time many of his disciples went back, and walked no more with him.—*JOHN*, ch. 6.

2461. — A divine. *Jordan.* ¹⁴ He took the mantle of Elijah that fell from him, and smote the waters, and said, Where is the Lord God of Elijah ? And . . . they parted hither and thither : and Elisha went over.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 2.

2462. — A just. *Soldiers.* ²² Men of Belial . . . that went with David . . . said, Because they went not with us, we will not give them *ought* of the spoil that we have recovered. ²⁴ . . . David said, As his part is that goeth down to the battle, so shall his part be that tarrieth by the stuff : they shall part alike.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 30.

2463. — The Lord's. *Egypt.* ²² I will sever in that day the land of Goshen, in which my people dwell, that no swarms of flies shall be there : to the end thou mayest know that I am the Lord in the midst of the earth.—*EX.*, ch. 8.

2464. — from Misconceptions. *Of Christ.* ⁴¹ Of a truth this is the Prophet. ⁴² Others said, This is the Christ. But some said, Shall Christ come out of Galilee ? ⁴³ Hath not the Scripture said, That Christ cometh of the seed of David, and out of the town of Bethlehem, where David was ? ⁴⁴ So there was a division among the people because of him.—*JOHN*, ch. 7.

2465. — of Opinions. *Jesus.* ¹⁹ There was much murmuring among the people concerning him : for some said, He is a good man : others said, Nay ; but he deceiveth the people.—*JOHN*, ch. 7.

2466. — by Truth. *Christ.* ³⁴ Think not that I am come to send peace on earth : I came not to send peace, but a sword. ³⁵ For I am come to set a man at variance against his father, and the daughter against her mother, and the daughter in law against her mother in law.—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

2467. DIVISIONS, Authors of. Hateful. ¹⁶ These six things doth the Lord hate ; yea, seven are an abomination unto him : ¹⁷ A proud look, a lying tongue, and hands that shed innocent blood, ¹⁸ A heart that deviseth wicked imaginations, feet that be swift in running to mischief, ¹⁹ A false witness that speaketh lies, and he that soweth discord among brethren.—*PROV.*, ch. 6.

2468. — Harmful. *In Egypt.* ¹⁸ Two men of the Hebrews strove together : and he said to him that did the wrong, Wherefore smitest thou thy fellow ? ¹⁹ And he said, Who made thee a prince and a judge over us ? intendest thou to kill me, as thou killedst the Egyptian ? And

Moses feared, and said, Surely this thing is known.—*EX.*, ch. 2. [Enemies were multiplied, Israel was weakened, Moses was banished.]

2469. — Harmonious. *Body.* ¹⁴ The body is not one member, but many. ¹⁵ If the foot shall say, Because I am not the hand, I am not of the body ; is it therefore not of the body ? ¹⁶ And if the ear shall say, Because I am not the eye, I am not of the body ; is it therefore not of the body ? ¹⁷ If the whole body were an eye, where were the hearing ? If the whole were hearing, where were the smelling ?—*1 COR.*, ch. 12.

2470. — healed. *At Antioch.* ²⁰ It seemed good to the Holy Ghost, and to us, to lay upon you no greater burden than these necessary things ; ²¹ That ye abstain from meats offered to idols, and from blood, and from things strangled, and from fornication : from which if ye keep yourselves, ye shall do well. Fare ye well.—*ACTS*, ch. 15.

2471. — Party. *At Corinth.* ³ Ye are yet carnal : for whereas there is among you envying, and strife, and divisions, are ye not carnal, and walk as men ? ⁴ For while one saith, I am of Paul ; and another, I am of Apollos ; are ye not carnal ?—*1 COR.*, ch. 3.

2472. — Scandalous. *Corinth.* ¹⁷ Ye come together not for the better, but for the worse. ¹⁸ . . . I hear that there be divisions among you ; and I partly believe it. ¹⁹ For in eating every one taketh before other his own supper : and one is hungry, and another is drunken.—*1 COR.*, ch. 11.

2473. — Weakness by. *Kingdom.* ²⁴ The Pharisees . . . said, This fellow doth not cast out devils, but by Beelzebub the prince of the devils. ²⁵ And Jesus knew their thoughts, and said . . . Every kingdom divided against itself is brought to desolation.—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

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2474. DIVINITY of Christ. Asserted. ¹⁸ Therefore the Jews sought the more to kill him, because he not only had broken the sabbath, but said also, that God was his Father, making himself equal with God.—**JOHN**, ch. 5. [He had healed an invalid on the sabbath.]

2475. — Acknowledged. ⁵ Jesus saith..I am he. And Judas also, which betrayed him, stood with them. ⁶ As soon then as he had said unto them, I am he, they went backward, and fell to the ground.—**JOHN**, ch. 18.

2476. — Confessed. ¹³ Whom do men say that I, the Son of man, am? ¹⁴ And they said, Some say that thou art John the Baptist; some, Elias; and others, Jeremias, or one of the prophets. ¹⁵ He saith..But whom say ye that I am? ¹⁶ And Simon Peter answered..Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God.—**MAT.**, ch. 16.

2477. — Hatred of the Doctrine. ⁶ Pilate saith..Take ye him, and crucify him: for I find no fault in him. ⁷ The Jews answered him, We have a law, and by our law he ought to die, because he made himself the Son of God.—**JOHN**, ch. 19.

2478. — Manifested. ²⁴ Master, Master, we perish. Then he arose, and rebuked the wind and the raging of the water: and they ceased, and there was a calm. ²⁵..What manner of man is this! for he commandeth even the winds and water, and they obey him.—**LUKE**, ch. 8.

2479. — Professed. ³⁰ I and my Father are one. ³¹ Then the Jews took up stones again to stone him. ³² Jesus answered them..for which of those works do ye stone me? ³³ The Jews answered him, saying, For a good work we stone thee not; but for blasphemy; and because that thou, being a man, makest thyself God.—**JOHN**, ch. 10.

2480. — of Man. Genealogy. ²² Jesus himself began to be about thirty years of age, being (as was supposed) the son of Joseph, which was the son of Heli.. ³³ Which was the son of Enos, which was the son of Seth, which was the son of Adam, which was the son of God.—**LUKE**, ch. 3.

2481. — to be Proved. Baal. ³¹ Joash said unto all that stood against him, Will ye plead for Baal?..he that will plead for him, let him be put to death..if he be a god, let him plead for himself, because one hath cast down his altar.—**JUDGES**, ch. 6.

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2483. — Jewish. ¹ When a man hath taken a wife, and..she find no favour in his eyes, because he hath found some uncleanness in her; then let him write her a bill of divorcement, and give it in her hand, and send her out of his house. ² And..she may go and be another man's wife.—**DEUT.**, ch. 24.

2484. — Royal. Persian. ¹¹ To bring Vashti the queen before the king with the crown royal, to shew the people and the princes her beauty: for she was fair to look on. ¹² But the queen Vashti refused.. ¹³..let it be written among the laws of the Persians and the Medes..That Vashti come no more before king Ahasuerus; and let the king give her royal estate unto another.—**ESTHER**, ch. 1.

2485. DOCLITY, Filial. Solomon. ⁶ My son, hear the instruction of thy father, and forsake not the law of thy mother: ⁷ For they shall be an ornament of grace unto thy head, and chains about thy neck.—**PROV.**, ch. 1.

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2487. — Unauthorized. Pharisees. ¹ Howbeit in vain do they worship me, teaching for doctrines the commandments of men. ⁸ For laying aside the commandment of God, ye hold the tradition of men, as the washing of pots and cups.—**MAR.**, ch. 7.

2488. DOERS of the Word. Honoured. ⁴³ He stretched forth his hand toward his disciples, and said, Behold my mother and my brethren! ⁵⁰ For whosoever shall do the will of my Father which is in heaven, the same is my brother, and sister, and mother.—**MAT.**, ch. 12.

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2490. — feared. Animals. ¹ God blessed Noah and his sons, and..said.. ²..the fear of you and the dread of you shall be upon every beast of the earth, and upon every fowl of the air, upon all that moveth upon the earth, and upon all the fishes of the sea ; into your hand are they delivered.—GEN., ch. 9.

2491. — Made for. Adam. ²⁶ God said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness : and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing.—GEN., ch. 1.

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2495. — forbidden. Lilies. ²⁷ Consider the lilies how they grow : they toil not, they spin not ; and yet I say unto you, that Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. ²⁸ If then God so clothe the grass, which is to day in the field, and to morrow is cast into the oven ; how much more will he clothe you, O ye of little faith?—LUKE, ch. 12.

2496. — Hurtful. Israelites. ¹² The king arose in the night, and said unto his servants.. They know that we be hungry ; therefore are they gone out of the camp to hide themselves in the field, saying, When they come out of the city, we shall catch them alive, and get into the city.—2 KINGS, ch. 7. [Four lepers had said the Syrian camp is deserted.]

2497. — impossible. ²⁸ Then the fire of the Lord fell, and consumed the burnt sacrifice, and the wood, and the stones, and the dust, and licked up the water that was in the trench. ²⁹ And when all the people saw it, they fell on their faces : And they said, The Lord he is the God.—1 KINGS, ch. 18.

2498. — Obedience solves. Jesus. ¹⁶ Jesus answered..My doctrine is not mine, but his that sent me. ¹⁷ If any man will do his will, he shall know of the doctrine, whether it be of God, or whether I speak of myself.—JOHN, ch. 7.

2499. — Struggling with. Job. ² I will say unto God, Do not condemn me ; shew me wherefore thou contendest with me. ³ Is it good unto thee that thou shouldest oppress, that thou shouldest despise the work of thine hands, and shine upon the counsel of the wicked ? ⁴ Hast thou eyes of flesh ? or seest thou as man seeth ? —JOB, ch. 10.

2500. — Strong. Thomas. ²⁵ The other disciples..said..We have seen the Lord. But he

said. . . Except I shall see in his hands the print of the nails, and put my finger into the print of the nails, and thrust my hand into his side, I will not believe.—*JOHN*, ch. 20.

2501. — *a Snare.* *Moses* said, "Whither shall we go up? our brethren have discouraged our heart, saying, The people is greater and taller than we; the cities are great and walled up to heaven; and moreover, we have seen the sons of the Anakims there." "Then I said. . . Dread not, neither be afraid of them.—*DEUT.*, ch. 1.

2502. — *Trouble from.* *Moses*. "Thy life shall hang in doubt before thee; and thou shalt fear day and night, and shalt have none assurance of thy life: "In the morning thou shalt say, Would God it were even! and at even thou shalt say, Would God it were morning! for the fear of thine heart wherewith thou shalt fear, and for the sight of thine eyes which thou shalt see.—*DEUT.*, ch. 28.

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2504. — *Direction in a.* *Joseph*. "Behold, the angel of the Lord appeared unto him in a dream, saying, Joseph. . . fear not to take unto thee Mary thy wife: for that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Ghost.—*MAT.*, ch. 1.

2505. — *A delusive.* *Hunger*. "As when a hungry man dreameth, and, behold, he eateth; but he awaketh, and his soul is empty: or as when a thirsty man dreameth, and, behold, he drinketh; but he awaketh, and, behold, he is faint, and his soul hath appetite: so shall the multitude of all the nations be, that fight against mount Zion.—*ISA.*, ch. 29.

2506. — *A forgotten.* *Nebuchadnezzar*.

"The king answered. . . the Chaldeans, The thing is gone from me: if ye will not make known unto me the dream, with the interpretation thereof, ye shall be cut in pieces, and your houses shall be made a dunghill.—*DAN.*, ch. 2.

2507. — *A prophetic.* *Nebuchadnezzar*. [See *DAN.* 2: 36-45.]

2508. — *Preserved by a.* *Babe*. "An angel of the Lord appeared to Joseph in a dream, saying, Arise, and take the young child and his mother, and flee into Egypt, and be thou there until I bring thee word; for Herod will seek the young child to destroy him.—*MAT.*, ch. 2.

2509. — *Reprieved in a.* *Abimelech*. "God came to Abimelech in a dream by night, and said. . . Behold, thou art but a dead man, for the woman which thou hast taken; for she is a man's wife.—*GEN.*, ch. 20.

2510. — *Trouble from.* *Pharaoh*. "The seven thin ears devoured the seven rank and full ears. And Pharaoh awoke, and, behold, it was a dream. "In the morning. . . his spirit was troubled; and he sent and called for all the magicians of Egypt, and all the wise men.—*GEN.*, ch. 41.

2511. — *A terrifying.* *Daniel*. "I saw in the night visions, and behold a fourth beast, dreadful and terrible, and strong exceedingly; and it had great iron teeth: it devoured and brake in pieces, and stamped the residue with the feet of it. . . and it had ten horns.—*DAN.*, ch. 7.

2512. — *verified, A.* *Gideon*. "The same night, that the Lord said unto him, Arise, get thee down unto the host; for I have delivered it into thine hand. "And when Gideon was come, behold, there was a man that told a dream unto his fellow, and said, Behold, I dreamed a dream, and, lo, a cake of barley bread tumbled into the host of Midian, and came unto a tent, and smote it that it fell, and overturned it, that the tent lay along. "And his fellow answered. . . This is nothing else save the sword of Gideon.—*JUDGES*, ch. 7.

2513. — *Warning in a.* *Pilate's Wife*. "When he was set down on the judgment seat, his wife sent unto him, saying, Have thou nothing to do with that just man: for I have suffered many things this day in a dream because of him.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

2514. DREAMS interpreted. *Joseph*. "Joseph said. . . This is the interpretation of it: The three branches are three days: "Yet within three days shall Pharaoh lift up thy head, and restore thee unto thy place: and thou shalt deliver Pharaoh's cup into his hand, after the former manner when thou wast his butler. "And Joseph. . . said, This is the interpretation thereof: The three baskets are three days: "Yet within three days Pharaoh shall lift up thy head from off thee, and shall hang thee on a tree; and the birds shall eat thy flesh.—*GEN.*, ch. 40.

2515. — *Offensive.* *Joseph*. "Behold, your sheaves stood round about, and made obeisance to my sheaf. "And his brethren said to him, Shalt thou indeed reign over us? or shalt thou indeed have dominion over us? And they hated him yet the more for his dreams.—*GEN.*, ch. 37.

2516. — *Terrific. Job.* ¹³ When I say.. my couch shall ease my complaint; ¹⁴ Then thou scarest me with dreams, and terriest me through visions: ¹⁵ So that my soul chooseth strangling, and death rather than my life. ¹⁶ I loathe it; I would not live away.—*JOB*, ch. 7.

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2517. DRIVING, Fast. Jehu. ¹⁶ Jehu rode in a chariot, and went to Jezreel; for Joram lay there. And Ahaziah king of Judah was come down to see Joram. ¹⁷ And there stood a watchman on the tower in Jezreel. ²⁰ And the watchman told, saying..the driving is like the driving of Jehu the son of Nimshi; for he driveth furiously.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 9.

2518. DROUTH, Punishment by. Israelites. ¹ Elijah the Tishbite..said unto Ahab, As the Lord God of Israel liveth, before whom I stand, there shall not be dew nor rain these years, but according to my word.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 17. [It was ended when the priests of Baal were slain.]

2519. DROWNING, Refuge in. Jesus. ^{*} Whoso shall offend one of these little ones which believe in me, it were better for him that a millstone were hanged about his neck; and that he were drowned in the depth of the sea.—*MAT.*, ch. 18.

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2520. DRUNKARD, So called. Jesus. ²³ John the Baptist came neither eating bread nor drinking wine; and ye say, He hath a devil. ²⁴ The Son of man is come eating and drinking; and ye say, Behold a gluttonous man, and a winebibber.—*LUKE*, ch. 7.

2521. — *Folly of a. Herod.* ²² When the daughter of..Herodias came in, and danced, and pleased Herod and them..the king.. ²³ He sware unto her, Whatsoever thou shalt ask of me, I will give it thee, unto the half of my kingdom.—*MARK*, ch. 6.

2522. DRUNKARDS, Curse upon. By Moses. ¹ He bless himself in his heart, saying, I shall have peace, though I walk in the imagination of mine heart, to add drunkenness to thirst: ²⁰ The Lord will not spare him, but then the anger of the Lord and his jealousy shall smoke against that man, and all the curses that are written in this book shall lie upon him, and the Lord shall blot out his name from under heaven.—*DEUT.*, ch. 29.

2523. — *Disgrace of. Ephraimites.* ¹ The priest and the prophet have erred through strong drink..they err in vision. they stumble in judg-

ment. ⁸ For all tables are full of vomit and filthiness, so that there is no place clean.—*ISA.*, ch. 28.

2524. — *Maker of. Denounced.* ¹¹ Woe unto him that giveth his neighbour drink, that putteth thy bottle to him, and makest him drunken also, that thou mayest look on their nakedness!—*HAB.*, ch. 2.

2525. — *Perdition for. Paul.* ⁹ Know ye not that the unrighteous shall not inherit the kingdom of God? Be not deceived: neither fornicators, nor idolaters, nor adulterers, nor effeminate, nor abusers of themselves with mankind, ¹⁰ Nor thieves, nor covetous, nor drunkards..shall inherit the kingdom of God.—*1 COR.*, ch. 6.

2526. — *Separation from. Paul.* ¹¹ I have written unto you not to keep company, if any man that is called a brother be a fornicator, or covetous, or an idolater, or a railer, or a drunkard, or an extortioner: with such a one no not to eat.—*1 COR.*, ch. 5.

2527. — *Woe against. Dissipation.* ¹¹ Woe unto them that rise up early in the morning, that they may follow strong drink; that continue until night, till wine inflame them! ¹² And the harp and the viol, the tabret and pipe, and wine, are in their feasts: but they regard not the work of the Lord, neither consider the operation of his hands. ²² Woe unto them that are mighty to drink wine, and men of strength to mingle strong drink.—*ISA.*, ch. 5.

2528. DRUNKENNESS, Battle lost by. Syrian. Ben-hadad was drinking himself drunk in the pavilions, he and..the thirty and two kings that helped him. ¹⁹ So these young men of the princes..came out of the city, and the army.. ²⁰ And they slew every one his man: and the Syrians fled.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 20.

2529. — *in the Church. Corinth.* ²¹ In eating every one taketh before other his own supper: and one is hungry, and another is drunken.—*1 COR.*, ch. 11.

2530. — *The first. Noah.* ²⁰ Noah began to be a husbandman, and he planted a vineyard: ²¹ And he drank of the wine, and was drunken; and he was uncovered within his tent.—*GEN.*, ch. 9.

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2533. DUMBNESS from Doubt. Zacharias. ¹⁸ Zacharias said unto the angel, Whereby shall I know this? for I am an old man, and my wife well stricken in years. ²⁰ Behold, thou shalt be dumb, and not able to speak, until the day that these things shall be performed, because thou believest not my words.—LUKE, ch. 1.

2534. — removed. Zacharias. (See above.) [The child was born.] ⁶⁸ And they made signs to his father, how he would have him called. ⁶⁹ And he asked for a writing table, and wrote, saying, His name is John. And they marvelled all. ⁷⁰ And his mouth was opened immediately and his tongue loosed, and he spake, and praised God.—LUKE, ch. 1.

2535. DUTY abandoned. One Talent. ²⁴ Lord, I knew thee that thou art a hard man, reaping where thou hast not sown, and gathering where thou hast not strewed: ²⁵ And I was afraid, and went and hid thy talent in the earth: lo, there thou hast that is thine. ²⁶ Thou wicked and slothful servant.—MAT., ch. 25.

2536. — Angels urge to. Peter and John. ¹⁰ The angel of the Lord by night opened the prison doors, and brought them forth, and said, ²⁰ Go, stand and speak in the temple to the people all the words of this life.—ACTS, ch. 5.

2537. — Compassion a. Samaritan. ²³ When he saw him, he had compassion on him. ²⁴ And went to him, and bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine, and set him on his own beast, and brought him to an inn, and took care of him. ²⁷ Then said Jesus unto him, Go, and do thou likewise.—LUKE, ch. 10.

2538. — A delightful. Moses' Mother. ¹ Said his sister, Shall I go and call to thee a nurse of the Hebrew women, that she may nurse the child for thee? ⁶ And Pharaoh's daughter said, Go. And the maid went and called the child's mother.—EX., ch. 2.

2539. — The first. Love God. ²⁵ A certain lawyer stood up, saying, Master, what shall I do to inherit eternal life? ²⁶ He said unto him, What is written in the law?... ²⁷ And he answering said, Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy strength, and with all thy mind; and thy neighbour as thyself. ²⁸ And he said... Thou hast answered right: this do, and thou shalt live.—LUKE, ch. 10.

2540. — Faithfulness to. Agabus ¹¹ Took Paul's girdle, and bound his own hands and feet, and said, Thus saith the Holy Ghost, So shall the Jews at Jerusalem bind the man that owneth this girdle, and shall deliver him into the hands of the Gentiles. ¹² We besought him not to go up. ¹³ Then Paul answered, What mean ye to weep and to break mine heart? for I am ready not to be bound only, but also to die at Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus.—ACTS, ch. 21.

2541. — A grievous. Young Ruler. ²¹ Jesus beholding him loved him, and said,

One thing thou lackest: go thy way, sell whatsoever thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven: and come, take up the cross, and follow me. ²² And he was sad at that saying, and went away grieved: for he had great possessions.—MARK, ch. 10.

2542. — Hesitation in. Looking Back. ⁴¹ Another said, Lord, I will follow thee: but let me first go bid them farewell, which are at home at my house. ⁴² Jesus said, No man, having put his hand to the plough, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God.—LUKE, ch. 9.

2543. — Lot's Wife. ¹¹ Escape for thy life; look not behind thee, neither stay thou in all the plain; escape to the mountain, lest thou be consumed. ²⁶ But his wife looked back... and she became a pillar of salt.—GEN., ch. 19.

2544. — Intimated. Ark returned. ¹⁴ The cart came into the field of Joshua, a Beth-she-mite, and stood there, where there was a great stone: and they clave the wood of the cart, and offered the kine a burnt offering unto the Lord.—1 SAM., ch. 6.

2545. — Instruction in. Cornelius. ⁴ Angel said, Send men to Joppa, and call for Peter: ⁶ He lodgeth with one Simon a tanner, whose house is by the sea side: he shall tell thee what thou oughtest to do.—ACTS, ch. 10.

2546. — The most important. Scribe. ²⁸ Which is the first commandment of all? ²⁹ And Jesus answered him, The first of all the commandments is... thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength: this is the first commandment. ³¹ And the second is like, namely this, Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself.—MARK, ch. 12.

2547. — vs. Money. Amariah. ¹ O king, let not the army of Israel go with thee; for the Lord is not with Israel, to wit, with all the children of Ephraim. ⁹ And Amariah said, But what shall we do for the hundred talents which I have given to the army of Israel? And the man of God answered, The Lord is able to give thee much more than this.—2 CHRON., ch. 25.

2548. — manifested. Following the Ark. ³ When ye see the ark of the covenant... and... the Levites bearing it, then ye shall go after it. ¹⁵ And as they were come unto Jordan, and the feet of the priests that bare the ark were dipped in the brim of the water (Jordan overfloweth all his banks all the time of harvest,) ¹⁶ That the waters which came down from above stood and rose up upon a heap.—JOSEPH., ch. 3.

2549. — Mistaking. Saul. ⁹ I verily thought with myself, that I ought to do many things contrary to the name of Jesus of Nazareth. ¹⁰ Which thing I also did in Jerusalem: and many of the saints did I shut up in prison.—ACTS, ch. 26.

2550. — Only our. Obedience. ⁹ Doth he thank that servant because he did the things that were commanded him? I trow not. ¹⁰ So likewise ye, when ye shall have done all those things which are commanded you, say, We are unprofitable servants: we have done that which was our duty to do.—LUKE, ch. 17.

2551. — performed. Abram. ⁴ So Abram departed... and Lot went with him: and Abram

was seventy and five years old when he departed out of Haran. ⁷ And the Lord appeared. . . and said, Unto thy seed will I give this land : and there builded he an altar unto the Lord.—GEN., ch. 12.

2552. — Protection in. *Jewish Feasts.* ²⁴ Neither shall any man desire thy land, when thou shalt go up to appear before the Lord. . . thrice in the year.—EX., ch. 34.

2553. — Prospered in. *Samuel.* ¹⁹ Samuel grew, and the Lord was with him, and did let none of his words fall to the ground.—1 SAM., ch. 3.

2554. — of the Rich. *Paul.* ¹⁷ Charge them that are rich in this world, that they be not highminded, nor trust in uncertain riches, but in the living God. . . ¹⁸ That they do good, that they be rich in good works, ready to distribute, willing to communicate.—1 TIM., ch. 6.

2555. — Reward of. *Abraham.* ¹⁰ Abraham stretched forth his hand, and took the knife to slay his son. ¹⁸ And in thy seed shall all the nations of the earth be blessed ; because thou hast obeyed my voice.—GEN., ch. 22.

2556. — Safety in. *Prophet.* ⁴ When king Jeroboam heard the saying of the man of God, which had cried against the altar in Beth-el. . . he put forth his hand from the altar, saying, Lay hold on him. And his hand. . . dried up, so that he could not pull it in again.—1 KINGS, ch. 13.

2557. — will be shown. *Saul.* ⁶ He trembling and astonished said, Lord, what wilt thou have me to do ? And the Lord said unto him, Arise, and go into the city, and it shall be told thee what thou must do.—ACTS, ch. 9.

2558. — A trying. *Abraham.* ⁹ Take now thy son, thine only son Isaac, whom thou lovest, and get thee into the land of Moriah ; and offer him there for a burnt offering upon one of the mountains which I will tell thee of.—GEN., ch. 22.

2559. — The whole. *Solomon.* ¹³ Let us hear the conclusion of the whole matter : Fear God, and keep his commandments : for this is the whole duty of man.—ECCLES., ch. 12.

2560. — Daily. *Temple.* ²⁸ Thou shalt offer upon the altar ; two lambs of the first year day by day continually. ²⁹ The one lamb thou shalt offer in the morning ; and the other lamb thou shalt offer at even.—EX., ch. 29.

2561. — the first. *Jesus.* ²³ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites ! for ye pay tithe of mint and anise and cummin, and have omitted the weightier matters of the law, judgment, mercy, and faith : these ought ye to have done, and not to leave the other undone. ²⁴ Ye blind guides, which strain at a gnat, and swallow a camel.—MAT., ch. 23.

2562. DUTIFUL, Blessings on the. *Prosperity.* ¹ Unto you that fear my name shall the Sun of righteousness arise with healing in his wings ; and ye shall go forth, and grow up as calves of the stall. ³ And ye shall tread down the wicked ; for they shall be ashes under the soles of your feet.—MAL., ch. 4.

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2563. DWARF rejected. *The. Law.* ³⁰ A dwarf, or that hath a blemish in his eye, or be scurvy, or scabbed. . . ³¹ . . . shall come nigh to offer the offerings of the Lord made by fire : he hath a blemish ; he shall not come nigh to offer the bread of his God.—LEV., ch. 21.

2564. DYING on the Mount. *Aaron.* ²⁷ And they went up into mount Hor in the sight of all the congregation. ²⁸ And Moses stripped Aaron of his garments, and put them upon Eleazar his son ; and Aaron died there in the top of the mount.—NUM., ch. 20.

2565. — a painful sight. *Hagar.* ¹⁴ In the wilderness of Beer-sheba. ¹⁵ And the water was spent in the bottle, and she cast the child under one of the shrubs. ¹⁶ And she went, and sat her down. . . a good way off, as it were a bowshot : for she said, Let me not see the death of the child. And she. . . lift up her voice, and wept.—GEN., ch. 21.

2566. — Soul forgotten in. *Saul.* ³ He was sore wounded of the archers. ⁴ Then said Saul unto his armourbearer, Draw thy sword, and thrust me through therewith ; lest these uncircumcised come and thrust me through, and abuse me. But his armourbearer would not ; for he was sore afraid. Therefore Saul took a sword, and fell upon it.—1 SAM., ch. 31.

2567. — Words of the. *David.* ⁹ I go the way of all the earth : be thou strong therefore, and shew thyself a man ; ² And keep the charge of the Lord. . . to walk in his ways, to keep his statutes. . . that thou mayest prosper in all that thou doest.—1 KINGS, ch. 2.

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2568. EARNESTNESS of Angels. *Lot.* ¹⁶ While he lingered, the men laid hold upon his hand, and upon the hand of his wife, and. . . his two daughters ; the Lord being merciful unto him : and they brought him forth, and set him without the city.—GEN., ch. 19.

2569. — Bold. *Fire.* ²⁹ Absalom sent for Joab, to have sent him to the king ; but he would not come to him. . . the second time, he would not come. ³⁰ Therefore he said unto his servants, See, Joab's field is near mine, and he hath barley there ; go and set it on fire.—2 SAM., ch. 14.

2570. — checked. *Young Ruler.* ¹⁷ There came one running, and kneeled to him, and asked him, Good Master, what shall I do that I may inherit eternal life ? . . ²¹ . . . give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven : and come, take up the cross, and follow me. ²² And he was sad at that saying, and went away grieved : for he had great possessions.—MARK, ch. 10.

2571. — chosen. *Lappeth.* ⁵ Every one that lappeth of the water with his tongue, as a dog lappeth, him shalt thou set by himself ; likewise every one that boweth down upon his knees to drink. ¹ And the Lord said unto Gideon, By the three hundred men that lapped will I save you, and deliver the Midianites into thine

hand : and let all the other people go every man unto his place.—JUDGES, ch. 7.

2572. — in Hospitality. *Lot.* ¹ There came two angels . . . and Lot sat in the gate of Sodom : and . . . rose up to meet them ; and he bowed himself with his face toward the ground ; ² And he pressed upon them greatly ; and they . . . entered into his house ; and he made them a feast.—GEN., ch. 19.

2573. — important. *Murmurers.* ⁴¹ Aaron took as Moses commanded, and ran into the midst of the congregation ; and, behold, the plague was begun . . . and he put on incense, and made an atonement for the people. ⁴² And he stood between the dead and the living ; and the plague was stayed.—NUM., ch. 16.

2574. — Influence of. *Borrower.* ⁵ Which of you shall have a friend, and shall go unto him at midnight, and say . . . Friend, lend me three loaves : Trouble me not : the door is now shut, and my children are with me in bed ; I cannot rise and give thee. ⁸ . . . Though he will not rise and give him, because he is his friend, yet because of his importunity he will rise and give him as many as he needeth.—LUKE, ch. 11.

2575. — Lack of. *Joash.* ¹⁸ He said, Take the arrows . . . smite upon the ground. And he smote thrice, and stayed. ¹⁹ And the man of God was wroth with him, and said, Thou shouldst have smitten five or six times ; then hadst thou smitten Syria till thou hadst consumed it : whereas now thou shalt smite Syria but thrice.—2 KINGS, ch. 13.

2576. — rewarded. *Bethesda.* ⁴ An angel went down at a certain season into the pool, and troubled the water ; whosoever then first after the troubling of the water stepped in, was made whole of whatsoever disease he had.—JOHN, ch. 5.

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2578. — *Bartimeus.* ⁴¹ Thou Son of David, have mercy on me. ⁴² And many charged him that he should hold his peace : but he cried the more a great deal, Thou Son of David, have mercy on me. ⁴³ And Jesus stood still, and commanded him to be called . . . Be of good comfort, rise ; he calleth thee.—MARK, ch. 10.

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2581. — Deliverance by. Paul and Silas. ¹⁶ Suddenly there was a great earthquake, so that the foundations of the prison were shaken: and immediately all the doors were opened, and every one's bands were loosed. —ACTS, ch. 16.

2582. — A destructive. Korah. ¹¹ The ground clave asunder that was under them: ¹² And the earth opened her mouth, and swallowed them up, and their houses, and all the men that appertained unto Korah, and all their goods. —NUM., ch. 16.

2583. — A responsive. Calvary. ³⁰ Jesus, when he had cried again with a loud voice, yielded up the ghost. ³¹ And, behold, the veil of the temple was rent in twain from the top to the bottom; and the earth did quake, and the rocks rent. —MAT., ch. 27.

2584. — at Sinai. Moses. ¹⁸ Mount Sinai was altogether on a smoke, because the Lord descended upon it in fire: and the smoke thereof ascended as the smoke of a furnace, and the whole mount quaked greatly. —EX., ch. 19.

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2588. — vainly promised. Dives. ¹⁸ And there will I bestow all my fruits and my goods. ¹⁹ And I will say..Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years; take thine ease, eat, drink, and be merry. ²⁰ But God said unto him, Thou fool, this night thy soul shall be required. —LUKE, ch. 12.

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2591. — Conscientious. Paul. ¹³ If any of them that believe not bid you to a feast, and ye be disposed to go; whatsoever is set before you, eat, asking no question for conscience' sake. ¹⁴ But if any man say unto you, This is offered in sacrifice unto idols, eat not for his sake that shewed it, and for conscience' sake. —1 COR., ch. 10.

2592. — Considerate. Paul. ¹³ If meat make my brother to offend, I will eat no flesh while the world standeth, lest I make my brother to offend. —1 COR., ch. 8.

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2594. — prevented. Jesus. ³⁰ The multitude cometh together again, so that they could not so much as eat bread. ³¹ And when his friends heard of it, they went out to lay hold on him: for they said, He is beside himself. —MARK, ch. 3.

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2597. — Separation. Paul. ¹¹ I have written unto you not to keep company, if any man that is called a brother be a fornicator, or covetous, or an idolater, or a railer, or a drunkard, or an extortioner; with such a one no not to eat. —1 COR., ch. 5.

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ing an alabaster box of ointment of spikenard very precious; and she brake the box, and poured it on his head. ⁴ And there were some, said, Why was this waste of the ointment made? ⁵ For it might have been sold for more than three hundred pence, and have been given to the poor.—**MAR.**, ch. 14.

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2603. — neglected. *Nehemiah*. ²³ In those days also saw I Jews that had married wives of Ashdod, of Ammon, and of Moab: ²⁴ And their children spake half in the speech of Ashdod, and could not speak in the Jews' language, but according to the language of each people.—**NEH.**, ch. 13.

2604. — Preparatory. *Four Hebrews*. ³ The king spake unto Ashpenaz..that he should bring *certain*..of the king's seed, and of the princes; ⁴ Children in whom *was* no blemish, but well favoured, and skilful in all wisdom, and cunning in knowledge, and understanding science, and such as *had* ability in them to stand in the king's palace, and whom they might teach the learning and the tongue of the Chaldeans.—**DAN.**, ch. 1.

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²¹ The king of Syria commanded his thirty and two captains..over his chariots, saying, Fight neither with small nor great, save only with the king of Israel.—1 **KINGS**, ch. 22.

2606. — Delivering. *Four Lepers*. ³ Why sit we here until we die? ⁴ If we say, We will enter into the city, then the famine is in the city, and we shall die there: and if we sit still here, we die also. Now therefore come, and let us fall unto the host of the Syrians: if they save us alive, we shall live; and if they kill us, we shall but die.—2 **KINGS**, ch. 7. [The Syrians fled before them.]

2607. — Fruitless. *Darius*. ¹⁴ The king..was sore displeased with himself, and set his heart on Daniel to deliver him: and he laboured till the going down of the sun to deliver him.—**DAN.**, ch. 6.

2608. — Humble. *Loose the Napkin*. ⁴⁴ He that was dead came forth, bound hand and foot with graveclothes; and his face was bound about with a napkin. Jesus saith..Loose him, and let him go.—**JOHN**, ch. 11.

2609. — Ill-considered. *Building*. ²⁶ Which of you, intending to build a tower, sitteth not down first, and counteth the cost..? ²⁹ Lest haply, after he hath laid the foundation, and is not able to finish it, all that behold it begin to mock him, ³⁰ Saying, This man began to build, and was not able to finish.—**LUKE**, ch. 14.

2610. — Personal. *Me..My Daughter*. ²² Behold, a woman of Canaan came..and cried unto him, saying, Have mercy on me, O Lord thou Son of David; my daughter is grievously vexed with a devil.—**MAT.**, ch. 15.

2611. — Sphere of. *Christian*. ⁶ Ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth. ⁹ And when he had spoken these things, while they beheld, he was taken up.—**ACTS**, ch. 1.

2612. — A single. *King Saul*. ⁸ Said Abishai to David..let me smite him, I pray thee, with the spear even to the earth at once, and I will not smite him the second time.—1 **SAM.**, ch. 26.

2613. — Singleness of. *Paul*. ¹ Came not with excellency of speech or of wisdom, declaring unto you the testimony of God. ² For I determined not to know any thing among you, save Jesus Christ, and him crucified.—1 **COR.**, ch. 2.

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2615. — *Tabernacle.* " They came, both men and women, as many as were willing hearted, and brought bracelets, and earrings, and rings, and tablets, all jewels of gold: and every man that offered, offered an offering of gold unto the Lord.—Ex., ch. 35.

2616. — *Unavailing. Disobedient.* " Thus saith the Lord of hosts; Consider your ways. * Ye have sown much, and bring in little; ye eat, but ye have not enough; ye drink, but ye are not filled with drink; ye clothe you, but there is none warm; and he that earneth wages, earneth wages to put it into a bag with holes.—Hag., ch. 1.

2617. — *Victory without. Moabites and Ammonites.* " Ye shall not need to fight in this battle: set yourselves, stand ye still, and see the salvation of the Lord with you, O Judah and Jerusalem: fear not, nor be dismayed.—2 CHRON., ch. 20.

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MEANS.

Defence. Hezekiah..built up the walls..made 5255
Escape. They let him down the wall in a basket 5256
Heroic. Soldiers cut off the ropes of the boat 5257
Ingenious. Ark of bulrushes..pitch..stood 5258
Insignificant. Touched he their eyes..eyes were 5259
Not neglected. Take a lump of figs..laid it on the 5260
Prayer. We made our prayer..set a watch..day 5261
Prudential. Jesus..would not walk in Jewry 5262
Strange. Moses..rod of God..held up his hand 5263
" Sound of the trumpet..people shouted 5264
Use of. Think on me when it shall be well with thee 5265
Unworthy. If I make not thy life..went for his 5266

DETERMINATION.

Evil. We will certainly..burn incense to the queen 2260
Fixed. In every city bonds..none..move me 2261
" As the L. liveth..I will not leave thee 2262
Resolute. Absalom said..set it on fire 2263
Wanting. I will let him go..Pilate gave sentence 2264

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**2618. ELOQUENCE, Better than. *In Midian.*
" Moses said..O my Lord, I am not eloquent..but I am slow of speech, and of a slow tongue.
" And the Lord said..Who hath made man's mouth? or who maketh the dumb, or deaf, or the seeing, or the blind? have not I the Lord?
" I will be with thy mouth, and teach thee what thou shalt say.—Ex., ch. 4.**

2619. — *Ministerial. Apollos.* " A certain Jew named Apollos, born at Alexandria, an eloquent man, and mighty in the scriptures, came to Ephesus.—Acts, ch. 18

See other illustrations under:

SPEAKER.

Convincing. Never man spake like this man 8945
Engaging. Mary..sat at Jesus' feet, and heard 8946

SPEAKING.

Evil. He that speaketh evil of his brother..of the 8941
Help. Filled with the H. S. gave them utterance 8942
For God. Say not I am a child..thou shalt..speak 8943
" Be not afraid of their faces..with thee 8944

SPEECH.

Assisted. I am not eloquent..with thy mouth 8947
" I can not speak..I shall send thee 8948
Appropriate. Apples of gold in pictures of silver 8949
Anointed. Tongues like..fire, it sat upon each 8950
Constrained. I am full of matter..constraineth me 8951
Cautious. Be not rash with thy mouth..hasty 8952
Confusion. L. did there confound the language 8953
Dangers of. Took counsel..entangled..speech 8954
Evidence. Bridleth not his tongue..religion is 8955
Gifts of. It shall be given you what ye shall speak 8956
Improved. Had an impediment..touched his 8957
Impossible. Not having a wedding garment 8958
Plainness. My speech was not with enticing 8959
Power of. Death and life..in the power of the 8960
Unrestrained. With flattering lips and a double 8961
Untangled. Render unto Cesar..unto G..they 8962
Unguarded. Openeth wide his lips shall have 8963
Useless. Jesus answered Pilate to never a word 8964
" Herod questioned..answered him n. 8965

Effective. Paul reasoned..Felix trembled 6453
Irresistible. Not able to resist the..spirit 96
Spiritual. My preaching..demonstration..power 6453

2620. EMIGRATION from Famine. *Shunammite.* " The Lord hath called for a famine; and it shall also come upon the land seven years. * And the woman..did after the saying of the man of God..and sojourned in the land of the Philistines seven years.—2 Kings, ch. 8.

2621. — *An immense. From Egypt.* " The children of Israel journeyed..about six hundred thousand on foot that were men, beside children.
" And a mixed multitude went up also with them; and flocks, and herds, even very much cattle.—Ex., ch. 12.

See other illustrations under:

BANISHMENT.

Paradise. He drove out the man 629
Punishment. Will not do the law..to banishment 630

CAPTIVES.

Compassion. I have heard..groaning..bondage 1022
Kindness. Gave them to eat..feeble upon asses 1024
Mercy. Shalt not smite..set bread..go 1025
Mourning. By the rivers of Babylon..we wept 1026
Songless. How shall we sing..strange land 1027
Return. Come to Zion with songs..joy and 1028
Sin. Walked in the sins of..until removed 1029
" L. strengthened..Moab against I..done evil 1030
Unexpected. David and his men..wives..captives 1031
Victorious. Found a jawbone..slew 1000 men 1032

EXILE.

Command. [Abram] Get thee out of thy country 2902
Criminal. David mourned..Abealom fled 2903
Infant. Take the young child..mother..Egypt 2904
Necessary. Flee..to Laban my brother, to Haran 2905
Painful. Sold Joseph to the Ishmaelites..into E. 2906

FOREIGNER.

Despised. My master hath spared Naaman this S. 3331
Discrimination. Every creditor..of a foreigner 3332
Homesick. Hadad said to Pharaoh, Let me depart 3333
Ineligible. King over thee..not set a stranger 3334

FOREIGNERS.

Increase. Israel were fruitful..increased 3335
Jealousy. War, they join also unto our enemies 3336
Liberality to. One law shall be..homeborn 3347
Safety. Pharaoh sought to slay Moses..fled 3459

2622. EMOTION exhibited. *Josiah.* " Shaphan read it before the king. " And..when the

king had heard the words of the book of the law. . . he rent his clothes.—2 Kings, ch. 22.

2623. — *Irrepressible.* Joseph. ³⁰ Joseph made haste; for his bowels did yearn upon his brother: and he sought *where* to weep; and he entered into his chamber, and wept there. ³¹ And he washed his face, and went out, and refrained himself.—GEN., ch. 43.

2624. — *In Worship.* Jews. ⁹ Nehemiah. . . and Ezra the priest the scribe, and the Levites. . . said unto all the people, This day is holy unto the Lord your God; mourn not, nor weep. For all the people wept, when they heard the words of the law.—NEH., ch. 8.

2625. *EMOTIONS changed.* Disciples. ³⁰ He shewed unto them his hands and his side. Then were the disciples glad, when they saw the Lord.—JOHN, ch. 20.

2626. — *Mixed.* Jews. ¹² Ancient men, that had seen the first house, when the foundation of this house was laid before their eyes, wept with a loud voice; and many shouted aloud for joy: ¹³ So that the people could not discern the noise of the shout of joy from the noise of the weeping of the people.—EZRA, ch. 3.

2627. — *To the Marys.* ¹ Go quickly, and tell his disciples that he is risen from the dead; and behold, he goeth before you into Galilee; there shall ye see him. ² And they departed quickly from the sepulchre with fear and great joy.—MAR., ch. 28.

2628. — *Opposite.* At Jerusalem. ²⁸ Blessed be the King that cometh in the name of the Lord: Peace in heaven, and glory in the highest. ²⁹ And some of the Pharisees. . . said. . . Master, rebuke thy disciples. ⁴⁰ And he answered. . . I tell you, that if these should hold their peace, the stones would immediately cry out.—LUKE, ch. 19.

See other illustrations under:

AGITATION.

Deception. Who art thou? . . . Esau. . . Isaac trembled 256
Diffuses. Disputed he in the synagogue. . . market 257
Deplored. [Israelites] Made. . . abhorred. . . slay us 258
General. [Philistines] Trembling in the host. . . field 259
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ALARM.

Conscience. Pray for thy servants. . . we die not 273
Death. Egyptians were urgent. . . we be all dead 274
Failure. Priests. . . doubted. . . whereunto this would 275
Manifestation. Belshazzar. . . countenance was 276
Preaching. Paul reasoned. . . Felix trembled 277
Reasonable. Esau cometh. . . 400 men. . . Jacob 278
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Sinners. Adam and his wife hid themselves 280
" Let not God speak with us. . . die 281
Sudden. Seeing the prison doors open. . . sword 282
Spiritual. Sirs, what must I do to be saved? 283
Tempest. Entreat. . . be no more mighty thunderings 284
Unnecessary. My money is restored. . . heart failed 285

FEELING.

Compassionate. Samaritan. . . had compassion 3191
Past. Could not believe. . . hardened their heart 3192
Without. Levite looked. . . passed by on the other 3193

FEELINGS.

Concealed. Joseph wept. . . washed his face, and 3194
Control. Joseph turned himself about and wept 3195
Music. How shall we sing. . . in a strange land 3196
Responsive. Jesus was moved with compassion 3197
Strong. Jesus wept 3198
Suppressed. Haman was full of indignation 3199

TEARS.

Affectionate. I wrote unto you with many tears 8620
Bereavement. Mary weeping. . . Jews weeping 8621
" Where have ye laid him? . . . how he 8622
Constant. Mine eye trickleth down, and ceaseth 8623
Desired. O that mine. . . eyes a fountain of tears 8624
Disregarded. Chasten thy son. . . not spare for his 8625
End of. G. shall wipe away all tears 8626
Grateful. She hath washed my feet with tears 8627
Night. Water my couch with tears 8628
Precious. Put thou my tears into thy bottle 8629
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" Samson's wife wept before him 8632
Parting. Wept one with another. . . David excoeded 8633
Penitential. When Peter thought thereon, he wept 8634
Transient. Saul lifted up his voice, and wept 8635
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2629. *EMPLOYMENT Honoured.* Jesus. ³ Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary, the brother of James, and Joses, and of Juda, and Simon? and are not his sisters here with us?—MARK, ch. 6.

2630. — *in Innocence.* Eden. ²⁸ Replenish the earth, and subdue it: and have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over every living thing.—GEN., ch. 1.
¹⁵ And the Lord God took the man, and put him into the garden of Eden to dress it and to keep it.—GEN., ch. 2.

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BUSINESS.

Capacity [Pharaoh to Joseph] None so discreet 985
Diligence. Man diligent in business. . . stand before 986
Frauds. Take thy bill, quickly. . . write fifty 988
Spiritual. [Stewards] Men. . . honest. . . full of H. S. 991
Success. Joseph gathered up all the money 993
Talent. The feeble [cattle] were Laban's 994

INDUSTRY.

Active. Rebekah. . . let down their pitcher. . . hasted 4443
Benevolence. Shewing the coats. . . Dorcas had m. 4443
Commended. Go to the ant, thou sluggard 4444
Domestic. [Model woman—Prov., ch. 31] 4445
Independent. Paul had gathered a bundle of sticks 4446
Jesus. Mighty works are wrought. . . the carpenter 4447
Promotion. Solomon seeing. . . he was industrious 4448
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Advantage. Sleep of a labouring man is sweet. . . cat 4864
Curse. Thorns and thistles. . . sweat of thy face 4865
Commanded. Six days shalt thou labour 4866
Congenial. Put him into the garden. . . keep it 4867
Co-operative. One soweth, another reapeth 4868
Degradation. In the sweat of thy face 4869
Increase. No straw be given. . . tale of bricks 4870
Menial. Hewers of wood and drawers of water 4871
Motive. That. . . we may be accepted of him 4872

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ENGRAVING.

Inspired. Bezaleel..in cutting of stones..carving	2671
Lord's. Tables..writing of G. graven upon the	2672
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Apostle. [Paul and Aquila] were tentmakers	5266
Christ. Is not this the carpenter?..offended	5269
Expert. Hiram..worker in brass..came to S.	5270
Independence. Not be chargeable..wrought	5272
Lost. No smith..lest Hebrews make swords	5277
Origine! Tubal Cain an instructor of..artificer	5271
Opposition. Alexander the coppersmith did..harm	5273
" Called workmen of like occupation	5274
Renown. Not any..hew timber..like Sidonians	5275

2631. ENCAMPMENT, An immense. *Israelites.*

²¹ The children of Israel journeyed, about six hundred thousand on foot *that were men*, beside children. ²² And a mixed multitude went up also with them; and flocks, and herds, even very much cattle.—Ex., ch. 12. [See No. 2621.]

2632. ENCOURAGEMENT, Angelic. *Jacob.*

¹ Jacob went on his way, and the angels of God met him. ² And..he said, *This is God's host*: and he called the name of that place Mahanaim.—Gen., ch. 32.

2633. — from Above. *Jesus.*

¹ Let us run with patience the race that is set before us, ² Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame.—Heb., ch. 12.

2634. — in Affliction. *Paul.*

¹¹ If so be that we suffer with him, that we may be also glorified together. ¹² For I reckon that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us.—Rom., ch. 8.

2635. — from Example. *Shipwrecked..*

²² This day is the fourteenth day that ye have tarried and continued fasting.. ²⁶ And..he took bread, and gave thanks to God in presence of them all; and when he had broken it, he began to eat. ²⁷ Then were they all of good cheer, and they also took some meat.—Acts, ch. 27.

2636. — Fraternal. *Paul.*

¹⁴ We found brethren, and were desired to tarry with them seven days: and so we went toward Rome, ¹⁵ And from thence, when the brethren heard of us, they came to meet us as far as Appii Forum, and the Three Taverns; whom when Paul saw, he thanked God, and took courage.—Acts, ch. 28.

2637. — in God. *Ziklag.*

² David and his men came to the city, and, behold, it was burned with fire; and their wives, and their sons, and their daughters, were taken captives. ⁴ And David was greatly distressed; for the people spake of stoning him, because the soul of all the people was grieved, every man for his sons and for his daughters: but David encouraged himself in the Lord his God.—1 Sam., ch. 30.

2638. — Hopeful. *Bartimeus.*

⁴⁸ Jesus..commanded him to be called. And they call the blind man, saying unto him, Be of good comfort, rise; he calleth thee. ⁵⁰ And he, casting away his garment, rose, and came to Jesus.—Mark, ch. 10.

2639. — from the Past. *Moses.*

⁴ Ye have seen what I did unto the Egyptians, and how I

bare you on eagles' wings, and brought you unto myself. ⁵ Now therefore, if ye will obey my voice indeed, and keep my covenant, then ye shall be a peculiar treasure unto me above all people.—Ex., ch. 19.

2640. — Substantial. *Rebuilding the Temple.*

⁶ All they that were about them strengthened their hands with vessels of silver, with gold, with goods, and with beasts, and with precious things, besides all *that was willingly offered*.—Ezra., ch. 1.

See other illustrations under:

CHEERFULNESS.

Benevolence. Lord loveth a cheerful giver	1138
Commended. Merry heart hath a continual feast	1139
Strange. Let a gallows be made..pleased Haman	1140

COMFORT:

Adversity. Although the fig tree shall not blossom	1379
Appreciated. Came to Elim 12 wells..[70] palm	1380
Cruel. Esau doth comfort himself..to kill thee	1381
Christian's. Though thou wast angry..comfortest	1382
Dangerous. Peter sat with the servants..warned	1383
Experience. L. J. C..himself comfort your hearts	1384
Fraternal. G. comforted us..coming of Titus	1385
Lonely. Jacob awaked..gate of heaven	1386
Provision. Father..shall give you another c.	1387
Shortlived. Jonah was exceeding glad of the gourd	1389
Zion. L. shall comfort Zion..voice of melody	1389

HELP.

Appeal. Come over into Macedonia, and help	3925
" Help my lord, O King..hid her son	3926

HELPER.

Angelic. [Gethsemane] An angel..from..strength	3937
Builders. Whosoever remaineth..help him with	3942
Dependence. Aaron and Hur stayed up his hands	3943
Divine. I will be with thy mouth, and teach	3928
" Let us flee from..Israel, the L. fighteth	3929
" Wherewith shall I save Israel? [Gideon]	3930
" King of Syria..more with us..him	3931
" [Samuel] Stone..called it Eben-ezer	3936
Excused. Mary hath chosen that good part..not	7812
Forbidden. Woe to them that..to Egypt for help	292
Fraternal. Ye shall pass over before your brethren	3927
Hurtful. Ahaz took a portion..he helped him not	3932
Injurious. Uziah when he was strong..heart lift	3933
Needed. If there be no man to save us..will	3934
Petition. Come..save me..of the king of Syria	290
Pay. Who is there that would shut the doors for	7818
Reserved. Father..will give me twelve legions	3935
Rewarded. Give you a cup of water..not lose his	7819
Sought. [Canaanite woman] Send her away..L.	3936
Provided. L. saw..saved them by..Jeroboam	3939
Woman. I will make him a help meet	2941
Wanted. I have no man..to put me in	3940

JOY.

Builders. Ancient men wept..many shouted	4732
Believers. Whom having not seen..joy unspeak'e	4733
Converts. Eat..with gladness of heart, praising	4734
Conscience. Our rejoicing..testimony of our c.	4735
Deliverance. Leaping up..leaping and praising	4736
Exuberant. Rejoice with me, I have found the	4737
Escape. Then was the king [Darius] exceeding	4738
Excitement. Rhoda..opened not the gate for g.	4739
Fear. Sore afraid..bring you good tidings	4740
Giving. People rejoiced for that they offered	4741
Hellish. Were glad, and covenanted to give Judas	4742
Irrepressible. Should hold their peace, the stones	4743
Mother's. Mary kept all these things..heart	4744
Overcoming. When Jacob saw the wagons..spirit	4745
Penitential. People wept..great mirth because	4746

Religious. David danced before the L. shouting 4747
Recovery. [At Samaria] Great joy in that city 4748
Success. [Walls erected] Joy of Jerusalem afar 4749
Supreme. Not that the spirits are subject names 4750
Song of. Hath put a new song in my mouth 4751
Weeping. Joseph could not refrain wept aloud 4752
Want. Although the fig tree shall not blossom 4753
Worship. How amiable are they tabernacles 4754

REJOICING.

Communion. This poor man cried O taste and see 6968
Conversion. There was great joy in that city 6969
Converts. [Jailer] rejoiced, believing in G. with 6971
 " I waited patiently put a new song in 6972
 " The eunuch went on his way rejoicing 6973
Duty. Thou shalt rejoice in every good thing G. 6974
Deliverance. I will sing unto the L. triumphed 6975
 " Jews had light, and gladness, and 6976
Great. At the descent of the mount of Olives 6978
Heavenly. Ransomed of the L. come with songs 6980
In Prison. At midnight Paul and Silas sang 6981
In Persecutions. Rejoicing that they were counted 6982
Premature. [Amalekites] were eating and drinking 6983
In Reproach. Rejoice be exceeding glad reward 6985
In Tribulation. I am exceeding joyful in all our 6986
In Temptation. Count it all joy when ye fall into 6987
Victors. Praised their god hearts were merry 6988

2641. ENCUMBRANCES, Removal of. *Fig Tree.* ¹ Said he unto the dresser of his vineyard, Behold, these three years I come seeking fruit on this fig tree, and find none; cut it down; why cumbereth it the ground?—LUKE, ch. 13.

See other illustrations under:

HINDERANCE.

Disobedience. Say nothing to any man blaze 3979
Natural. Let me kiss my father mother 3980
Provoking. Let us pass through thy country 3981
Removed. Angel rolled back the stone door 3982
Riches. Deceitfulness of riches choke the word 3983
 " Easier for a camel needle's eye than 3984

HINDERANCES.

Care. Take heed lest become a stumblingblock 3985
Malicious. People of the land hired counsellors 3986
Removed. I will eat no flesh while the world 3987
Secular. I have bought bought married 3988
Social. Let me first go bid them farewell 3989
Selfish. Neither go in yourself, neither suffer ye 3990

HINDERING.

Fear. It is reported Jews think to rebel 3991
Intrigue. Let us meet in the plain of Ono 3992

2642. ENDURANCE rewarded. *Jesus.* ¹² Ye shall be hated of all men for my name's sake; but he that shall endure unto the end, the same shall be saved.—MARK, ch. 13.

See other illustrations under:

FORBEARANCE.

Divine. A king shall reign G. was your king 3328
 " I come seeking fruit, and find none 3329
Pious. David hast rewarded me good killedst 3330

PATIENCE.

Divine. Last of all, he sent his son 5994
Example. Consider him that endureth such 5995
Labour. This year also I will dig about it 5996
Maintained. Come out, thou bloody man of B. 5997
Needful. Fret not thyself in any wise to do evil 5998
Picture of. The husbandman waiteth hath long 5999
Rewarded. He brought me out of the miry clay 6000
Refused. Have patience, and I will pay would not 6001
Trial of. They despised Saul he held his peace 6002
Without. Why should this dead dog curse my lord 6003
Waiting. Have need of patience after ye have 6004

RESIGNATION.

Bereavement. David was comforted concerning 7198
Inevitable. If I be bereaved of my children, I am 7198
Pious. L. gave, and the L. hath taken away 7194
 " David said Let him do as seemeth good 7195
Submission. When he would not be persuaded 7196

SUFFERING.

for Christ. [Paul and Silas] Laid many stripes 8448
Faithful. Were stoned sawn asunder, were 8449
Subdued. Bit the people died, therefore we 8451
Support. Sufferings of this present time not 8450

SUFFERINGS.

Apostolic. [Paul] Five times stripes thrice 8452
Chosen. Moses choosing rather to suffer than 8453
Recompensed. Moses had respect unto the r. 8454
Sacred. Remove this cup not my will [Jesus] 8455

TRIAL.

Character. Saw the Egyptians dead feared the L. 8914
 " Waters were a wall unto them 8915
Faith. Trial of your faith more precious than g. 8916
Impenitence. Thy sons as a wild bull in a net 8917
Life. God commanded Thou shalt not eat 8918
Mock. Witness against Jesus to put death 8919
Proportioned. Led them not was near lest 8920
Severe. Take now thy son Isaac burnt offering 8922
Stubbornness. Ahaz trespass yet more 8921

TRIALS.

Business. Day the drought consumed me frost 8923
Backsliding. Who shall give us flesh to eat 8924
Blessing. Blessed are ye when men shall revile 8925
 " I am exceeding joyful in all our 8926
Comfort. David encouraged himself in his G. 8928
Confidence. I am persuaded be able to separate 8927
Darkness. I cry out of wrong, but I am not heard 8930
after Deliverance. From the Red Sea no water 8929
Despair. There was a great earthquake sun 8946
Encouragement. Work out far more exceeding 8931
Fellow. Three days in the wilderness no water 8929
Hope. I know that my Redeemer liveth 8932
 " Why art thou cast down, O my soul? 8933
Joyful. Took joyfully the spoiling of your goods 8935
Multipled. All my inward friends abhorred me 8936
 " In labours more abundant stripes 8940
Overburdened. Burden of all this people on me 8937
Recompensed. These came out of great 8949
Rest. Came to Elim 12 wells 70 palm trees 8938
Severe. In labours stripes prison deaths 8940
 " In weariness, painfulness in watchings 8942
 " We hunger and thirst, and are naked 8939
 " In perils of waters robbers heathen 8941
Use. Nations which the L. left to prove I. 8943
 " Branch that beareth not fruit purgeth it 8944
Victory. In all more than conquerors 8945
Winnow. When affliction or persecution ariseth 8928

2643. ENEMY, An aggressive. *Saul.* ¹ Saul, yet breathing out threatenings and slaughter... ² And desired letters to Damascus to the synagogues, that if he found any of this way, whether they were men or women, he might bring them bound unto Jerusalem.—ACTS, ch. 9.

2644. — conquered by Kindness. *Saul.* [See above.] ¹⁶ When David had made an end of speaking these words unto Saul, Saul said, Is this thy voice, my son David? And Saul lifted up his voice, and wept. ¹⁷ And he said to David, Thou art more righteous than I: for thou hast rewarded me good, whereas I have rewarded thee evil.—1 SAM., ch. 24.

2645. — Disarmed by an. *Benaiah.* ¹¹ The

Egyptian had a spear in his hand; but he went down to him with a staff, and plucked the spear out of the Egyptian's hand, and slew him with his own spear.—2 SAM., ch. 23.

2646. — The great. *Satan*. ²⁴ The kingdom of heaven is likened unto a man which sowed good seed in his field: ²⁵ But while men slept, his enemy came and sowed tares among the wheat, and went his way.—MAT., ch. 13.

2647. — A jealous. *Saul*. ²⁸ Saul saw . . . that the Lord was with David, and that Michal Saul's daughter loved him. ²⁹ And Saul was yet the more afraid of David; and Saul became David's enemy continually.—1 SAM., ch. 18.

2648. — routed, *An. By Four Lepers*. ¹⁰ We came to the camp of the Syrians, and, behold, there was no man there, neither voice of man, but horses tied, and asses tied, and the tents as they were.—2 KINGS, ch. 7.

2649. — A suspected. *Jeremiah*. ¹³ When he was in the gate of Benjamin, a captain of the ward was there, whose name was Irijah . . . saying, Thou fallest away to the Chaldeans. ¹⁴ Then said Jeremiah, *It is false; I fall not away to the Chaldeans.* But he hearkened not to him: So Irijah took Jeremiah, and brought him to the princes.—JER., ch. 37.

2650. — spared, *An. King Saul*. ³ Saul went in to cover his feet: and David and his men remained in the sides of the cave. ⁴ And the men of David said, thou mayest do to him as it shall seem good unto thee. Then David arose, and cut off the skirt of Saul's robe privately.—1 SAM., ch. 24.

2651. — Weapons from. *Egyptians*. ²⁷ Moses stretched forth his hand over the sea, and the sea returned to his strength when the morning appeared; and the Egyptians fled against it; and the Lord overthrew the Egyptians in the midst of the sea.—EX., ch. 14. [The Lord gave them the arms of the Egyptians.]

2652. ENEMIES, Artful. *Priests and Scribes*. ²⁰ Sent forth spies, which shoul' feign themselves just men, that they might take hold of his words, that so they might deliver him unto the power and authority of the governor.—LUKE, ch. 20.

2653. — of the Cross. *Paul*. ¹⁸ They are the enemies of the cross of Christ: ¹⁹ Whose end is destruction, whose God is their belly, and whose glory is in their shame, who mind earthly things.—PHIL., ch. 3.

2654. — Contempt of. *Heathen*. ¹⁹ They laughed us to scorn, and despised us, and said, What is this thing that ye do? will ye rebel against the king? ²⁰ Then answered I, The God of heaven, he will prosper us; therefore we his servants will arise and build.—NEH., ch. 2.

2655. — disappointed. *Heathen*. ¹⁶ When all our enemies heard thereof, and all the heathen that were about us saw these things, they were much cast down in their own eyes: for they perceived that this work was wrought of our God.—NEH., ch. 6.

2656. — Dependence on. *Philistines*. ²⁰ There was no smith found throughout all the land of Israel: for the Philistines said, Lest the Hebrews make them swords or spears: ²¹ But all the Israelites went down to the Philistines, to

sharpen every man his share, and his coulter, and his axe, and his mattock.—1 SAM., ch. 13.

2657. — Favours for. *Food and Water*. ²¹ If thine enemy be hungry, give him bread to eat; and if he be thirsty, give him water to drink: ²² For thou shalt heap coals of fire upon his head, and the Lord shall reward thee.—PROV., ch. 25.

2658. — Gospel. *Last Times*. ¹ In the last days perilous times shall come. ² For men shall be lovers of their own selves, covetous, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy. ³ Without natural affection, trucebreakers, false accusers, incontinent, fierce, despisers of those that are good, ⁴ Traitors, heady, highminded, lovers of pleasures more than lovers of God.—2 TIM., ch. 3.

2659. — Help against. *Ammonite Oppressors*. ¹⁵ We have sinned: do thou unto us whatsoever seemeth good unto thee; deliver us only, we pray thee, this day. ¹⁶ And they put away the strange gods from among them, and served the Lord: and his soul was grieved for the misery of Israel.—JUDGES, ch. 10.

2660. — Hidden. *Heathen*. ¹¹ Our adversaries said, They shall not know, neither see, till we come in the midst among them, and slay them, and cause the work to cease.—NEH., ch. 4.

2661. — Intrigue of. *Rebuilding the Temple*. ⁴ The people of the land weakened the hands of the people of Judah, and troubled them in building, ⁵ And hired counsellors against them, to frustrate their purpose, all the days of Cyrus king of Persia.—EZRA, ch. 4.

2662. — Kindness to. *Syrians*. ²² Elisha answered, Thou shalt not smite them: wouldest thou smite those whom thou hast taken captive with thy sword and with thy bow? set bread and water before them, that they may eat and drink, and go to their master.—2 KINGS, ch. 6.

2663. — Malicious. *Diotrephes*. ⁹ Diotrephes, who loveth to have the preeminence among them, receiveth us not. ¹³ . . . prating against us with malicious words: and not content therewith, neither doth he himself receive the brethren, and forbiddeth them that would, and casteth them out of the church.—3 JOHN.

2664. — Prayer against. *David*. ¹ Make haste, O God, to deliver me; make haste to help me, O Lord. ² Let them be ashamed and confounded that seek after my soul.—PS. 70.

2665. — Successful. *Heathen*. ²² Rehum and Shimshai the scribe, and their companions, they went up in haste to Jerusalem unto the Jews, and made them to cease by force and power. ²⁴ Then ceased the work of the house of God.—EZRA, ch. 4.

2666. — Sensitive. *Priests*. ¹⁵ When the chief priests and scribes saw the wonderful things that he did, and the children crying in the temple. Hosanna to the Son of David; they were sore displeased.—MAT., ch. 21.

2667. — thwarted. *Darius*. ¹ Let the work of this house of God alone; let the governor of the Jews and the elders of the Jews build this house of God. ² Moreover I make a decree, that of the king's goods, even of the tribute beyond the river, forthwith expenses be

given unto these men, that they be not hindered.—EZRA, ch. 6.

2668. — *Treatment of Christ.* ⁴³ Ye have heard that it hath been said, Thou shalt love thy neighbour and hate thine enemy. ⁴⁴ But I say unto you, Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them which despitefully use you, and persecute you.—MAT., ch. 5.

2669. — *Unequal to.* *Philistines.* ¹⁹ The Lord was with Judah; and he drave out the inhabitants of the mountain; but could not drive out the inhabitants of the valley, because they had chariots of iron.—JUDGES, ch. 1.

2670. — *Vexation of.* *Nehemiah.* ¹⁰ When Sanballat the Horonite, and Tobiah, the Ammonite, heard of it, it grieved them exceedingly that there was come a man to seek the welfare of the children of Israel.—NEH., ch. 2.

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2671. ENGRAVER, An inspired. *Bezaleel.* ³¹ He hath filled him with the spirit of God . . in all manner of workmanship; ³² And to devise curious works, to work in gold, and in silver, and in brass, ³³ And in the cutting of stones, to set them, and in carving of wood, to make any manner of cunning work.—EX., ch. 35.

2672. ENGRAVING, The Lord's. *Law.* ¹⁶ The tables were the work of God, and the writing was the writing of God, graven upon the tables.—EX., ch. 32.

2673. — *of the Law.* *Great Stones.* ² On the day when ye shall pass over Jordan unto the land . . thou shalt set thee up great stones, and plaster them with plaster: ³ And thou shalt write upon them all the words of this law.—DEUT., ch. 27.

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2674. ENJOYMENT, Beauty for. *Eden.* ⁸ The Lord God planted a garden eastward in Eden; and there he put the man whom he had formed. ⁹ And out of the ground made the Lord God to grow every tree that is pleasant to the sight, and good for food.—GEN., ch. 2.

2675. — *Prospective.* *Dives.* ¹⁸ This will I do: I will pull down my barns, and build greater; and there will I bestow all my fruits and my goods. ¹⁹ And I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years; take thine ease, eat, drink, and be merry.—LUKE, ch. 12.

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Poisoned. All this..nothing..sitting at the..gate	3793
Perfect. G. shall wipe away all tears	3794
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Condition. As vinegar upon nitre, so..singeth	3798
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2676. ENMITY, Contemptuous. Parable. ¹³ He called his ten servants, and delivered them ten pounds, and said..Occupy till I come. ¹⁴ But his citizens hated him, and sent a message after him, saying, We will not have this man to reign over us.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

2677. — An undying. Serpent. ¹⁴ Upon thy belly shalt thou go, and dust shalt thou eat all the days of thy life: ¹⁵ And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel.—*GEN.*, ch. 3.

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2678. ENTERPRISE, Wide-awake. Proverb. ¹² Love not sleep, lest thou come to poverty; open thine eyes, and thou shalt be satisfied with bread.—*PROV.*, ch. 20.

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2679. ENTHUSIASM, Brief. Rootless. ²⁰ He that received the seed into stony places, the same is he that heareth the word, and anon with joy receiveth it; ²¹ Yet hath he not root in himself, but dureth for a while: for when tribulation or persecution ariseth because of the word, by and by he is offended.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

2680. — in Benevolence. Jesus. ¹⁹ And they went into a house. ²⁰ And the multitude cometh together again, so that they could not so much as eat bread. ²¹ And when his friends heard of it, they went out to lay hold on him: for they said, He is beside himself.—*MARK*, ch. 3.

2681. — Contempt for. Michal. ¹⁶ As the ark of the Lord came into the city of David, Michal Saul's daughter looked through a window, and saw king David leaping and dancing before the Lord: and she despised him in her heart.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 6.

2682. — misunderstood. [See No. 2680.]

2683. — Public. Galileans. ¹⁴ When they had seen the miracle that Jesus did, said, This is of a truth that Prophet that should come into the world. ¹⁵ When Jesus therefore perceived that they would come and take him by force, to make him a king, he departed again into a mountain himself alone.—*JOHN*, ch. 6. [Five thousand had been fed.]

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Holy. Behold the men ye put in prison..teaching	9989
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" Made haste, came down, received	10014
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Unwavering. Nope of these things move me	10025
Working. From the rising..morning..till the stars	10026

2684. ENTREATY, A heart-breaking. At Cæsarea. ¹² When we heard these things, both we, and they of that place, besought him not to go up. ¹³ Then Paul answered, What mean ye to weep and to break mine heart? for I am ready not to be bound only, but also to die at Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus.—*ACTS*, ch. 21.

2685. — An urgent. Nobleman. ⁴¹ When he heard that Jesus was come..into Galilee, he went..and besought him that he would come down, and heal his son; for he was at the point of death. ⁴² Then said Jesus..Except ye see signs and wonders, ye will not believe. ⁴³ The nobleman saith..Sir, come down ere my child die.—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

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2686. ENVY of Brethren. *Joseph's Brethren.* Behold, I have dreamed a dream more; and, behold, the sun and the moon and the eleven stars made obeisance to me...¹¹ And his brethren envied him; but his father observed the saying.—*GEN.*, ch. 37.

2687. — A Brother's, Elder Son. ²⁸ He was angry, and would not go in; therefore came his father out, and entreated him. ²⁹ And he...said to his father, Lo, these many years do I serve thee, neither transgressed I at any time thy commandment; and yet thou never gavest me a kid, that I might make merry with my friends.—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

2688. — leads to Crime. *Crucifixion.* [Pilate] ¹⁰ knew that the chief priests had delivered him for envy. ¹¹ But the chief priests moved the people, that he should rather release Barabbas.—*MAT.*, ch. 15.

2689. — of the Covetous. *King Ahab.* Give me thy vineyard, that I may have it for a garden of herbs, because it is near unto my house: and I will give thee for it a better vineyard than it; or...the worth of it in money...⁴ And Ahab came into his house heavy and displeased because...Naboth...said, I will not give thee the inheritance of my fathers. And he laid him down upon his bed, and turned away his face, and would eat no bread.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 21.

2690. — Dangers of. *David.* I was envious at the foolish, when I saw the prosperity of the wicked. ⁴ For there are no bands in their death: but their strength is firm. ⁵ They are not in trouble as other men; neither are they plagued like other men. ¹⁶ When I thought to know this, it was too painful for me; ¹⁷ Until I went into the sanctuary of God; then understood I their end.—*PS.* 73.

2691. — Distress from. *Rachel.* When Rachel saw that she bare Jacob no children, Rachel envied her sister; and said unto Jacob, Give me children, or else I die.—*GEN.*, ch. 30.

2692. — Folly of. *Proverb.* For wrath killeth the foolish man, and envy slayeth the silly one.—*JOB*, ch. 5.

2693. — Inspired by. *Thessalonians.* The Jews which believed not, moved with envy, took unto them certain lewd fellows of the baser sort, and gathered a company, and set all the city on an uproar, and assaulted the house of Jason, and sought to bring them out to the people.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

2694. — Manifested. *Laban's Sons.* Jacob hath taken away all that was our father's; and of that which was our father's hath he gotten all this glory. ² And Jacob beheld the countenance of Laban, and, behold, it was not toward him as before.—*GEN.*, ch. 31.

2695. — Ministerial. *Paul.* Some indeed preach Christ even of envy and strife; and some also of good will: ¹⁶ The one preach Christ of contention, not sincerely, supposing to add affliction to my bonds; ¹⁷ But the other of love.—*PHIL.*, ch. 1.

2696. — Murder from. *Cain.* Unto Cain and to his offering he had not respect. And Cain was very wroth, and his countenance fell. ⁶ And the Lord said unto Cain, Why art thou wroth? and why is thy countenance fallen?—*GEN.*, ch. 4.

2697. — of Office. *Aaron and Miriam.* Hath the Lord indeed spoken only by Moses? hath he not also spoken by us? And the Lord heard it. ³ Now the man Moses was very meek, above all the men which were upon the face of the earth.—*NUM.*, ch. 12.

2698. — punished. *Song of Korah.* They gathered...against Moses and against Aaron, and said...Ye take too much upon you, seeing all the congregation are holy, every one of them, and the Lord is among them: wherefore then lift ye up yourselves above the congregation?—*NUM.*, ch. 16. [An earthquake swallowed them.]

2699. — Poisoned by. *King Saul.* The women answered one another as they played, and said, Saul hath slain his thousands, and David his ten thousands. ³ And Saul was very wroth...and he said, They have ascribed unto David ten thousands, and to me they have ascribed but thousands: and what can he have more but the kingdom? ⁹ And Saul eyed David from that day and forward.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 18.

2700. — of Prosperity. *Isaac.* The man waxed great, and went forward, and grew until he became very great: ¹⁴ For he had possession of flocks, and possession of herds, and great store of servants: and the Philistines envied him.—*GEN.*, ch. 26.

2701. — Promotion from. *Daniel.* The king thought to...set him over the whole realm. ⁴ Then the president and princes sought to find occasion against Daniel concerning the kingdom; but they could find none occasion nor fault.—*DAN.*, ch. 6.

2702. — Rottenness of. *Solomon.* A sound heart is the life of the flesh: but envy the rottenness of the bones.—*PROV.*, ch. 14.

2703. — Relentless. *Solomon.* Wrath is cruel, and angry is outrageous; but who is able to stand before envy?—*PROV.*, ch. 27.

2704. — of the Successful. *David.* Rest in the Lord, and wait patiently for him: fret not thyself because of him who prospereth in his way, because of the man who bringeth wicked devices to pass.—*PS.* 37.

2705. — and Strife. *Every Evil.* Where envying and strife is, there is confusion and every evil work.—*JAMES*, ch. 3.

2706. — Unchristian. *Corinthians.* Whereas there is among you envying, and strife, and divisions, are ye not carnal, and walk as men? ⁴ For while one saith, I am of Paul; and another,

I am of Apollos; are ye not carnal?—1 Con., ch. 3.

2707. EQUIVOCATION through Fear. *Abraham.* ¹¹ Because I thought, Surely the fear of God is not in this place; and they will slay me for my wife's sake. ¹² And yet indeed she is my sister; she is the daughter of my father, but not the daughter of my mother.—*GEN.*, ch. 20.

2708. — Hypocrites'. Priests. [Respecting John,] ²⁵ If we shall say, From heaven; he will say unto us, Why did ye not then believe him? ²⁶ But if we shall say, Of men; we fear the people; for all hold John as a prophet. ²⁷ And they answered Jesus, We cannot tell.—*MAT.*, ch. 21.

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DISSEMBLING.

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2709. ERROR, Sweeping. *Peter* ¹² separated himself, fearing them which were of the circumcision. ¹³ And the other Jews dissembled likewise with him; insomuch that Barnabas also was carried away with their dissimulation.—*GAL.*, ch. 2.

2710. — Sincere. *Solomon.* ¹² There is a way which seemeth right unto a man; but the end thereof are the ways of death.—*PROV.*, ch. 14.

2711. ERRING, Sympathy for. *Christians.* ¹⁴ If any man obey not our word by this epistle, note that man, and have no company with him, that he may be ashamed. ¹⁵ Yet count him not as an enemy, but admonish him as a brother.—*2 THESS.*, ch. 3.

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2712. ESCAPE, Assistance to. *Saul.* ²³ The Jews took counsel to kill him: ²⁴ and they watched the gates day and night to kill him. ²⁵ Then the disciples took him by night, and let him down by the wall in a basket.—*ACTS*, ch. 9.

2713. — of a Few. *Flood.* ¹² The rain was upon the earth forty days and forty nights. ¹³ In the selfsame day entered Noah, and Shem, and Ham, and Japheth, and Noah's wife, and the three wives of his sons with them, into the ark.—*GEN.*, ch. 7.

2714. — A hasty. *David.* ¹⁴ David said unto all his servants that were with him at Jerusalem, Arise, and let us flee; for we shall not else escape from Absalom: make speed to depart, lest he overtake us suddenly.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 16.

2715. — Miraculous. *Jesus.* [At Jerusalem] ²⁰ They sought again to take him; but he escaped out of their hand.—*JOHN*, ch. 10.

2716. — by any Means. *Shipwreck.* ⁴³ The centurion, commanded that they which could swim should cast themselves first into the sea, and get to land: ⁴⁴ And the rest, some on boards, and some on broken pieces of the ship, they escaped all safe on land.—*ACTS*, ch. 27.

2717. — A narrow. *Job's Servant.* ¹⁹ There came a great wind from the wilderness, and smote the four corners of the house, and it fell upon the young men, and they are dead; and I only am escaped.—*JOB*, ch. 1.

2718. — No. *Israelites.* ²² They slew of Moab at that time about ten thousand men, all lusty, and all men of valour; and there escaped not a man.—*JUDGES*, ch. 3.

2719. — of One only. *King Saul* ¹⁸ said to Doeg, Turn thou, and fall upon the priests, and he fell upon the priests, and slew on that day fourscore and five persons that did wear a linen ephod.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 22. [Abiathar alone escaped.]

2720. — from Prison. *Peter and John.* ¹⁸ Laid their hands on the apostles, and put them in the common prison. ¹⁹ But the angel of the Lord by night opened the prison doors, and brought them forth.—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

2721. — by Strategy. *David.* ¹⁹ Michal let David down through a window: and he escaped. ²⁰ And Michal took an image, and laid it in the bed, and put a pillow of goats' hair for his bolster, and covered it with a cloth. ²⁴ And when Saul sent messengers to take David, she said, He is sick.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 19.

2722. — by Urging. *Lot.* ¹⁶ While he lingered, the men laid hold upon his hand, and upon the hand of his wife, and upon the hand of his two daughters; the Lord being merciful unto him: and they brought him forth, and set him without the city.—*GEN.*, ch. 19.

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2727. — impossible. Joseph. "Israel said, Wherefore dealt ye so ill with me, as to tell the man whether ye had yet a brother? "And they said, The man asked us straitly of our state, and of our kindred, saying, *Is your father yet alive? have ye another brother?*—*GEN.*, ch. 43.

2728. — by Silence. Jeremiah. [He predicted the overthrow of the king.] "Then said Zedekiah unto Jeremiah, Let no man know of these words, and thou shalt not die. "Then came all the princes unto Jeremiah..and he told them according to all these words that the king had commanded. So they left off speaking with him: for the matter was not perceived.—*JER.*, ch. 38.

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2729. EVIDENCE, Astounding. Against Gibeathites. [A Levite's concubine was outraged and killed.] "He took a knife, and laid hold on his concubine, and divided her, *together with her bones*, into twelve pieces, and sent her into all the coasts of Israel. "all that saw it said, There was no such deed done nor seen from the day that the children of Israel came up out of the land of Egypt unto this day: consider of it, take advice, and speak *your minds.*—*JUDGES*, ch. 19. "So all the men of Israel were gathered against the city, knit together as one man.—*JUDGES*, ch. 20.

2730. — Circumstantial. Joseph. [Potiphar's wife said,] "The Hebrew servant..came in unto me to mock me: "And..as I lifted up my voice and cried, he left his garment with me, and fled out.—*GEN.*, ch. 39.

2731. — Confirmatory. Peter. "He denied it again. And a little after, they that stood by said again to Peter, Surely thou art *one* of them: for thou art a Galilean, and thy speech agreeth *thereto.*—*MAT.*, ch. 14.

2732. — Woman of Tekoah. "The king said, *Is not* the hand of Joab with thee in all this? And the woman answered, *As thy soul liveth*..none can turn to the right hand or to the left from aught that my lord the king hath spoken: for thy servant Joab, he bade me, and he put all these words in the mouth of thine handmaid.—2 *SAM.*, ch. 14.

2733. — Healing. "When they saw the boldness of Peter and John, and perceived that they were unlearned and ignorant men, they marvelled; and they took knowledge of them, that they had been with Jesus. "And beholding the man which was healed standing with them, they could say nothing against it.—*ACTS*, ch. 4.

2734. — in Deeds. *Jesus.* ²⁷ If I do not the works of my Father, believe me not. ²⁸ But if I do, though ye believe not me, believe the works; that ye may know, and believe, that the Father is in me, and I in him.—*JOHN*, ch. 10.

2735. — Divine. *Jesus.* ³⁰ They said, John Baptist hath sent us unto thee, saying, Art thou he that should come? or look we for another? ³¹ Go your way, and tell John what things ye have seen and heard; how that the blind see, the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised, to the poor the gospel is preached.—*LUKE*, th. 7.

2736. — Fraudulent. *Gibeonites.* ⁴ Made us if they had been ambassadors, and took old sacks upon their asses, and wine bottles, old, and rent, and bound up; ⁵ And old shoes and clouted, and old garments, and all the bread of their provision was dry and mouldy. ⁶ And they went to Joshua.—*JUDGES*, ch. 9.

2737. — False. *Priests and Council* ¹⁰ sought false witness against Jesus, to put him to death; ¹¹ But found none: yea, though many false witnesses came, yet found they none. At the last came two false witnesses, ¹² And said, This fellow said, I am able to destroy the temple of God, and to build it in three days.—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

2738. — of Innocence. *David.* ³⁵ David sware, saying, So do God to me, and more also, if I taste bread, or aught else, till the sun be down. ³⁷ And all Israel understood that day that it was not of the king to slay Abner.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 3.

2739. — The Lord's. *Philistines.* ¹⁰ Took two milch kine, and tied them to the cart, and shut up their calves at home: ¹² And the kine took the straight way to the way of Beth-shemesh, and went along the highway, lowing as they went, and turned not aside to the right hand or to the left.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 13.

2740. — misconstrued. *Jesus.* ⁴ Those eighteen, upon whom the tower in Siloam fell, and slew them, think ye that they were sinners above all men that dwelt in Jerusalem?—*LUKE*, ch. 13.

2741. — Mistaken. *Pharisees.* ⁵¹ If a man keep my saying, he shall never see death. ⁵² Then said the Jews unto him, Now we know that thou hast a devil.—*JOHN*, ch. 8.

2742. — manufactured. *Joseph's Coat.* ³¹ They took Joseph's coat, and killed a kid of the goats, and dipped the coat in the blood; ³² and they brought it to their father; and said, This have we found: know now whether it be thy son's coat or no.—*GEN.*, ch. 37.

2743. — Practical. *Thomas.* ²⁷ Reach hither thy finger, and behold my hands; and reach hither thy hand, and thrust it into my side; and be not faithless, but believing. ²⁸ And Thomas answered, My Lord and my God.—*JOHN*, ch. 20.

2744. — rejected. *Jonah.* ²⁸ The Pharisees answered, saying, Master, we would see a sign from thee. ⁴⁰ as Jonas was three days and three nights in the whale's belly; so shall the Son of man be three days and three nights in the heart of the earth.—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

2745. — Satisfying. *Samaritans.* ⁴¹ Many more believed because of his own word; ⁴² And

said unto the woman, Now we believe, not because of thy saying: for we have heard him ourselves, and know that this is indeed the Christ.—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

2746. — Suggestive. *Dagon Fallen.* ³ They took Dagon, and set him in his place again. ⁴ early on the morrow morning, behold, Dagon was fallen upon his face to the ground before the ark of the Lord; and the head of Dagon and both the palms of his hands were cut off upon the threshold; only the stump of Dagon was left to him.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 5.

2747. — of Sincerity. *Ephesians.* ¹⁹ Many of them also which used curious arts brought their books together, and burned them before all men: and they counted the price, fifty thousand pieces of silver.—*ACTS*, ch. 19.

2748. — by Trial. *Daniel.* ¹² Prove thy servants, ten days; and let them give us pulse to eat, and water to drink. ¹³ Then let our countenances be looked upon, and the countenance of the children that eat of the portion of the king's meat: and as thou seest, deal.—*DAN.*, ch. 1.

2749. — Unexplainable. *Silver Cup.* ¹¹ They speedily took down every man his sack to the ground. ¹² And he searched, and began at the eldest, and left at the youngest: and the cup was found in Benjamin's sack. ¹³ Then they rent their clothes, and returned to the city.—*GEN.*, ch. 44.

2750. — unsuppressed. *Disobedience.* ¹³ Saul said, I have performed the commandment of the Lord. ¹⁴ And Samuel said, What meaneth then this bleating of the sheep in mine ears, and the lowing of the oxen which I hear?—*1 SAM.*, ch. 15.

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2752. EVIL, Appearance of. *Tax.* ²⁷ Lest we should offend them, go thou to the sea, and cast a hook, and take up the fish that first cometh up; and when thou hast opened his mouth, thou shalt find a piece of money: that take, and give unto them for me and thee.—*MAT.*, ch. 17.

2753. — Freedom from. *Jesus.* ²⁰ Pilate therefore, willing to release Jesus, spake again to them. ²¹ But they cried, saying, Crucify him, crucify him. ²² And he said unto them the third time, Why, what evil hath he done?—*LUKE*, ch. 23.

2754. — overruled. *Joseph's Brethren.* ¹⁵ Joseph said unto them, Fear not: for am I in the place of God? ²⁰ But as for you, ye thought evil against me; but God meant it unto good..to save much people alive.—*GEN.*, ch. 50.

2755. — temporarily permitted. *Tares.* ²⁹ Nay; lest while ye gather up the tares, ye root up also the wheat with them. ³⁰ Let both grow together until the harvest: and..I will say to the reapers, Gather ye together first the tares, and bind them in bundles to burn them: but gather the wheat into my barn.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

2756. — repaid with Good. *David* ⁹ said to Saul, Wherefore hearest thou men's words, saying, Behold, David seeketh thy hurt? ¹⁰ Behold, this day..the Lord had delivered thee to day into mine hand in the cave: and some bade me kill thee: but mine eye spared thee.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 24.

2757. — The Root of. *Money.* ⁹ They that will be rich fall into temptation and a snare, and into many foolish and hurtful lusts, which drown men in destruction and perdition. ¹⁰ For the love of money is the root of all evil: which while some coveted after, they have erred from the faith, and pierced themselves through with many sorrows.—*1 TIM.*, ch. 6.

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2858. EXAMPLE, Encouragement by. *Calmness.* ²³ While the day was coming on, Paul besought them all to take meat, saying, This day is the fourteenth day that ye have..continued fasting. ²⁵ And..he took bread, and gave thanks to God in presence of them all; and..he began to eat. ²⁶ Then were they all of good cheer, and they also took some meat.—*ACTS*, ch. 27.

2759. — Following. *Ruth.* ¹⁶ Ruth said, Entreat me not to leave thee..for whither thou goest, I will go; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge: thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God: ¹⁷ Where thou diest, will I die, and there will I be buried.—*RUTH*, ch. 1.

2760. — Hindered by. *Pharisees.* ¹³ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye shut up the kingdom of heaven against men: for ye neither go in yourselves, neither suffer ye them that are entering, to go in.—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

2761. — for Imitation. *Washing Feet.* ¹⁴ If I then, your Lord and Master, have washed your feet; ye also ought to wash one another's feet. ¹⁵ For I have given you an example, that ye should do as I have done to you.—*JOHN*, ch. 13.

2762. — Instruction by. [See No. 2761.]

2763. — Inferior. *Pharisees.* ³ All therefore whatsoever they bid you observe, that observe and do; but do not ye after their works: for they say, and do not. ⁴ For they bind heavy burdens and grievous to be borne, and lay them on men's shoulders; but they themselves will not move them with one of their fingers.—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

2764. — Justification by. *Disciples.* ¹ Jesus went on the sabbath day through the corn; and his disciples were a hungered, and began to pluck the ears of corn, and to eat. ²..the Pharisees saw it..Behold, thy disciples do that which is not lawful. ³ But he said unto them, Have ye not read what David did, when he was a hungered, and they that were with him; ⁴ How he entered into the house of God, and did eat the shewbread..only for the priests?—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

2765. — a Light. *Christ.* ¹⁵ Neither do men light a candle, and put it under a bushel, but on a candlestick; and it giveth light unto

all that are in the house. ¹⁶ Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father.—*MAT.*, ch. 5.

2766. — *The Lord's Slander.* ²⁴ The disciple is not above his master, nor the servant above his lord. ²⁵ It is enough for the disciple that he be as his master, and the servant as his lord. If they have called the master of the house Beelzebub, how much more shall they call them of his household?—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

2767. — *Ministerial Minister.* ¹³ Let no man despise thy youth; but be thou an example of the believers, in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith, in purity.—*1 TIM.*, ch. 4.

2768. — *Observation of Paul.* ⁹ Those things, which ye have both learned, and received, and heard, and seen in me, do: and the God of peace shall be with you.—*PHIL.*, ch. 4.

2769. — *In Prayer. Lord's Prayer.* ¹ As he was praying, when he ceased, one of his disciples said unto him, Lord, teach us to pray, as John also taught his disciples. ² And he said unto them, When ye pray, say, Our Father which art in heaven.—*LUKE*, ch. 11.

2770. — *In public Life. Vashti.* ¹¹ This deed of the queen shall come abroad unto all women, so that they shall despise their husbands in their eyes, when it shall be reported. The king Ahasuerus commanded Vashti the queen to be brought in before him, but she came not.—*ESTHER*, ch. 1.

2771. — *Teaching by Paul.* ⁸ Neither did we eat any man's bread for nought; but wrought with labour and travail night and day, that we might not be chargeable to any of you: ⁹ Not because we have not power, but to make ourselves an example unto you.—*2 THESS.*, ch. 3.

2772. EXAMPLES, Warning by Israelites. ⁹ Neither let us tempt Christ, as some of them also tempted, and were destroyed of serpents. ¹⁰ Neither murmur ye, as some of them also murmured, and were destroyed of the destroyer. ¹¹ Now all these things happened unto them for ensamples: and they are written for our admonition.—*1 COR.*, ch. 10.

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2774. — *of Doctrines. Bereans.* ¹¹ These were more noble than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness of mind, and searched the Scriptures daily, whether those things were so. ¹² Therefore many of them believed; also of honourable women which were Greeks, and of men, not a few.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

2775. — *of Self. Apostles.* ¹⁸ As they.. did eat, Jesus said..One of you which eateth with me shall betray me, ¹⁹ And they began to

be sorrowful, and to say unto him one by one, Is it I?—*MARK*, ch. 14.

2776. — *A vindicating Pilate.* ¹⁴ Ye have brought this man unto me, as one that perverteth the people; and, behold, I, having examined him before you, have found no fault in this man touching those things whereof ye accuse him. ¹⁵ No, nor yet Herod.—*LUKE*, ch. 23.

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2778. — *Creating. Stephen's Enemies.* ¹¹ They suborned men, which said, We have heard him speak blasphemous words against Moses, and against God. ¹² And they stirred up the people, and the elders, and the scribes.. and brought him to the council.—*ACTS*, ch. 6.

2779. — *of Ecstasy. Transfiguration.* ²³ Peter said unto Jesus, Master, it is good for us to be here: and let us make three tabernacles; one for thee, and one for Moses, and one for Elias: not knowing what he said.—*LUKE*, ch. 9.

2780. — *of Evildoers. Murderers.* ²² Pilate said..I will therefore chastise him, and let him go. ²³ And they were instant with loud voices, requiring that he might be crucified.—*LUKE*, ch. 23.

2781. — *Public. At Capernaum.* ¹⁹ They went into a house. ²⁰ And the multitude cometh together again, so that they could not so much as eat bread. ²¹ And when his friends heard of it, they went out to lay hold on him: for they said, He is beside himself.—*MARK*, ch. 3.

2782. — *Needless. Monument.* ¹⁰ When they came..in the land of Canaan, the children of Reuben and..of Gad and the half tribe of Manasseh built there an altar by Jordan.. ¹¹ And when the children of Israel heard of it, the whole congregation..gathered themselves

together at Shiloh, to go up to war against them.—*JOHN*, ch. 22. [They were pleased when informed of its religious design.]

2783. — — — *Last Visit.* ¹⁰ When he was come into Jerusalem, all the city was moved, saying, Who is this? ¹¹ And the multitude said, This is Jesus the prophet of Nazareth.—*MAT.*, ch. 21.

2784. — — — *Trembling with. Jailer.* ²⁸ Paul cried, Do thyself no harm: for we are all here. ²⁹ Then he called for a light, and sprang in, and came trembling, and fell down before Paul and Silas, ³⁰ And brought them out, and said, Sirs, what must I do to be saved?—*ACTS*, ch. 16.

2785. — — — *A wild. Paul's Enemies.* ²⁴ Some cried one thing, some another, among the multitude: and when he could not know the certainty for the tumult, he commanded him to be carried into the castle.—*ACTS*, ch. 21.

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Sleepless. Darius..sleep went from him..early to 458
Sickness. Nobleman besought him..come..ere 459
Strong. Jesus..groaned in the spirit, and was 3196
Suppressed. Haman was full of indignation 3199
Truth. Not come to send peace, but a sword 450
Vexations. Dettiah..pressed him daily..urged 9187

2786. EXCLUSIVENESS reproved. *John said,* "Master, we saw one casting out devils in thy name, and we forbade him, because he followeth not us." ²⁹ But Jesus said, Forbid him not: for there is no man which shall do a miracle in my name, that can lightly speak evil of me.—*MAT.*, ch. 9.

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CASTE.

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Egyptian. Egyptians..not eat bread with the H. 1066
Ignored. Ordained twelve..Simon the Canaanite 1067
Jewish. Thou, being a Jew..askest drink of me 1058
No More. Great sheet..all manner of..beasts 1059
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Religious. Casting out devils..Forbade him 1061
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2787. EXCOMMUNICATION avoided. *Caution.* "Who hath opened his eyes, we know not: he is of age; ask him: he shall speak for himself." ² These words spake his parents, because they

feared the Jews: for the Jews had agreed already, that if any man did confess that he was Christ, he should be put out of the synagogue.—*JOHN*, ch. 9.

2788. — — — *by Bigots. Ex-Blind Man.* ²³ If this man were not of God, he could do nothing. ²⁴ They answered, Thou wast altogether born in sins, and dost thou teach us? And they cast him out.—*JOHN*, ch. 9.

2789. — — — *feared. Pharisees.* ⁴³ Among the chief rulers also many believed on him; but because of the Pharisees they did not confess him, lest they should be put out of the synagogue: ⁴⁴ For they loved the praise of men more than the praise of God.—*JOHN*, ch. 12.

2790. — — — *Method of. Christian.* ¹⁸ If thy brother shall trespass against thee, go and tell him his fault between thee and him alone: if he shall hear thee, thou hast gained thy brother. ¹⁹ But if he will not hear thee, then take with thee one or two more, that in the mouth of two or three witnesses every word may be established. ¹⁷ And if he shall neglect to hear them, tell it unto the church: but if he neglect to hear the church, let him be unto thee as a heathen man.—*MAT.*, ch. 18.

2791. — — — *Schismatic. Diotrephes.* ⁹ Diotrephes, who loveth to have the preeminence among them, receiveth us not. ¹⁰ ..prating against us with malicious words: and not content therewith, neither doth he himself receive the brethren, and forbiddeth them that would, and casteth them out of the church.—3 *JOHN*.

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Spiritual. Fan is in his hand..wheat..chaff 7781
Sinners. Blessed..when they shall separate 7783
by Sin. As a shepherd divideth his sheep..goats 7786
" Your iniquities have separated..your 7784
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2792. EXCUSE for Disobedience, No. *King Saul.* ¹⁵ The people spared the best of the sheep and of the oxen, to sacrifice unto the Lord..the rest we have utterly destroyed. ²² And Samuel said, Hath the Lord as great delight in burnt offerings and sacrifices, as in obeying the voice of the Lord? Behold, to obey is better than sacrifice, and to hearken than the fat of rams.—1 *SAM.*, ch. 15. [God had commanded a total destruction.]

2793. — — — *A false. Jonathan.* ²¹ Wherefore cometh not the son of Jesse to meat, neither yesterday, nor to day? ²² And Jonathan answered Saul, David earnestly asked leave of me to go to Beth-lehem.—1 *SAM.*, ch. 20. [He was near by.]

2794. — — — *The Idler's. Solomon.* ¹³ The slothful man saith, There is a lion without, I shall be slain in the streets.—*PROV.*, ch. 22.

2795. — — — *An inadequate. Golden Calf.*

²¹ Moses said unto Aaron, What did this people unto thee, that thou hast brought so great a sin upon them? ²² .they said unto me, Make us gods, which shall go before us: for *as for* this Moses..we wot not what is become of him.—*Ex.*, ch. 32.

2796. EXCUSES of Cavillers. Sabbath. ²³ If a man on the sabbath day receive circumcision, that the law of Moses should not be broken; are ye angry at me, because I have made a man every whit whole on the sabbath day?—*JOHN*, ch. 7.

2797. — Feeble. Parable. ¹ Friend, lend me three loaves; ² For a friend of mine in his journey is come to me, and I have nothing to set before him: ³ And he from within shall answer and say, Trouble me not: the door is now shut, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot rise and give thee?—*LUKE*, ch. 11.

2798. — for Indolence. Solomon. ¹⁶ The sluggard is wiser in his own conceit than seven men that can render a reason.—*PROV.*, ch. 26.

2799. — Loss from. Moses. ¹⁰ O my Lord, I am not eloquent, neither heretofore, nor since thou hast spoken unto thy servant; but I am slow of speech, and of a slow tongue. ¹⁴ And the anger of the Lord was kindled against Moses.—*Ex.*, ch. 4.

2800. — Worldly. Invited Guests. ¹⁸ They all with one consent began to make excuse. The first said, I have bought a piece of ground, and I must needs go and see it: I pray thee have me excused. ¹⁹ And another said, I have bought five yoke of oxen, and I go to prove them: I pray thee have me excused. ²⁰ And another said, I have married a wife, and therefore I cannot come.—*LUKE*, ch. 14.

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PARDON.

Unexpected. Woman..neither do I condemn thee 5850
Wise. There shall not a man be put to death 5951
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2801. EXHIBITION declined. Vashti. ¹⁰ On the seventh day, when the heart of the king was merry with wine, he commanded.. ¹¹ To bring Vashti the queen..to shew the people and the princes her beauty.. ¹² But the queen Vashti refused to come.—*ESTHER*, ch. 1.

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of Jesus. We will come unto him, and make our 5805
Piety. Because thou hast not withheld thy son 5806
Display. Ahasuerus the king make a feast 2409
Public. [Commands] Write them..on the posts 6289

2802. EXILE commanded. Abram. ¹ Get thee out of thy country, and from thy kindred, and from thy father's house, unto a land that I will shew thee: ² And I will make of thee a great nation.—*GEN.*, ch. 12.

2803. — A Criminal's. Absalom. ²¹ David

mourned for his son every day. ²⁸ So Absalom fled, and went to Geshur, and was there three years. ²⁹ .David..was comforted concerning Amnon, seeing he was dead.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 12.

2804. — An Infant. Jesus. ¹³ Angel of the Lord appeareth to Joseph in a dream, saying, Arise, and take the young child and his mother, and flee into Egypt, and be thou there until I bring thee word: for Herod will seek the young child to destroy him.—*MAT.*, ch. 2.

2805. — necessary. Jacob. ⁴¹ Rebekah..sent and called Jacob..and said..Behold, thy brother Esau..doth comfort himself, *purposing* to kill thee. ⁴² .flee thou to Laban my brother to Haran.—*GEN.*, ch. 27.

2806. — A painful. Joseph. ²³ Lifted up Joseph out of the pit, and sold Joseph to the Ishmaelites for twenty *pieces* of silver: and they brought Joseph into Egypt.—*GEN.*, ch. 37.

See other illustrations under:

BANISHMENT.

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Punishment. Whosoever will not do the law 630
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FOREIGNER.

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Discrimination. Every creditor..of a foreigner 3332
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Ineligible. King over them..not set a stranger. 3334

FOREIGNERS.

Increase. Israel were fruitful, and increased 3336
Jealousy. War, they join also unto our enemies 3336
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Mourning. By the rivers of Babylon..we wept 1026
Songless. How shall we sing the L.'s song? 1028
Sin. Walked in the sins..until removed 1029
" I..did evil..L. sold them..of the Philistines 384

2807. EXPECTATION crushed. Haman. ⁶ The king said unto him, What shall be done unto the man whom the king delighteth to honour? Now Haman thought in his heart, To whom would the king delight to do honour more than to myself? ¹⁰ Then the king said to Haman, Make haste, and take the apparel and the horse, as thou hast said, and do even so to Mordecai the Jew.—*ESTHER*, ch. 6.

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Fall. I am persuaded that neither death, nor life 558
Heavenly. We know if. earthly house be dissolved 559
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CONFIDENCE.

Believers. Though I walk through the valley 1518
Blind. Know I that the L..I have a priest 1519
Caution. They are smitten down..as at the first 1520
Disappointed. Ark came..I shouted..ark taken 1521
False. King [of Al] wist not..ambush 1522
Future. Doth deliver..trust he will deliver 1523
Intelligent. I know whom I have believed 1524
Joyful. How great is thy goodness..trust thee 1525
Over. Is thy servant a dog..do this? [Hazeal] 1526
Peril. Have the sentence of death..we trust 1527

Pity begets. L. was with Joseph..into his hand	1528
Strong. L. delight in us..fear them not	1529
Self. Peter said...I will lay down my life	1530
Triumphant. Although the fig tree shall not b.	1531
Unwarranted. Let two or three thousand go..Ai	1532
Unfortunate. Confidence...like a broken tooth and	1533
Undermining. Neither let Hez. make you trust..L.	1534
Warranted. L. is my rock. fortress. deliverer	1535

HOPE.

Abandoned. Martha saith..He hath been dead 4	4088
Deferred. While I am coming, another steppeth	4084
Deceptive. Think not...thou shalt escape in the	4085
Grave. My change come..I will answer thee	4086
Forlorn. Ark came into the camp, all I. shouted	4087
Ill-founded. The ark of God is taken by P.	4088
Joyful. Let the king and Haman come..glad	4089
Living. Begotten us..lively hope..inheritance	4090
Trials. We are..perplexed, but not cast down	4091
Triumphant. I am persuaded that neither..s.	4092

TRUST.

Active. Hezekiah clave to the L..rebelled against	9008
Courageous. Thou comest...I come...in the name	9009
Experience. L. who delivered me...the paw of..lion	9010
Egotists. Pharisee...I...I...I...I	9011
Fearless. Our G...is able to deliver us...furnace	9012
" Though I walk through the valley	9013
" The Lord is on my side, I will not fear	9014
Fixed. Though he slay me yet, will I trust	9015
Foolish. Bramble said...put your trust in my s.	9016
Honoured. Cried to G. in the battle...trust in him	9017
" Angel smote...Assyrians, 188,000	9018
Ill-timed. Let us fetch the ark...it may save us	9020
Providence. May boldly say, The L. is my helper	9021
Self. Philistine...saw David...dislained him	9022

2808. EXPEDIENCY, Influenced by. *Paul.*

"If we have sown unto you spiritual things, is it a great thing if we shall reap your carnal things?" "If others be partakers of this power over you, are not we rather? Nevertheless we have not used this power; but suffer all things, lest we should hinder the gospel of Christ.—1 Cor., ch. 8.

2809. EXPEDIENT, A strange. Absent Jesus.

Nevertheless I tell you the truth ; It is expedient for you that I go away : for if I go not away, the Comforter will not come unto you ; but if I depart, I will send him unto you.—
JOHN, ch. 16.

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MEANS.

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Insignificant. Touched he their eyes..eyes were	5259
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Prayer. We made our prayer..set a watch..day	5261
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Strange. Moses..rod of God..held up his hand	5263
" Sound of the trumpet..people shouted	5264
Use of. Think on me when it shall be well with thee	5265
Unworthy. If I make not thy life..went for his	5266

2910. EXPENSE of Royalty. *Provisions.*

23 Solomon's provision for one day was thirty measures of fine flour, and threescore measures of meal, 24 Ten fat oxen, and twenty oxen out of the pastures, and a hundred sheep, besides harts, and roebucks, and fallow-deer, and fatted fowl.—1 **KINGS**, ch. 4.

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COST.

Count. Master, I will follow thee whithersoever	1734
Counted. Gathered books, and burned..50,000 p.	1735
not Counted. Began to build, and was not able	1736
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Valuable. Bring me a morsel of meal..but a	3531
Rebuilding. 61,000 drams of gold, and 5000 pounds	8:39

PRICE.

Extortion. Esau sold his birthright unto Jacob	6550
of Perfection. Go sell..give..follow me	6551

Valued. Widow..cast more in than all	711
Contribution. I have given [\$94,101,560]	3514
Temple. [Costing nearly \$4,700,000,000]	4180

2811. EXPERIENCE, Confident. *Paul.* ¹³ I am not ashamed ; for I know whom I have believed, and am persuaded that he is able to keep that which I have committed unto him against that day.—2 Tim., ch. 1.

2812. — Growth in. Rod budded. * The man's rod, whom I shall choose, shall blossom. . . on the morrow Moses went into the tabernacle of witness; and, behold, the rod of Aaron . . . was budded, and brought forth buds, and bloomed blossoms, and yielded almonds.—Num., ch. 17.

2913. — Religious. *David.* 'I will bless the Lord at all times: his praise *shall* continually be in my mouth.' 'My soul shall make her boast in the Lord: the humble shall hear *thereof*, and be glad.' 'Oh magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt his name together.' 'I sought the Lord, and he heard me, and delivered me from all my fears.' — Ps. 34.

2914. — Typified. Three Feasts. [The passover, the atonement; a way of escape opened. ^b Pentecost, firstfruits; new birth, everything new. ^c Tabernacles, ingathering, memorial of the wilderness, indicating the finally perfected transformation to which we journey.] ¹⁶ Thou shalt keep the feast of unleavened bread : thou shalt eat unleavened bread seven days . . . in for in it thou camest out from Egypt : and none shall appear before me empty : ¹⁶ And the feast of harvest, the firstfruits of thy labours, which thou hast sown in the field : and the feast of ingathering, *which is* in the end of the year, when thou hast gathered in thy labours out of the field. — **Ex.** ch. 23.

2815. — **Testimony of Paul.** [Paul's conversion.—*Acts*, ch. 26.]

2816. — *Sympathetic. High Priest.* ¹⁵ We have not a high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities ; but was in all points tempted like as *we are*, yet without sin. ¹⁶ Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace.—**HEB.**, ch. 4.

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COMMUNION.

Invitation. I stand at the door..open..I will c. 1418
Mysterious. We will come..make our abode with 1414
Recorded. They that feared the L..book of r. 1417
Saints. No more..foreigners, but fellow citizens 1430
Walking. Enoch walked with God..God took 1421

CONVERSION.

Creation. New creature, old things passed away	1700
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Changes Life. Saul preached..Is not this he that 1708
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Evidencee. Lydia..besought us..Come into my 1705
False. Simon saw..H. G. given..offered money 1706
Genuine. Set meat..rejoiced, believing in G. 1707
Heart Work. Out of the heart..evil thoughts 1708
Hasty. See here is water; what doth hinder 1709
Inward. Pharisees make clean the outside of 1710
Mystery. Wind bloweth..canst not tell whence 1711
Necessity. Except a man be born of water and 1712
New Heart. God gave Saul another heart 1713
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Unwritten. The world itself could not contain the 3994
Warning. Some murmured..written for our 3995
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2617. EXPERIMENT, A dietetic. *Four Hebrews.* ¹² Prove thy servants..ten days; and let them give us pulse to eat, and water to drink. ¹³ Then let our countenances be looked upon before thee, and the countenance of the children that eat of the portion of the king's meat.—**DAN.**, ch. 1.

2618. — Faith's. *Peter.* ²⁹ He walked on the water, to go to Jesus. ³⁰ But when he saw the wind boisterous, he was afraid; and beginning to sink, he cried, saying, Lord, save me.—**MAT.**, ch. 14.

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TEST.

Benevolence. One thing thou lackest..go sell..give 8726
Character. Ye shall not eat of it [tree] lest ye die 8727
Diet. Give us pulse to eat, and water to drink 8728
Exact. It was at the same hour..Jesus said..son 8729
Lord's. Man's rod whom I shall choose, shall b. 8730
Needful. Girded his sword..I have not proved their 8731
Obedience. That saith, I know him, and keepeth 8732
Password. Say now, Shibboleth..said Shibboleth 8733
Prayer. Call ye upon the name of your gods 8734
Question. Certain lawyer..tempted him, saying 8735
Severe. Take now..thine only son..burnt offering 8736
Trials. To know whether they would hearken 8737
 " That they which are approved..made m. 8738

TOUCH.

Healing. She came behind, and touched 8856
 " Laid the sick in the streets..might 8857

TRIAL.

Character. Saw the Egyptians dead..feared the L. 8914
 " Midst of the sea..Waters were a wall 8915
Faith. More precious than gold..tried in the fire 8916
Impenitence. Thy sons..as a wild bull in a net 8917
Life. But of the tree..shalt not eat 8918
Mock. Council sought for witness against Jesus 8919
Proportioned. G. led them not..way of the P. 8920
Stubbornness. In the time of his distress..trespass 8921

VENTURE.

Believers. Went into the midst of the sea..waters 9185
Shot. Drew a bow at a venture and smote the 9186
See EXPERIENCE.

2619. EXPLANATION, A false. *Chief Priests.* ¹² Gave large money unto the soldiers, ¹³ Saying, Say ye, His disciples came by night, and stole him away while we slept.—**MAT.**, ch. 28.

2620. EXPLANATIONS hereafter. *Lord's Doing.* 'Peter saith unto him, Lord, dost thou wash my feet? 'Jesus answered..What I do

thou knowest not now; but thou shalt know hereafter.—**JOHN**, ch. 13.

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EXCUSE.

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False. Wherefore cometh not..[David] to meat 2733
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Caviller's. Angry..made a man..whole on the s. 2736
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Indolence. Sluggard is wiser..render a reason 2738
Loss. I am slow of speech..anger of the Lord 2739
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Nature. Like a grain of mustard seed..groweth 4323
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INSTRUCTION.

Better than Practice. Not move one of their fingers 4541
Children. Teach them [law] thy sons..sons' sons 4542
Course. Three years..might stand before the king 4543
Humble. A. and Priscilla..expounded unto 4544
Important. Heareth, and understandeth it not 4545
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Personal. [See No. 4544.]
Public. Ezra brought the law..all that could hear 4548
Private. Came man to him [Paul] into his lodging 4549

2621. EXPULSION, Ecclesiastical. *Method.*

¹⁷ If he shall neglect to hear them, tell *it* unto the church: but if he neglect to hear the church, let him be unto thee as a heathen man.—**MAT.**, ch. 18.

2622. — by Persecution. *From Antioch.*

²⁰ The Jews stirred up the devout and honourable women, and the chief men of the city, and raised persecution against Paul and Barnabas, and expelled them out of their coasts. ²¹ But they shook off the dust of their feet against them.—**ACTS**, ch. 13.

2623. — of Sinners. *Paradise.* ²⁴ He drove out the man: and he placed at the east of the garden of Eden cherubim, and a flaming sword which turned every way, to keep the way of the tree of life.—**GEN.**, ch. 3.

2624. — A vigorous. *Nehemiah.* ²⁷ Shall we then hearken unto you to do all this great evil, to transgress against our God in marrying strange wives? ²⁸ And one of the sons of Joiada..was son in law to Sanballat the Horonite: therefore I chased him from me.—**NEH.**, ch. 13.

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EXCOMMUNICATION.

Avoided. His parents..feared the Jews..put out 2737
Bigots. Dost thou teach us? and they cast him 2738
Feared. Did not confess him, lest they should be 2739
Method. If he neglect to hear the church..heathen 2739
Schismatic. Diotrephes..casteth them out of the 2739

EXILE.

Command. [Abram] Get thee out of thy country 2802
Criminal. David mourned for [Amnon]..Absalom 2803
Infant. Take the young child..mother..Egypt 2804
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Return. Return to Zion with songs 1038
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Sinners. Blessed..when they shall separate	7888
by sin. As a shepherd divided his sheep..goats	7789
" Your iniquities have separated	7784

2825. EXTERMINATION, Bloody. Amalek.
 'Thus saith the Lord of hosts, I remember that which Amalek did to Israel, how he laid wait for him in the way, when he came up from Egypt.
 'Now go and smite Amalek, and utterly destroy all that they have, and..slay both man and woman, infant and suckling, ox and sheep, camel and ass.—1 SAM., ch. 15.

2826. — of the Wicked. Ahab's Sons.
 'Now the king's sons, being seventy persons, were with the great men of the city, which brought them up. 'when the letter came to them..slew seventy persons, and put their heads in baskets, and sent him them to Jezreel.—2 KINGS, ch. 10.

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CALAMITY.

Destructive. Wall fell upon 27,000 men that were of God. Earth opened her mouth, and swallowed	906
Hardened. I have smitten you with blasting	906
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Misjudged. Tower in Siloam fell, think. they	1002
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" Judah cast [10,000 men of Sier] from the	1858
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Intended. Letters were sent by post..to destroy	5249
Infants. Herod..slew all the children..in Bethlehem	5250
Treacherous. Jehu said, Proclaim an assembly for	5251

2827. EXTERNALS overestimated. Pharisee.
 'He marvelled that he had not first washed before dinner. 'And the Lord said unto him, Now do ye Pharisees make clean the outside of the cup and the platter; but your inward part is full of ravening and wickedness.—LUKE, ch. 11.

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DISGUISE.

Battle. Ahab said, I will disguise myself	2332
Failure. Ahijah said, Come in, wife of Jeroboam	2333
Insufficient. Saul disguised himself [to visit witch]	2334
Penetrated. Is not the hand of Joab in this?	2335

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Fashion. Abaz went to Damascus..fashion..altar	290
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Public. If any man see thee at meat in the idol's	1558
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2828. EXTORTION, Extraordinary. Jacob.
 'Feed me, I pray thee, with that same red potage; for I am faint. 'And Jacob said, Sell me this day thy birthright. 'And Esau said, Be-

hold, I am at the point to die: and what profit shall this birthright do to me?—GEN., ch. 25.

2829. — Pious. Pharisees. 'Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye make clean the outside of the cup and of the platter, but within they are full of extortion and excess.—MAT., ch. 23.

2830. — rebuked. By Nehemiah. 'We have borrowed money for the king's tribute, and that upon our lands and vineyards. 'now our flesh is as the flesh of our brethren, our children as their children: and lo, we bring into bondage our sons and our daughters. 'Also I shook my lap, and said, So God shake out every man from his house, and from his labour, that performeth not this promise.—NEH., ch. 5.

2831. EXTORTIONERS, Separation from. Paul.
 'Now I have written unto you not to keep company, if any man that is called a brother be a fornicator, or covetous, or an idolater, or a railer, or a drunkard, or an extortioner; with such a one no not to eat.—1 COR., ch. 5.

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2832. EXTRAVAGANCE regretted. Herod.
 'Give me..in a charger the head of John the Baptist. 'And the king was exceeding sorry; yet for his oath's sake, and for their sakes which sat with him, he would not reject her.—MARK, ch. 1.

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FANATICISM.

Accused. His friends said..He is beside himself	3036
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Bravado. I will give thy flesh to the fowls [Goliath]	920
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Prodigality. Wasted his substance in riotous	6625
Royalty. Solomon's provision for one day was	2807
Vanity. I builded me houses..gardens, orchards	7422
Wealth. Rich man..fared sumptuously every day	7382

2833. EXTREMITY, Christ in. Sea. 'As they sailed, he fell asleep: and there came down a storm of wind on the lake; and they were filled with water, and were in jeopardy. 'And they..awoke him, saying, Master, Master, we perish. Then he arose, and rebuked the wind and the raging of the water: and they ceased, and there was a calm.—LUKE, ch. 8.

2834. — Deliverance in. *Abraham.* ¹³ Abraham looked, and behold, behind him a ram caught in a thicket by his horns. took the ram and offered him up for a burnt offering in the stead of his son.—*GEN.*, ch. 22.

2835. — Help in. *Food.* [See below.] ¹³ And Elijah said unto her, Fear not. make me there of a little cake first. and after make for thee and for thy son. ¹⁴ For thus saith the Lord God of Israel, The barrel of meal shall not waste, neither shall the cruse of oil fail.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 17.

2836. — The last. *Widow of Zarephath.* ¹³ I have not a cake, but a handful of meal in a barrel, and a little oil in a cruse: and, behold, I am gathering two sticks, that I may go in and dress it for me and my son, that we may eat it, and die.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 17.

2837. — A reversed. *Haman.* ¹¹ Then took Haman the apparel and the horse, and arrayed Mordecai, and brought him on horseback through the street of the city, and proclaimed before him, Thus shall it be done unto the man whom the king delighteth to honour.—*ESTHER*, ch. 6.

2838. — An unexpected. *Abhorred of Pharaoh.* ³⁰ They met Moses and Aaron. as they came forth from Pharaoh: ³¹ said unto them, The Lord look upon you, and judge; because ye have made our savour to be abhorred in the eyes of Pharaoh, and in the eyes of his servants, to put a sword in their hand to slay us.—*EX.*, ch. 5.

2839. — Victorious in. *At Red Sea.* ¹³ Moses said. Fear ye not, stand still, and see the salvation of the Lord. for the Egyptians whom ye have seen to day, ye shall see them again no more for ever. ¹⁴ The Lord shall fight for you, and ye shall hold your peace. ²⁰ and Israel saw the Egyptians dead upon the sea shore.—*EX.*, ch. 14.

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DESPERATION.

Boldness. I will go in unto the king. If I perish	2218
Effort. Why sit we here till we die?	2219
Sinners. Saul inquired of the L. answered him	2220
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Charity. Disciples determined to send relief	3023
Care. Shall eat bread by weight. water by	3024
Dying. Eaten no bread. three days. sick	3025
Distress. Delicate woman. children. eat them	3026
Exiled. Sojourn wherever thou canst. seven	3027
Escape. Abram went down into Egypt. famine	3028
Emigration. Elimelech went to sojourn in	3029
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Sin. I will break the staff of bread	3031
" Ye have forsaken the. L. and followed	3032
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Water. To kill us and our children. cattle	3035

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Assassins. Jews bound themselves. had killed	6057
Fasting. Fourteenth day ye have. continued f.	6058
Imminent. There is but a step between me and d.	6059
Prayer. Master, we perish. rebuked the wind	6060
Sleeping. Jonah was fast asleep. Arise, call. God	6061
Time. Egyptians marched after them. sore afraid	6062
Voluntary. The three brake through the host of P.	6063
" Sinful. Shall I drink the blood of these	6064
Many Perils. Thrice was I beaten with rods, once	6065

2840. EXTREMES in Superstition. Melitans. ⁴ When the barbarians saw the venomous beast hang on his hand, they said among themselves, No doubt this man is a murderer, whom, though he hath escaped the sea, yet vengeance suffereth not to live. ⁵ And he shook off the beast into the fire, and felt no harm. ⁶ but after they had looked a great while, and saw no harm come to him, they changed their minds, and said that he was a god.—*ACTS*, ch. 28.

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Meet. Beggar at his gate. crumbs. rich man's	6303
Separate. Beggar died. angels. rich man. hell	5156

2841. EYE, Guidance by the. Discipline. ⁶ I will instruct thee and teach thee in the way which thou shalt go: I will guide thee with mine eye. ⁹ Be ye not as the horse, or as the mule, which have no understanding: whose mouth must be held in with bit and bridle.—*PS.* 32.

2842. — Guarding the. *Christ.* ²⁸ Whosoever looketh on a woman to lust after her hath committed adultery with her already in his heart.—*MAT.*, ch. 5.

2843. — affects the Heart, The. *Jesus.* ³⁸ Healing every sickness and every disease among the people. ³⁹ when he saw the multitudes, he was moved with compassion on them, because they fainted, and were scattered abroad, as sheep having no shepherd.—*MAT.*, ch. 9.

2844. — Importance of the. *Jesus.* ²² The light of the body is the eye: if therefore thine eye be single, thy whole body shall be full of light. ²³ But if thine eye be evil, thy whole body shall be full of darkness. If therefore the light that is in thee be darkness, how great is that darkness!—*MAT.*, ch. 6.

2845. — Power of the. *Trial of Christ.* ⁶⁰ Peter said, Man, I know not what thou sayest. And immediately, while he yet spake, the cock crew. ⁶¹ And the Lord turned, and looked upon Peter. And Peter remembered. how he had said unto him, Before the cock crew, thou shalt deny me thrice. ⁶² And Peter went out, and wept bitterly.—*LUKE*, ch. 22.

2846. — The spiritual. *Single.* ³⁴ The light of the body is the eye: therefore when thine eye is single, thy whole body also is full of light; but when thine eye is evil, thy body also is full of darkness. ³⁵ Take heed therefore that the light which is in thee be not darkness.—*LUKE*, ch. 11.

2847. EYES blinded, Spiritual. Heathen. ¹¹ Gentiles walk, in the vanity of their mind, ¹² Having the understanding darkened, being alienated from the life of God through the ignorance that is in them, because of the blindness of their heart.—*EPH.*, ch. 4.

2848. — dimmed by Age. *Isaac.* ¹ When Isaac was old, and his eyes were dim, so that he could not see, he called Esau. My son, go out to the field, and take me some venison.—*GEN.*, ch. 27.

2849. — dazzled. *Saul.* ¹¹ I could not see for the glory of that light, being led by the hand. I came into Damascus.—*ACTS*, ch. 22.

2850. — Danger through the. *At Sinai.* ¹¹ Go down, charge the people, lest they break through unto the Lord to gaze, and many of them perish.—*EX.*, ch. 19.

2851. — Divinely enlightened. *Hagar*.¹⁰ God opened her eyes, and she saw a well of water; and she went, and filled the bottle with water, and gave the lad drink.—*GEN.*, ch. 21.

2852. — Extinguishment of. *Reproach*.¹ The men of Jabesh said unto Nahash, Make a covenant with us, and we will serve thee. ² And Nahash the Ammonite answered them, On this condition will I make a covenant with you, that I may thrust out all your right eyes, and lay it for a reproach upon all Israel.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 11.

2853. — — *Samson*.²¹ The Philistines took him, and put out his eyes, and brought him down to Gaza, and bound him with fetters of brass; and he did grind in the prison house.—*JUDGES*, ch. 16.

2854. — holden, *The. To Emmaus*.¹⁵ While they communed together and reasoned, Jesus himself drew near, and went with them. ¹⁶ But their eyes were holden that they should not know him.—*LUKE*, ch. 24.

2855. — for the Invisible. *At Dothan*.¹⁷ Elisha prayed, and said, Lord, I pray thee, open his eyes, that he may see. And the Lord opened the eyes of the young man; and he saw: and, behold, the mountain was full of horses and chariots of fire round about Elisha.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 6.

2856. — Imperfect. *Jesus*.²³ When he had spit on his eyes, and put his hands upon him, he asked him if he saw aught. ²⁴ .said, I see men as trees, walking.—*MARK*, ch. 8.

2857. — perfected. *Jesus*.²⁶ After that he put his hands again upon his eyes, and made him look up; and he was restored, and saw every man clearly.—*MARK*, ch. 8.

2858. — restored. *Ananias said*,¹⁷ Brother Saul, the Lord, even Jesus, hath sent me, that thou mightest receive thy sight, and be filled with the Holy Ghost. ¹⁸ And immediately there fell from his eyes as it had been scales: and he received sight forthwith.—*ACTS*, ch. 9.

2859. — smitten. *By Angels*.¹⁰ Put forth their hand, and pulled Lot into the house to them, and shut to the door. ¹¹ And they smote the men that were at the door of the house with blindness, both small and great: so that they wearied themselves to find the door.—*GEN.*, ch. 19.

2860. — Temptation through. *Abram*.¹¹ He said unto Sarai his wife, Behold now, I know that thou art a fair woman. ¹² Therefore, when the Egyptians shall see thee, that they shall say, This is his wife: and they will kill me, but they will save thee alive.—*GEN.*, ch. 12.

2861. — — *Eve*.⁶ When the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was pleasant to the eyes, and a tree to be desired to make one wise.—*GEN.*, ch. 3.

2862. — unimpaired by Age. *Moses*.⁷ Moses was a hundred and twenty years old when he died: his eye was not dim.—*DEUT.*, ch. 34.

2863. — unveiled. *Christian's*.¹⁶ The veil shall be taken away. ¹⁸ .we all, with open face beholding as in a glass the glory of the Lord, are changed into the same image from glory to glory, even as by the Spirit of the Lord.—*2 COR.*, ch. 3.

2864. — unsatisfied. *Solomon*.²⁰ Hell and destruction are never full; so the eyes of man are never satisfied.—*PROV.*, ch. 27.

2865. — Weak. *Vail*.¹³ Moses put a vail over his face, that the children of Israel could not steadfastly look to the end of that which is abolished: ¹⁴ But their minds were blinded.—*2 COR.*, ch. 3.

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APPEARANCES.

Conceal. Joseph made himself strange unto them 474
Evil. Lest we should offend. take up a fish 475
False. Walk in long robes, and love greetings 476
Hurtful. Be emboldened to eat those things 477
Uncertain. Man looketh on the outward 478

BLIND.

Believing. Believe ye that I am able to do this? 827
Delivered. Made clay of the spittle. anointed the 828
Led. Follow me. led them to Samaria 829
Restored. When he had spit on his eyes. restored 830

BLINDNESS.

Age. Isaac was old. eyes were dim 831
Affecting. Slew the sons. before his eyes. put out 832
Brightness. I could not see for the glory. light 833
Bondage. P. put out Samson's eyes. prison 834
Bigots. Thou hast a devil. Abraham is dead 835
Disqualifies. Let him not offer the bread of his G. 836
Inflicted. Angels smote the men. at the door 837
Infirmity. Abijah could not see. eyes were set 838
Judicial. He hath blinded their eyes and hardened 839
Leadership. Woe unto you, ye blind guides. 840
Protected. Not put a stumblingblock before the b. 841
Prejudice. Moses put a vail. remaineth the same 842
Relief. Bartimeus said, L. my sight. thy faith 843
Ruin. Are hid from thine eyes. days shall come 844
Removed. L. open the eyes of these men. Samaria 845
Satan. Knowest thou not yet. E. is destroyed? 846
Spiritual. Understanding darkened. blindness of 847
Unconscious. Pharisees said, Are we blind also? 848
Visitation. There fell upon Elymas a mist. darkness 849

LOOK.

Life. When he beheld the serpent of brass, he l. 5056
Reproof. L. turned and looked upon Peter 5057
Trouble. L. looked through. troubled the Egyp'ts 5058

SEEING.

Partial. Woman saw that the tree was good for f. 7654
Proof. G. hath given one to sit on my throne. eyes 7655
Unsatisfactory. Eye is not satisfied with seeing 7656
Vexatious. Lot. wicked. seeing and hearing 7657

VANITY.

Forbidden. Be not called rabbi. are brethren 9160
Humbled. Haman arrayed Mordecai. proclaimed 9162
Punished. Hezekiah showed them all. silver 9161
Religious. To be seen. garments. love greetings 9163

Adornment. Women adorn themselves. not with 106
Concealment. Adulterer walteth. twilight. no eye 111
Display. Ahasuerus made a feast. hangings 2409

2866. *FACE an Index, The. Nehemiah*.¹ I took up the wine, and gave it unto the king. Now I had not been beforetime sad in his presence. ² Wherefore the king said unto me, Why is thy countenance sad, seeing thou art not sick? this is nothing else but sorrow of heart.—*NEH.*, ch. 2.

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COURTENANCE.

Angry. Nebuchadnezzar was full of wrath 1757
Bold. [Gadites] Faces were like the faces of lions 1758
Changed. Belshazzar's countenance was changed 1759

Illuminated. Stephen's face, as it had been the 1760
 Prayer changed. Countenance was altered 1761
 Power. Iron sharpeneth iron..countenance of his 1762
 Reveals. Cain..Why is thy countenance fallen? 1763
 Sad. Why is thy countenance sad?...sorrow of 1764
 Sins. Countenance doth witness..sin of Sodom 1765
 Sullen. Jacob beheld the countenance of Laban 1766
 Shining. Moses wist not that..his face shone 1767
 Terrifying. Angel..his countenance was..very t. 1768
 Withdrawn. Let Absalom not see my face 46

2867. FAILURE, Avoiding. Building.
 "Which of you, intending to build a tower, sitteth not down first, and counteth the cost, whether he have sufficient to finish it?" "Lest haply, after he hath laid the foundation, and is not able to finish it, all that behold it begin to mock him, "Saying, This man began to build, and was not able to finish.—LUKE, ch. 14.

2868. — of Cruelty. Egyptians. "Therefore they did set over them taskmasters to afflict them with their burdens.. "But the more they afflicted them, the more they multiplied and grew.—EX., ch. 1.

2869. — Complaint in. Moses. "Lord, wherefore hast thou so evil entreated this people? why is it that thou hast sent me?" "For since I came to Pharaoh to speak in thy name, he hath done evil to this people; neither hast thou delivered thy people at all.—EX., ch. 5.

2870. — of the Church. Evil Spirit. "Wheresoever he taketh him, he teareth him; and he foameth, and gnasheth with his teeth, and pineth away: and I spake to thy disciples that they should cast him out; and they could not.—MARK, ch. 9.

2871. — Discouraging. Israelites. "Ye shall not minish ought from your bricks of your daily task. "And they met Moses and Aaron.. as they came forth from Pharaoh: "And they said..ye have made our savour to be abhorred in the eyes of Pharaoh, and in the eyes of his servants, to put a sword in their hand to slay us.—EX., ch. 5.

2872. — A disheartening. Fishers. "Let down your nets for a draught. "And Simon.. said.. Master, we have toiled all the night, and have taken nothing: nevertheless at thy word I will let down the net.—LUKE, ch. 5.

2873. — explained. The Church. "When he was come into the house, his disciples asked him privately, Why could not we cast him out?" "And he said unto them, This kind can come forth by nothing, but by prayer and fasting.—MARK, ch. 9.

2874. — through Fear. Spies. "Is a land that eateth up the inhabitants thereof; and all the people..are men of a great stature. "And there we saw the giants, the sons of Anak ..and we were in our own sight as grasshoppers, and so we were in their sight.—NUM., ch. 13. "In this wilderness..they shall die.—NUM., ch. 14.

2875. — An irremediable. Foolish Virgins. "While they went to buy, the bridegroom came; and they that were ready went in with him to the marriage: and the door was shut. "Afterward came also the other virgins, saying, Lord, lord, open to us.—MAT., ch. 25.

2876. — An ominous. Haman. "Haman

told Zeresh his wife and all his friends every thing that had befallen him. Then said his wise men and Zeresh..unto him, If Mordecai be of the seed of the Jews, before whom thou hast begun to fall, thou shalt not prevail against him, but shalt surely fall before him.—ESTHER, ch. 6.

2877. — A providential. Babel. "Let us go down, and there confound their language, that they may not understand one another's speech. "So the Lord scattered them abroad from thence upon the face of all the earth: and they left off to build the city.—GEN., ch. 11.

2878. — ridiculed. Unfinished. [See No. 2867.]

2879. — A temporary. Moses. "Thus saith the Lord God of Israel, Let my people go.. "And Pharaoh said, Who is the Lord, that I should obey his voice to let Israel go? I know not the Lord, neither will I let Israel go.—EX., ch. 5.

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DEFEAT.

Angered. Elihu saw..was no answer..wrath 2098
 Conspirators. Entangle him..marvelled, and left 2099
 Desperation. Not able to resist the wisdom and 2100
 Humiliating. Men of Aismote..Joshua rent 2101
 Predicted. Will flee upon..horses, therefore shall 2102
 Providential. L. did confound the language 2103

DISAPPOINTMENT.

Doubt. Heard that he was alive..believed not 2315
 Gifts. S. gave Hiram 20 cities..pleased him not 2316
 Good. They have taken..Lord out of the s. 2317
 Humiliating. Prison truly..shut..no man there 2318
 Ignorance. No place of seed..figs..vines 2319
 Judgment. Thou hast taught in our streets 2320
 Misjudged. We trusted it had been he..saved I. 2321
 Maternal. I have gotten a man [murderer] from 2322
 Many. Sown much, and bring in little 2323
 Perplexing. King of Syria sore troubled 2324
 Religion. Have wanted all things..consumed 2324
 Unendurable. Ahithophel..hanged himself 2325

DISCOURAGEMENT.

Contrast. But as for me, my feet were almost gone 2346
 Defeat. Would to God we had been content 2347
 Evildoers. I am..weak, though anointed king 2348
 Failure. Neither hast thou delivered thy people 2349
 " We have tolled all the night, and taken 2350
 Mismanagement. Men of Aismote 36 men 2351
 Ministerial. Some fell on stony ground..thorns 2353
 Needless. They that be with us are more..with 2353
 Overcome. He answered her not a word 2359
 Reproved. Yet I have left me 7000 in I. 2354
 Trials. I am not able to bear all this people..too 2355
 Unbelief. Been better to have served the Egyptians 2356
 Unreasonable. Wherefore have ye brought us out 2357
 Without. We faint not..though our outward man 2358

INSOLVENCY.

Confessed. Have patience with me, I will pay 4534
 Forgiveness. Had nothing to pay, he frankly forgave 4535

LOSS.

Absence. Thomas..was not with them when Jesus 5063
 Authority. I called my servant, he gave me no a. 5064
 Accidental. Axe head fell into the water..alas 5065
 Delay. While I am coming, another steppeth in 5066
 Discovery. Found him not..found him in the t. 5067
 Irreparable. The ark of God was taken by the P. 5068
 Irrecoverable. If the salt hath lost its savour 5069
 Ignorance. Hearath the word..understandeth..not 5070

of losses. Gain the whole world, and lose his own 5071
Love. I have somewhat against thee. . . repent 5072
Profit and. What is a man advantaged if . . . lose h. 5073
Zal. Thou shouldst have smitten five or six times 5074

LOSSES.

Accountability. I bear the loss, whether stolen or 5075
Restored. L. blessed the latter end of Job more 5076

OMISSION.

Cursed. Curse ye, Meroz. . . came not up to the help 5875
Deception. If any man be a hearer. . . not a doer 5876
Great. When saw we thee a hungered. . . not minister 5877
Inexcusable. These shall go. . . everlasting punish't 5878
Nobles. Put not their necks to the work of the L. 5879
Sin. Ye pay tithe of mint. . . omitted weighter 5880
See NEGLECT.

2880. FAINT, yet pursuing. *Four Hundred.*
10 David pursued, he and four hundred men :
for two hundred abode behind, which were so
faint that they could not go over the brook Besor.
11 And David recovered all that the Amalekites
had carried away.—1 SAM., ch. 30.

2881. — Strength for the. *Eagles.* 20 Even
the youths shall faint and be weary, and the
young men shall utterly fall : 21 But they that
wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength ;
they shall mount up with wings as eagles ; they
shall run, and not be weary ; and they shall walk,
and not faint.—ISA., ch. 40.

2882. FAINTING from Hunger. *Pursuing
Philistines.* 24 The men of Israel were distressed
that day : for Saul had adjured the people, say-
ing, Cursed be the man that eateth any food until
evening, that I may be avenged on mine enemies.
So none of the people tasted any food.—1 SAM.,
ch. 14.

2883. — Preserved from. *David.* 12 False
witnesses are risen up against me, and such as
breathe out cruelty. 13 I had fainted, unless I
had believed to see the goodness of the Lord in
the land of the living. 14 Wait on the Lord : be
of good courage, and he shall strengthen thine
heart : wait, I say, on the Lord.—PS. 27.

2884. — — Renewed. 16 For which
cause we faint not ; but though our outward man
perish, yet the inward man is renewed day by
day.—2 COR., ch. 4.

2885. — a Weakness. *Adversity.* 10 If thou
faint in the day of adversity, thy strength is
small.—PROV., ch. 24.

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WEAK.

Care. Whoso shall offend one of these little ones 9301
" Take heed . . . stumblingblock to them. . . weak 9302
Help. If there be no man to save us, we will 9303

WEAKNESS.

Believers. Babes in Christ. . . not able to bare meat 9304
" Lest the people repent. . . return to 9305
Conscious. I am. . . weak, though anointed king 9306
Flesh. Moses' hands were heavy. . . stayed up his 9307
Instruments. L. sent flies. . . land was corrupted 9308
Moral. Peter separated. . . fearing them of the 9309
Personal. He that abideth in me bringeth forth 9400
Remembered. I was with you in weakness 9401
Submission. Ahab said, I am thine, and all that I 9402
Spiritless. All the kings. . . their heart melted 9403
" Al smote. . . hearts of the people melted 9404
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2886. FAITH with Action. *Ten Lepers.*
11 Lifted up their voices, and said, Jesus, Master,

have mercy on us. 14 And. . . he said unto them,
Go shew yourselves unto the priests. And. . . as
they went, they were cleansed.—LUKE, ch. 17.

2887. — Armour of. *Breastplate.* 8 Let us,
who are of the day, be sober, putting on the
breastplate of faith and love ; and for a helmet,
the hope of salvation.—1 THESS., ch. 5.

2888. — Basis of. *Paul.* 4 My preaching
was not with enticing words of man's wisdom,
but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power :
5 That your faith should not stand in the wisdom
of men, but in the power of God.—1 COR., ch. 2.

2889. — Bible inspires. *Bereans.* 11 Were
more noble than those in Thessalonica, in that
they received the word with all readiness of
mind, and searched the Scriptures daily, whether
those things were so. 12 Therefore many of them
believed.—ACTS, ch. 17.

2890. — Boundless. *Martha.* 22 I know,
that even now, whatsoever thou wilt ask of God,
God will give it thee. 23 Jesus saith unto her,
Thy brother shall rise again.—JOHN, ch. 11.

2891. — benefited by Trial. *Joy.* 2 My
brethren, count it all joy when ye fall into divers
temptations ; 3 Knowing this, that the trying of
your faith worketh patience. 4 But let patience
have her perfect work, that ye may be perfect
and entire, wanting nothing.—JAMES, ch. 1.

2892. — Condition of. *Sceptics.* 29 They
that passed by reviled him, wagging their heads,
40 And saying, Thou that destroyest the temple,
and buildest it in three days, save thyself. If
thou be the Son of God, come down from the
cross.—MAT., ch. 27.

2893. — confessed. *In Egypt.* 20 Aaron
spake all the words. . . and did the signs in the
sight of the people. 21 And the people believed :
and when they heard that the Lord had visited
the children of Israel, and that he had looked
upon their affliction, then they bowed their
heads and worshipped.—EX., ch. 4.

2894. — confirmed. *Samaritans.* 41 Many
more believed because of his own word ; 42 And
said unto the woman, Now we believe, not be-
cause of thy saying : for we have heard him our-
selves, and know that this is indeed the Christ.
—JOHN, ch. 4.

2895. — Conditioned by. *Eunuch.* 26 See,
here is water ; what doth hinder me to be baptiz-
ed ? 27 And Philip said, If thou believest with
all thine heart, thou mayest. And he answered
and said, I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son
of God.—ACTS, ch. 8.

2896. — Courageous. *Five Stones.* 40 He took
his staff in his hand, and chose him five smooth
stones out of the brook, and put them in a
shepherd's bag. . . and his sling was in his hand :
and he drew near to the Philistine. 45 Then said
David. . . Thou comest to me with a sword, and
with a spear, and with a shield : but I come to
thee in the name of the Lord.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

2897. — conquers Death. *To Martha.* 29 He
hath been dead four days. 40 Jesus saith unto
her, Said I not unto thee, that, if thou wouldst
believe, thou shouldst see the glory of God ?
43 And. . . he cried with a loud voice, Lazarus,
come forth.—JOHN, ch. 11.

2898. — distant Object of. *Christ.* 24 Christ
is not entered into the holy places made with

hands, *which are* the figures of the true; but into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God for us.—*HEB.* ch. 9.

2899. — *A dead. Without Works.* ¹⁵ If a brother or sister be naked, and destitute of daily food, ¹⁶ And one of you say unto them, Depart in peace, be ye warmed and filled; notwithstanding ye give them not... what doth it profit? ¹⁷ Even so faith, if it hath not works, is dead.—*JAMES*, ch. 2.

2900. — *No Difficulties with. Aged Abram.* ⁵ Look now toward heaven, and tell the stars, if thou be able to number them: and he said unto him, So shall thy seed be. ⁶ And he believed in the Lord.—*GEN.*, ch. 15.

2901. — *Degrees of. Peter.* [See Nos. 2911 and 2973.]

2902. — *A defective. Disables.* ¹⁹ Then came the disciples to Jesus apart, and said, Why could not we cast him out? ²⁰ And Jesus said unto them, Because of your unbelief.—*MAT.*, ch. 17.

2903. — *removes Difficulties. Mountains.* ²⁰ Jesus said, If ye have faith as a grain of mustard seed, ye shall say unto this mountain, Remove hence to yonder place; and it shall remove: and nothing shall be impossible unto you.—*MAT.*, ch. 17.

2904. — *An evangelical. Abel.* ³ Cain brought of the fruit of the ground an offering unto the Lord. ⁴ And Abel, he also brought of the firstlings of his flock and of the fat thereof. And the Lord had respect unto Abel and to his offering.—*GEN.*, ch. 4.

2905. — *by Evidence. Wine.* ¹¹ This beginning of miracles did Jesus in Cana of Galilee, and manifested forth his glory; and his disciples believed on him.—*JOHN*, ch. 2.

2906. — *exemplified. Law.* ³ If his offering be a burnt sacrifice of the herd, he shall offer it of his own voluntary will at the door of the tabernacle. ⁴ And he shall put his hand upon the head of the burnt offering; and it shall be accepted for him to make atonement for him. ⁵ And he shall kill the bullock before the Lord.—*LEV.*, ch. 1.

2907. — *Effort of. Withered Hand.* ¹³ Then saith he to the man, Stretch forth thine hand. And he stretched it forth; and it was restored whole, like as the other.—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

2908. — *encouraged. Cloud.* ⁴⁴ He said, Behold, there ariseth a little cloud out of the sea, like a man's hand. And he said, Go up, say unto Ahab, Prepare thy chariot, and get thee down, that the rain stop thee not.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 18.

2909. — *faltering. Abraham.* ¹¹ He said unto Sarai his wife, Behold now, I know that thou art a fair woman. ¹² Therefore, when the Egyptians shall see thee, they shall say, This is his wife: and they will kill me, but they will save thee alive. ¹³ Say, thou art my sister.—*GEN.*, ch. 12.

2910. — *and Fear. Spies.* [Caleb said,] ⁹ Only rebel not ye against the Lord, neither fear ye the people of the land; for they are bread for us: their defence is departed from them, and the Lord is with us: fear them not. ¹⁰ But all the congregation bade stone them with stones.—*NUM.*, ch. 14.

2911. — *A failing. Peter.* [See No. 2973.]

²⁰ When he saw the wind boisterous, he was afraid; and beginning to sink, he cried, saying, Lord, save me. ³¹ And immediately Jesus caught him, and said, O thou of little faith, wherefore didst thou doubt?—*MAT.*, ch. 14.

2912. — *Healed by. Forty Years Lame.* ¹⁶ Through faith in his name, hath made this man strong, whom ye see and know: yea, the faith which is by him hath given him this perfect soundness in the presence of you all.—*ACTS*, ch. 8.

2913. — *honoured. Nobleman.* ⁴⁹ Sir, come down ere my child die. ⁵⁰ Jesus saith, Go thy way; thy son liveth. And the man believed the word that Jesus had spoken unto him, and went his way. ⁵¹ His servants met him, and told him, saying, Thy son liveth.—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

2914. — *Healing by. Leper.* ¹² A man full of leprosy, fell on his face, and besought him, saying, Lord, if thou wilt, thou canst make me clean. ¹³ And he put forth his hand, and touched him, saying, I will; be thou clean... the leprosy departed.—*LUKE*, ch. 5.

2915. — *A humble. Centurion's.* ⁶ Lord, trouble not thyself; for I am not worthy that thou shouldst enter under my roof: ⁷ Wherefore neither thought I myself worthy to come unto thee; but say in a word, and my servant shall be healed.—*LUKE*, ch. 7.

2916. — *An imperfect. Substitute for.* ¹⁷ Abraham fell upon his face, and laughed, and said in his heart, Shall a child be born unto him that is a hundred years old? and shall Sarah, that is ninety years old, bear? ¹⁸ And Abraham said unto God, Oh that Ishmael might live before thee!—*GEN.*, ch. 18.

2917. — *Intimidation of. Assyrians against Jerusalem.* ²⁸ Rab-shakeh stood and cried with a loud voice, Hear the word of the great king, the king of Assyria: ²⁹ Let not Hezekiah deceive you: for he shall not be able to deliver you out of his hand: ³⁰ Neither let Hezekiah make you trust in the Lord.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 18.

2918. — *indispensable. Only Son.* ²² And oftentimes it hath cast him into the fire, and into the waters, to destroy him: but if thou canst do any thing, have compassion on us, and help us. ²³ Jesus said, If thou canst believe, all things are possible to him that believeth. ²⁴ The father of the child cried out, and said with tears, Lord, I believe; help thou mine unbelief.—*MARK*, ch. 9.

2919. — *inspires Courage. Israelites.* ¹ Be strong and courageous, be not afraid nor dismayed for the king of Assyria, nor for all the multitude that is with him: for there be more with us than with him. ² With him is an arm of flesh; but with us is the Lord our God to help us, and to fight our battles. And the people rested themselves upon the words of Hezekiah.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 32.

2920. — *A living. With Works.* ¹⁸ A man may say, Thou hast faith, and I have works: shew me thy faith without thy works, and I will shew thee my faith by my works.—*JAMES*, ch. 2.

2921. — *Lessons of. Flowers.* ²¹ Consider the lilies how they grow: they toil not, they spin not; and yet I say unto you, that Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these.

2922. — *If then God so clothe the grass, which is to day in the field, and to morrow is cast into the oven; how much more will he clothe you, O ye of little faith?*—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

2923. — *Lack of. Lot.* ¹⁷Escape for thy life; look not behind thee, neither stay thou in all the plain; escape to the mountain, lest thou be consumed. ²⁰Behold now, this city is near to flee unto, and it is a little one: O, let me escape thither, (is it not a little one?) and my soul shall live.—*GEN.*, ch. 19.

2923. — *Disciples.* ¹⁴Afterward he appeared unto the eleven, as they sat at meat, and upbraided them with their unbelief, and hardness of heart, because they believed not them which had seen him after he was risen.—*MARK*, ch. 16.

2924. — *only a Look. Brazen Serpent.* [See No. 2944.]

2925. — *by Miracles. Disciples.* ¹¹This beginning of miracles did Jesus in Cana of Galilee, and manifested forth his glory; and his disciples believed on him. ²³...in Jerusalem at the passover...many believed in his name, when they saw the miracles which he did.—*JOHN*, ch. 2.

2926. — *A mixed. Evil Spirit.* ²²If thou canst believe, all things are possible to him that believeth. ²⁴And straightway the father of the child cried out, and said with tears, Lord, I believe; help thou mine unbelief.—*MAT.*, ch. 9.

2927. — *measures Success. Blind Men.* ¹¹Two blind men followed him, crying...Thou Son of David, have mercy on us. ²⁶And when he was come into the house, the blind men came to him: and Jesus saith...Believe ye that I am able to do this? They said unto him, Yea, Lord. ²⁹Then touched he their eyes, saying, According to your faith be it unto you.—*MAT.*, ch. 9.

2928. — *with Mystery. Paul.* ¹Into the second *went* the high priest alone once every year, not without blood, which he offered for himself, and for the errors of the people: ⁶The Holy Ghost this signifying, that the way into the holiest of all was not yet made manifest.—*HEB.*, ch. 9.

2929. — *Obedient. Net.* ⁴Launch out into the deep, and let down your nets for a draught. ¹And Simon answering said...Master, we have toiled all the night, and have taken nothing: nevertheless at thy word I will let down the net. ⁴And...they inclosed a great multitude of fishes: and their net brake.—*LUKE*, ch. 5.

2930. — *omnipotent. Mountain.* ²¹Jesus answered...If ye have faith, and doubt not, ye shall not only do this *which is done* to the fig tree, but also if ye shall say unto this mountain, Be thou removed, and be thou cast into the sea; it shall be done. ²²And all things, whatsoever ye shall ask in prayer, believing, ye shall receive.—*MAT.*, ch. 21.

2931. — *a Protection. Daniel.* ²²Daniel was taken up out of the den, and no manner of hurt was found upon him, because he believed in his God.—*DAN.*, ch. 6.

2932. — *Power of. Mustard Seed.* ⁶The apostles said...Increase our faith. ⁶And the Lord said, If ye had faith as a grain of mustard seed, ye might say unto this sycamine tree, Be thou

plucked up by the root, and be thou planted in the sea; and it should obey you.—*LUKE*, ch. 17.

2933. — *A profitless. Wavering.* ⁶Let him ask in faith, nothing wavering: for he that wavereth is like a wave of the sea driven with the wind and tossed. ⁷For let not that man think that he shall receive any thing of the Lord.—*JAMES*, ch. 1.

2934. — *A perfect. Abraham.* ¹⁷By faith Abraham, when he was tried, offered up Isaac...his only begotten son. ¹⁸Of whom it was said, That in Isaac shall thy seed be called: ¹⁹Accounting that God was able to raise him up, even from the dead.—*HEB.*, ch. 11.

2935. — *A proven. Abram.* ¹¹The angel of the Lord called unto him out of heaven, and said, Abraham, Abraham: and he said, Here am I. ¹²And he said, Lay not thine hand upon the lad, for now I know that thou fearest God, seeing thou hast not withheld thy son, thine only son, from me.—*GEN.*, ch. 22.

2936. — *Practical. With Works.* ¹⁰Thou believest that there is one God; thou doest well: the devils also believe, and tremble. ²⁰But wilt thou know, O vain man, that faith without works is dead?—*JAMES*, ch. 2.

2937. — *Possibilities of. Evil Spirit.* ²²Jesus said unto him, If thou canst believe, all things are possible to him that believeth. ²⁴And straightway the father of the child cried out, and said with tears, Lord, I believe; help thou mine unbelief.—*MAT.*, ch. 9.

2938. — *A rootless. Rock.* ¹³They on the rock...when they hear, receive the word with joy; and these have no root, which for a while believe, and in time of temptation fall away.—*LUKE*, ch. 8.

2939. — *Results strengthen. Red Sea.* ²⁰Israel saw the Egyptians dead upon the sea shore. ²¹...and the people feared the Lord, and believed the Lord, and his servant Moses.—*EX.*, ch. 14.

2940. — *Results of. History.* [See *HEB.*, ch. 11.]

2941. — *A resting. Moabites Slain.* ¹⁷Ye shall not need to fight in this battle: set yourselves, stand ye still, and see the salvation of the Lord with you, O Judah and Jerusalem: fear not, nor be dismayed...²⁴behold, they were dead bodies fallen to the earth, and none escaped.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 20.

2942. — *At the Red Sea.* [See No. 2839.] Stand still and see.

2943. — *A ready. Nathanael.* ⁴⁸When thou wast under the fig tree, I saw thee. ⁴⁹Nathanael answered...him, Rabbi, Thou art the Son of God; thou art the King of Israel. ⁵⁰Jesus answered...Because I said...I saw thee under the fig tree, believest thou? thou shalt see greater things than these.—*JOHN*, ch. 1.

2944. — *Saved by. Serpent.* ⁸The Lord said unto Moses, Make thee a fiery serpent, and set it upon a pole: and it shall come to pass, that every one that is bitten, when he looketh upon it, shall live.—*NUM.*, ch. 21.

2945. — *Sustaining. David.* ¹⁸I had fainted, unless I had believed to see the goodness of the Lord in the land of the living.

¹⁴ Wait on the Lord : be of good courage, and he shall strengthen thine heart : wait, I say, on the Lord.—Ps. 27.

2946. — *Shield of. Paul.* ¹⁶ Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked.—Eph., ch. 6.

2947. — *Salvation by. Jesus.* ¹⁶ God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.—John, ch. 2.

2948. — *Philippian Jailer.* ³¹ And they said, Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved, and thy house.—Acts, ch. 16.

2949. — *strengthened. Disciples.* ²⁰ Then said the Jews, Forty and six years was this temple in building, and wilt thou rear it up in three days? ²¹ But he spake of the temple of his body. ²² When therefore he was risen from the dead, his disciples remembered that he had said this unto them; and they believed the scripture, and the word which Jesus had said.—John, ch. 2.

2950. — *Stability by. David.* ¹ They that trust in the Lord shall be as mount Zion, which cannot be removed, but abideth forever. ² As the mountains are round about Jerusalem, so the Lord is round about his people from henceforth even forever.—Ps. 125.

2951. — *Sustaining. Walked on the Water.* [See No. 2973.]

2952. — *without Sight. Thomas.* ²⁹ Thomas, because thou hast seen me, thou hast believed : blessed are they that have not seen, and yet have believed.—John, ch. 20.

2953. — *Superior. Centurion.* ⁹ Jesus marvelled at him, and turned him about, and said unto the people that followed him, I say unto you, I have not found so great faith, no, not in Israel.—Luke, ch. 7.

2954. — *A simple. Touch the Hem.* ⁴¹ When the woman saw that she was not hid, she came trembling, and falling down before him, she declared unto him before all the people for what cause she had touched him, and how she was healed immediately.—Luke, ch. 8.

2955. — *surmounting Obstacles. Canaanite.* He answered her not a word. Send her away. Lost sheep. Children's bread. Great is thy faith. [See No. 2359.]

2956. — *A sham. Simon.* ¹³ When he was baptized, he continued with Philip, be- holding the miracles. ¹⁸ And when Simon saw that through laying on of the apostles' hands the Holy Ghost was given, he offered them money, ¹⁹ Saying, give me also this power.—Acts, ch. 8.

2957. — *Simplicity of. Naaman.* ¹³ And his servants. said, My father, if the prophet had bid thee do some great thing, wouldest thou not have done it? how much rather then, when he saith to thee, Wash, and be clean? ¹⁴ Then went he down, and dipped himself seven times in Jordan, and his flesh came again like unto the flesh of a little child.—2 Kings, ch. 5.

2958. — *with sacrifice. Widow of Zarephath.* ¹³ Go and. make me thereof a little cake

first, and after make for thee and for thy son. ¹⁴ For thus saith the Lord God of Israel, The barrel of meal shall not waste, neither shall the cruse of oil fail.—1 Kings, ch. 17.

2959. — *Touch of. Healing.* ²⁰ Behold, a woman, with an issue of blood twelve years, came behind him, and touched the hem of his garment : ²¹ For she said within herself, If I may but touch his garment, I shall be whole.—Mat., ch. 9.

2960. — *Trial of. Red Sea.* ²² The children of Israel went into the midst of the sea upon the dry ground : and the waters were a wall unto them on their right hand, and on their left.—Ex., ch. 14.

2961. — *A tempted. Paul.* ¹³ There hath no temptation taken you but such as is common to man : but God is faithful, who will not suffer you to be tempted above that ye are able ; but will with the temptation also make a way to escape, that ye may be able to bear it.—1 Cor., ch. 10.

2962. — *A timid. Pharisees.* ⁴⁸ Among the chief rulers also many believed on him ; but because of the Pharisees they did not confess him, lest they should be put out of the synagogue.—John, ch. 12.

2963. — *Their united. Palsy.* ⁴ When they could not come nigh unto him for the press, they uncovered the roof where he was : and they let down the bed wherein the sick of the palsy lay. ⁵ When Jesus saw their faith, he said, Son, thy sins be forgiven thee. ¹¹ Arise, and take up thy bed, and go thy way into thine house.—Mark, ch. 2.

2964. — *gives Utterance. Paul.* ¹³ We having the same spirit of faith, according as it is written, I believed, and therefore have I spoken ; we also believe, and therefore speak.—2 Cor., ch. 4.

2965. — *An unuttered. Mary.* ²¹ Jesus sat at meat in the Pharisee's house, brought an alabaster box of ointment, ²² And stood at his feet behind him weeping, and began to wash his feet with tears, and did wipe them with the hairs of her head, and kissed his feet, and anointed them with the ointment.—Luke, ch. 7.

2966. — *unshaken. Death.* ⁴⁹ There cometh one from the ruler of the synagogue's house, saying to him, Thy daughter is dead ; trouble not the Master. ⁵⁰ But when Jesus heard it, he answered, Fear not : believe only, and she shall be made whole.—Luke, ch. 8.

2967. — *A visible. Working.* ³ They brought to him a man sick of the palsy, lying on a bed : and Jesus seeing their faith said unto the sick of the palsy ; Son, be of good cheer ; thy sins be forgiven thee.—Mat., ch. 9.

2968. — *A valueless. "Without Works."* [See No. 2936.]

2969. — *precedes Victory. Jericho.* ²⁰ So the people shouted when the priests blew the trumpets, and the people shouted with a great shout, the wall fell down flat, so that the people went up, every man straight before him, and they took the city.—Josh., ch. 6. [They shouted while the walls were firm.]

2970. — *Venturing all. Abram.* ¹ Get thee out of thy country, and from thy kindred

and from thy father's house, unto the land that I will shew thee: ² And I will make of thee a great nation.—GEN., ch. 12.

2971. — *Weakness of. Impediment.* ¹¹ God led them not *through* the way of the land of the Philistines, although that *was* near; for God said, Lest peradventure the people repent when they see war, and they return to Egypt.—EX., ch. 13.

2972. — *Victory by. Moabites.* ¹¹ Ye shall not *need* to fight in this *battle*: set yourselves, stand ye *still*, and see the salvation of the Lord with you, O Judah and Jerusalem: fear not, nor be dismayed; to-morrow go out against them: for the Lord *will be* with you. ¹² And Jehoshaphat bowed his head with his face to the ground.—2 CHRON., ch. 20.

2973. — *Venturing. Peter.* ¹⁸ Lord, if it be thou, bid me come unto thee on the water. ¹⁹ And he said, Come. And when Peter was come down out of the ship, he walked on the water, to go to Jesus.—MAT., ch. 14.

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2974. FAITHFUL. *Angels guard the.* ^{At Dothan.} ¹¹ Elisha prayed..And the Lord opened the eyes of the young man; and he saw: and, behold, the mountain *was* full of horses and chariots of fire round about Elisha.—2 KINGS, ch. 6.

2975. FAITHFULNESS blessed. *Servant.* ⁴⁶ Blessed is that servant, whom his lord when he cometh shall find so doing.—MAT., ch. 24.

2976. — *Constant.* *Altar.* ¹⁷ The priest shall burn wood on it every morning, and lay the burnt offering in order upon it; and he shall burn thereon the fat of the peace offerings. ¹⁸ The fire shall ever be burning upon the altar; it shall never go out.—LEV., ch. 6.

2977. — *In Despondency.* *Thomas.* ¹⁶ Let us also go, that we may die with him. ¹⁷ Then when Jesus came, he found that he had *lain* in the grave four days already.—JOHN, ch. 11.

2978. — *honoured.* *Three Hebrews.* ¹⁹ I make a decree, That every people, nation, and language, which speak any thing amiss against the God of Shadrach, Meshach, and Abed-nego, shall be cut in pieces, and their houses shall be made a dunghill; because there is no other God that can deliver after this sort.—DAN., ch. 3.

2979. — *Ministerial.* [See 2 Cor. 4:1-11.]

2980. — *to the Truth.* *Ministerial.* ¹³ The messenger..to call Micaiah spake..Behold now, the words of the prophets *declare* good unto the king with one mouth: let thy word, I pray thee, be like the word of one of them, and speak *that which is* good. ¹⁴ And Micaiah said, *As the* Lord liveth, what the Lord saith unto me, that will I speak.—1 KINGS, ch. 22.

2981. — *Primitive. Persecuted.* ¹ There was a great persecution against the church which was at Jerusalem; and they were all scattered abroad throughout the regions of Judea and Samaria, except the apostles.—*ACTS*, ch. 8.

2982. — *by Principle. Least.* ¹⁰ He that is faithful in that which is least is faithful also in much: and he that is unjust in the least is unjust also in much. ¹¹ If therefore ye have not been faithful in the unrighteous mammon, who will commit to your trust the true riches?—*LUKE*, ch. 16.

2983. — *rewarded. Elisha.* ⁹ Elijah said unto Elisha, Ask what I shall do for thee, before I be taken away from thee. And Elisha said, I pray thee, let a double portion of thy spirit be upon me. ¹⁰ And he said, Thou hast asked a hard thing: nevertheless, if thou see me when I am taken from thee, it shall be so unto thee; but if not, it shall not be so.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 2.

2984. — *Religious. Vows.* ⁴ When thou vowest a vow unto God, defer not to pay it; for he hath no pleasure in fools: pay that which thou hast vowed. ⁵ Better is it that thou shouldst not vow, than that thou shouldst vow and not pay.—*ECCLES.*, ch. 5.

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2985. *FALSEHOOD, Agreement in. Ananias.* ¹ Ananias, with Sapphira his wife, sold a possession, ² And kept back part of the price. and brought a certain part, and laid it at the apostles' feet. ³ Then Peter said unto her, How is it that ye have agreed together to tempt the Spirit of the Lord? behold, the feet of them which

have buried thy husband are at the door, and shall carry thee out.—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

2986. — *begets Falsehood. Gehazi.* ²¹ So Gehazi followed after Naaman. ²² And he said. My master hath sent me, saying. give them, I pray thee, a talent of silver, and two changes of garments. ²³ But he went in, and stood before his master. And Elisha said. Whence comest thou, Gehazi? And he said, Thy servant went no whither. ²⁴ And he said unto him. Is it a time to receive money, and to receive garments?—*2 KINGS*, ch. 5.

2987. — *by Bribery. Soldiers.* ¹³ Say ye, His disciples came by night, and stole him away while we slept. ¹⁵ So they took the money, and did as they were taught.—*MAT.*, ch. 28.

2988. — *covering Falsehood. Peter.* ¹⁰ He denied it again. And a little after, they that stood by said again to Peter, Surely thou art one of them: for thou art a Galilean, and thy speech agreeth thereto. ¹¹ But he began to curse and to swear, saying, I know not this man of whom ye speak.—*MAT.*, ch. 14.

2989. — *Folly of. Ananias.* ³ Peter said, Ananias, why hath Satan filled thine heart to lie to the Holy Ghost, and to keep back part of the price of the land? ⁴ While it remained, was it not thine own? and after it was sold, was it not in thine own power? thou hast not lied unto men, but unto God.—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

2990. — *The Father of. Devil.* ⁴⁴ Ye are of your father the devil. he was a murderer from the beginning, and there is no truth in him. When he speaketh a lie, he speaketh of his own; for he is a liar, and the father of it.—*JOHN*, ch. 8.

2991. — *An Impostor's. Jacob.* ²⁰ Isaac said. How is it that thou hast found it so quickly, my son? And he said, Because the Lord thy God brought it to me.—*GEN.*, ch. 27.

2992. — *Saved by. David.* ⁹ David said unto Ahimelech the priest, The king hath commanded me a business, and hath said unto me, Let no man know any thing of the business whereabout I send thee.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 21. [He obtained a sword.]

2993. — *Sacrilegious. False Prophet.* [The Lord sent a prophet to speak against the idolatrous altar at Bethel.] ¹¹ It was said to me by the word of the Lord, Thou shalt eat no bread nor drink water there, nor turn again to go by the way that thou camest. ¹² He said unto him, I am a prophet also as thou art; and an angel spake unto me by the word of the Lord, saying, Bring him back with thee into thine house, that he may eat bread and drink water. But he lied unto him.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 13.

2994. — *By Jonathan.* ⁶ If thy father at all miss me, then say, David earnestly asked leave of me that he might run to Bethlehem his city: for there is a yearly sacrifice there for all the family.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 20. [He was near by.]

2995. — *Shortlived. Moment.* ¹⁹ The lip of truth shall be established for ever: but a lying tongue is but for a moment.—*PROV.*, ch. 12.

2996. — *of Statecraft. Gibeonites.* ¹¹ Make ye a league with us. ¹² This our bread we took hot for our provision out of our houses on the

day we came forth...but now, behold, it is dry, and it is mouldy : ¹³ And these bottles of wine, which we filled, were new ; and, behold, they be rent : and these our garments and our shoes are become old by reason of the very long journey.—*JOHN*, ch. 9.

2997. — *Spirits of. Micajah.* ³⁰ And the Lord said, Who shall persuade Ahab, that he may go up and fall at Ramoth-gilead? . . . ³¹ And there came forth a spirit, and stood before the Lord, and said, I will persuade him. ³² And the Lord said unto him, Wherewith? And he said, I will go forth, and I will be a lying spirit in the mouth of all his prophets.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 22. [See context.]

2998. — *Sin of. Ananias.* [See No. 2989.]

2999. — *Victim of. Potiphar's Wife.* ¹⁸ I lifted up my voice and cried. . . he left his garment with me, and fled out. . . ²⁰ And Joseph's master . . . put him into the prison.—*GEN.*, ch. 39.

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3000. *FAME of Jesus. Ezeccist.* [He rebuked an unclean spirit.] ²³ Immediately his fame spread abroad throughout all the region round about Galilee.—*MARK*, ch. 1.

3001. — *Military. Uziah.* ¹⁵ He made in Jerusalem engines, invented by cunning men, to be on the towers and upon the bulwarks, to shoot arrows and great stones withal. And his name spread far abroad.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 26.

3002. — *A troublesome. Jesus.* ⁴⁵ He went out, and began to publish it much, and to blaze abroad the matter, insomuch that Jesus could no more openly enter into the city, but was without in desert places : and they came to him from every quarter.—*MARK*, ch. 1.

3003. — *Unexpected. Jesus said,* ¹³ Where-soever this gospel shall be preached in the whole world, there shall also this, that this woman hath done, be told for a memorial of her.—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

3004. — *for Wisdom. Solomon.* ¹ When the queen of Sheba heard of the fame of Solomon concerning the name of the Lord, she came to prove him with hard questions. ²⁴ And all the earth sought to Solomon, to hear his wisdom, which God had put in his heart.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 10.

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3006. — *Alienation. Jesus.* ¹² Now the brother shall betray the brother to death, and the father the son ; and children shall rise up against their parents, and shall cause them to be put to death.—*MARK*, ch. 13.

3007. — *A bereaved. Job's.* ¹⁹ There came a great wind from the wilderness, and smote the four corners of the house, and it fell upon the young men, and they are dead ; and I only am escaped. . . ²⁰ Then Job. . . fell down upon the ground, and worshipped.—*JOB*, ch. 1.

3008. — *conversion. Philippian Jailer.* ²³ They spake unto him the word of the Lord, and to all that were in his house. ²⁴ And he. . . washed their stripes ; and was baptized, he and all his, straightway. ²⁵ . . . he set meat before them, and rejoiced, believing in God with all his house.—*ACTS*, ch. 16. [Lydia was the first woman, and the jailer was the first man who were converted in Europe. Both brought their households into the church with themselves.]

3009. — *Death destroys. Moses, Aaron, Miriam.* ²¹ The people abode in Kadesh ; and Miriam died there, and was buried there. ²² And the children of Israel. . . came unto mount Hor. ²³ . . . and Aaron died there in the top of the mount.—*NUM.*, ch. 20. ¹ Moses went up. . . to the top of Pisgah. . . and the Lord shewed him all the land. ⁶ So Moses. . . died there in the land of Moab.—*DEUT.*, ch. 34.

3010. — *exterminated, A. Ahab's.* ¹¹ Jehu slew all that remained of the house of Ahab in Jezreel, and all his great men, and his kinsfolks, and his priests, until he left him none remaining.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 10.

3011. — *of the Good. Christians.* ²³ Behold, thy mother and thy brethren without seek for thee. ²⁴ And he answered. . . Who is my mother, or my brethren? ²⁵ And he looked. . . on them which sat about him, and said, Behold my mother and my brethren! ²⁶ For whosoever shall do the will of God, the same is my brother, and my sister, and mother.—*MARK*, ch. 3.

3012. — *Jars. Elkanah's.* [Peninnah and Hannah were his wives. Peninnah] ⁶ Her adversary also provoked her sore. . . to make her fret, because the Lord had shut up her womb. ⁷ . . . when she went up to the house of the Lord, so she provoked her ; therefore she wept, and did not eat.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 1. [She became the mother of Samuel.]

3013. — *A numerous. Gideon.* ²⁰ Gideon had threescore and ten sons of his body begotten : for he had many wives. ²¹ And his concubine. . . she also bare him a son, whose name he called Abimelech.—*JUDGES*, ch. 8.

3014. — *Prayer. Tabernacle.* ¹ Aaron shall burn thereon sweet incense every morning : when he dresseth the lamps, he shall burn incense upon it. ² And when Aaron lighteth

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3015. — *Prayer for.* *Job.* ⁸ When the days of their feasting were gone about. Job sent and sanctified them, and rose up early in the morning, and offered burnt offerings according to the number of them all: for Job said, It may be that my sons have sinned.—Job, ch. 1.

3016. — *Quarrel.* *Against Moses.* ¹ Miriam and Aaron spake against Moses because of the Ethiopian woman whom he had married. ² And they said, Hath the Lord indeed spoken only by Moses? hath he not spoken also by us?—Num., ch. 12.

3017. — *Quarrel overruled.* *Hagar.* ¹⁰ Cast out this bondwoman and her son. shall not be heir with my son, even with Isaac. ¹¹ and the angel of God called to Hagar out of heaven. What aileth thee, Hagar? fear not; for God hath heard the voice of the lad.—Gen., ch. 21.

3018. — *Religion.* *Joshua.* ¹⁸ If it seem evil unto you to serve the Lord, choose you this day whom ye will serve; whether the gods which your father served, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land ye dwell: but as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord.—Josh., ch. 24.

3019. — *Cornelius.* ¹ There was a certain man in Cesarea. Cornelius, a centurion. ² A devout man, and one that feared God with all his house.—Acts, ch. 10.

3020. — *A wicked.* *Jews.* ¹⁷ Seest thou not what they do in the streets of Jerusalem? ¹⁸ The children gather wood, and the fathers kindle the fire, and the women knead their dough, to make cakes to the queen of heaven, and to pour out drink offerings unto other gods.—Jer., ch. 7.

3021. — *Worship.* *Jewish.* ³ Shall take to them every man. a lamb for an house: ⁴ And if the household be too little for the lamb, let him and his neighbour next unto his house take it according to the number of souls.—Ex., ch. 12.

3022. — *worshipped.* *Jesus said,* ³¹ He that loveth father or mother more than me is not worthy of me: and he that loveth son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me.—Mat., ch. 10.

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3024. — Care in. Prophecy. ¹⁶Son of man, behold, I will break the staff of bread in Jerusalem: and they shall eat bread by weight, and with care; and they shall drink water by measure, and with astonishment. —*EZEK.*, ch. 4.

3025. — Dying of. Amalekite. ¹¹They found an Egyptian in the field, and brought him to David, and gave him bread, and he did eat; and they made him drink water; ¹²And they gave him a piece of cake of figs, and two clusters of raisins: and when he had eaten, his spirit came again to him: for he had eaten no bread, nor drunk any water, three days and three nights. ¹³And David said unto him, To whom *belongest* thou? and whence art thou? And he said, I am a young man of Egypt, servant to an Amalekite; and my master left me, because three days ago I fell sick. —*1 SAM.*, ch. 30.

3026. — Distress in. Cannibals. ⁵⁵In the straitness, wherewith thine enemies shall distress thee. ⁵⁶The tender and delicate woman among you, which would not adventure to set the sole of her foot upon the ground for delicateness and tenderness, her eye shall be evil toward the husband of her bosom, and toward her son, and toward her daughter, ⁵⁷And toward her young one, and...her children...for she shall eat them for want of all things secretly in the siege. —*DZUT.*, ch. 28.

3027. — Exiled by. Shunammite. ¹Spake Elisha unto the woman, whose son he had restored to life, saying, Arise, and go...and sojourn wheresoever thou canst sojourn: for the Lord hath called for a famine...upon the land seven years. ²And the woman...with her household...sojourned in the land of the Philistines seven years. —*2 KINGS*, ch. 8.

3028. — Escape from. Abram. ¹⁰There was a famine in the land: and Abram went down into Egypt to sojourn there; for the famine was grievous in the land. —*GEN.*, ch. 12.

3029. — Emigration from. Elimelech. ¹There was a famine in the land. And a certain man of Bethlehem-judah went to sojourn in the country of Moab, he, and his wife, and his two sons. —*RUTH*, ch. 1.

3030. — Inhumanity in. Samaria. ²⁸The king said unto her, What aileth thee? And she answered, This woman said unto me, Give thy son, that we may eat him to day, and we will eat

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3031. — Sin causes. Prophecy. ¹³Son of man, when the land sinneth against me by trespassing grievously, then will I stretch out mine hand upon it, and will break the staff of the bread thereof and will send famine upon it, and will cut off man and beast from it. —*EZEK.*, ch. 14.

3032. — — Three Years. ¹Go, shew thyself unto Ahab: and I will send rain upon the earth. ¹⁷...when Ahab saw Elijah...Ahab said...Art thou he that troubleth Israel? ¹⁸I have not troubled Israel; but thou, and thy father's house, in that ye have forsaken the commandments of the Lord, and thou hast followed Baalim. —*1 KINGS*, ch. 18.

3033. — Seven Years of. Egypt. ¹³There was no bread in all the land, for the famine was very sore, so that the land of Egypt and all the land of Canaan fainted. —*GEN.*, ch. 47.

3034. — A spiritual. Israel. ¹¹I will send a famine in the land, not a famine of bread, nor a thirst for water, but of hearing the words of the Lord: ¹²And they shall wander from sea to sea, and from the north even to the east, they shall run to and fro to seek the word of the Lord, and shall not find it. —*AMOS*, ch. 8.

3035. — A Water. Wilderness. ³The people did chide with Moses, and said, Give us water that we may drink. ³...and the people...said, Wherefore is this that thou hast brought us up out of Egypt, to kill us and our children and our cattle with thirst? —*EX.*, ch. 17.

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3036. FANATICISM, Accused of. *At Capernaum.* ¹⁹ And they went into a house. ²⁰ And the multitude cometh. so that they could not so much as eat bread. ²¹ And when his friends heard of it, they went out to lay hold on him: for they said, He is beside himself.—**MARK**, ch. 3.

3037. — Fickle. *At Lystra.* ¹¹ When the people saw what Paul had done, they lifted up their voices, saying. The gods are come down to us in the likeness of men. ¹² And they called Barnabas, Jupiter; and Paul, Mercurius, because he was the chief speaker. ¹³ Then the priest of Jupiter. brought oxen and garlands. and would have done sacrifice with the people. ¹⁴ And there came thither certain Jews from Antioch and Iconium, who persuaded the people, and, having stoned Paul, drew him out of the city, supposing he had been dead.—**ACTS**, ch. 14.

3038. — Genuine. *Ephesians.* ²⁸ Some therefore cried one thing, and some another; for the assembly was confused; and the more part knew not wherefore they were come together. ²⁹ Alexander beckoned with the hand, and would have made his defence. ³⁰ But when they knew that he was a Jew, all with one voice about the space of two hours cried out, Great is Diana of the Ephesians.—**ACTS**, ch. 19.

3039. — of Idolaters. *Carmel.* ²¹ Elijah mocked them, and said, Cry aloud: for he is a god; either he is talking, or he is pursuing, or he is in a journey, or peradventure he sleepeth, and must be awaked. ²² And they cried aloud, and cut themselves. with knives and lancets, till the blood gushed out.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 18.

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3040. FAREWELL, A beatific. *Jesus.* ²⁰ He led them out as far as to Bethany, and he lifted up his hands, and blessed them. ²¹ And. while he blessed them, he was parted from them.—**LUKE**, ch. 24. ⁹ When he had spoken these things, while they beheld, he was taken up; and a cloud received him out of their sight.—**ACTS**, ch. 1.

3041. — A glorious. *Elijah.* ¹¹ Behold, there appeared a chariot of fire, and horses of fire, and parted them both asunder; and Elijah went up by a whirlwind into heaven. ¹² And Elisha saw it, and he cried, My father, my father, the chariot of Israel, and the horsemen thereof! And he saw him no more.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 2.

3042. — A loving. *Orpah.* ¹⁰ Surely we will return with thee unto thy people. ¹¹ And Naomi said, Turn again, my daughters: why will ye go with me? ¹² And they lifted up their voice, and wept again; and Orpah kissed her mother in law; but Ruth clave unto her.—**RUTH**, ch. 1.

3043. — A perilous. *Looking back.* ⁶¹ Lord, I will follow thee; but let me first go bid them farewell, which are at home at my house. ⁶² Jesus said. No man, having put his hand to the plough, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God.—**LUKE**, ch. 9.

3044. — A sorrowful. *Ephesians.* ²⁶ He kneeled down, and prayed with them all. ²⁷ And they all wept sore, and fell on Paul's neck, and kissed him. ²⁸ Sorrowing most of all. that they should see his face no more. And they accompanied him unto the ship.—**ACTS**, ch. 20.

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3045. FARMER called. *Elisha.* ¹⁹ Elisha. was ploughing with twelve yoke of oxen before him. and Elijah passed by him, and cast his mantle upon him. ²⁰ And he left the oxen, and ran after Elijah.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 19.

3046. — by Choice. *King Uziah.* ¹⁰ He built towers in the desert, and digged many wells: for he had much cattle, both in the low country, and in the plains; husbandmen also, and vinedressers in the mountains, and in Carmel: for he loved husbandry.—**2 CHRON.**, ch. 26.

3047. — Deliverance by a. *Gideon.* ¹¹ Gideon threshed wheat by the winepress, to hide it from the Midianites. ¹² And the angel of the Lord appeared. and said. The Lord is with thee, thou mighty man of valour.—**JUDGES**, ch. 6.

3048. — A selfish. *The Rich Fool.* ¹⁸ This will I do: I will pull down my barns, and build greater; and there will I bestow all my fruits and my goods. ¹⁹ And I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years; take thine ease, eat, drink, and be merry.—**LUKE**, ch. 12.

3049 FARMING forbidden. *Rechabites.* ⁸ Thus have we obeyed the voice of Jonadab the son of

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3051. — A false. Formal. ³ Wherefore have we fasted, say they, and thou seest not?.. Behold, in the day of your fast ye find pleasure, and exact all your labours. ⁴ Behold, ye fast for strife and debate, and to smite with the fist of wickedness: ye shall not fast as ye do this day, to make your voice to be heard on high.—*ISA.*, ch. 58.

3052. — forty Days. Moses. ²⁶ He was there with the Lord forty days and forty nights; he did neither eat bread, nor drink water. And He wrote upon the tables.. the ten commandments.—*EX.*, ch. 34.

3053. — A genuine. Jews. ¹ The children of Israel were assembled with fasting, and with sackclothes, and earth upon them. ² And.. separated themselves from all strangers, and stood and confessed their sins, and the iniquities of their fathers. ³ And they stood up in their place, and read in the book of the law of the Lord their God one fourth part of the day; and another fourth part they confessed, and worshipped.—*NEH.*, ch. 9.

3054. — A mournful. Ninevites. ⁶ The king of Nineveh.. laid his robe from him, and covered him with sackcloth, and sat in ashes. ⁷ And.. published through Nineveh.. saying, Let neither man nor beast, herd nor flock, taste any thing: let them not feed, nor drink water: ⁸ But let man and beast be covered with sackcloth, and cry mightily unto God: yea, let them turn every one from his evil way.—*JONAH.*, ch. 3.

3055. — A prolonged. Sailors. ²³ Paul be-

sought them all to take meat, saying, This day is the fourteenth day that ye have tarried and continued fasting, having taken nothing. ²⁴.. for this is for your health.—*ACTS.*, ch. 27.

3056. FASTING in Anxiety. Darius. ¹⁸ passed the night fasting: neither were instruments of music brought before him: and his sleep went from him. ¹⁹.. very early in the morning.. went in haste unto the den of lions. ²⁰ And when he came to the den, he cried with a lamentable voice unto Daniel.—*DAN.*, ch. 6.

3057. — in Affliction. David. ¹⁸ The child that Uriah's wife bare unto David.. was very sick. ¹⁹ David therefore besought God for the child; and David fasted, and went in, and lay all night upon the earth. ²⁰ And the elders of his house.. went to him, to raise him up from the earth: but he would not, neither did he eat bread with them.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 12.

3058. — in Bereavement. Israelites. ¹⁹ All the valiant men.. went all night, and took the body of Saul and the bodies of his sons from the wall of Bethshan, and.. burnt them. ²⁰ And they took their bones, and buried them under a tree at Jabesh, and fasted seven days.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 31.

3059. — in Defeat. Israelites. ²⁶ Benjamin went forth against them.. the second day, and destroyed.. of the children of Israel again eighteen thousand men; all these drew the sword. ²⁷ Then all the children of Israel, and all the people.. came unto the house of God, and wept, and sat there before the Lord, and fasted that day until even, and offered burnt offerings and peace offerings before the Lord.—*JUDGES.*, ch. 20.

3060. — Habitual. Anna. ²⁶ Anna, a prophetess.. was a widow of about fourscore and four years, which departed not from the temple, but served God with fastings and prayers night and day.—*LUKE.*, ch. 2.

3061. — Meaning of. Christians. ¹⁸ Why do the disciples of John and of the Pharisees fast, but thy disciples fast not? ¹⁹ And Jesus said unto them, Can the children of the bride-chamber fast, while the bridegroom is with them?.. ²⁰ But the days will come, when the bridegroom shall be taken away from them, and then shall they fast.—*MARK.*, ch. 2.

3062. — in Peril. Israelites. ⁶ drew water, and poured it out before the Lord, and fasted on that day, and said there, We have sinned against the Lord.. ⁷ And when the Philistines heard that the children of Israel were gathered together to Mizpeh, the lords.. went up against Israel.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 7.

3063. — and Prayer. Jews. ³ In every province, whithersoever the king's.. decree came, there was great mourning among the Jews, and fasting, and weeping, and wailing; and many lay in sackcloth and ashes. ¹⁸ Then Esther bade them return Mordecai this answer. ¹⁹ Go, gather together all the Jews that are present in Shushan, and fast ye for me, and neither eat nor drink three days, night or day: I also and my maidens will fast likewise; and so will I go in unto the king, which is not according to the law; and if I perish, I perish.—*ESTHER.*, ch. 4.

3064. — in Preparation. Ezra. ⁶ Ezra.. went into the chamber of Johanan.. and.. he

did eat no bread, nor drink water: for he mourned because of the transgression of them that had been carried away.—EZRA, ch. 10.

3065. — *in Penitence. King Ahab.* ¹⁵ There was none like unto Ahab, which did sell himself to work wickedness. . . whom Jezebel his wife stirred up. ¹⁶ And he did very abominably in following idols. . . as did the Amorites. . . ¹⁷ And . . . when Ahab heard those words. . . he rent his clothes, and put sackcloth upon his flesh, and fasted, and lay in sackcloth, and went softly.—1 KINGS, ch. 21.

3066. — *Patriotic. Nehemiah.* ⁴ When I heard these words. . . I sat down and wept, and mourned *certain* days, and fasted, and prayed before the God of heaven.—NEH., ch. 1.

3067. — *Sincere. Jesus said,* ¹⁶ When ye fast, be not as the hypocrites, of a sad countenance: for they disfigure their faces, that they may appear unto men to fast. Verily, I say unto you, They have their reward. ¹⁷ But thou, when thou fastest, anoint thy head, and wash thy face; ¹⁸ That thou appear not unto men, to fast, but unto thy Father, which is in secret: and thy Father, which seeth in secret, shall reward thee openly.—MARK, ch. 6.

3068. — *Vision after. Daniel.* ³ I ate no pleasant bread, neither came flesh nor wine in my mouth, neither did I anoint myself at all, till three whole weeks were fulfilled.—DAN., ch. 10. [A glorious vision followed.]

3069. — *Vision during. Cornelius.* ³¹ Four days ago I was fasting until this hour; and at the ninth hour I prayed in my house, and, behold, a man stood before me in bright clothing. ³² And said, Cornelius, thy prayer is heard, and thine alms are had in remembrance in the sight of God.—ACTS, ch. 10.

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3070. FATHER, Alienated. David. ²⁴ The king said, Let him turn to his own house, and let him not see my face. So Absalom returned to his own house, and saw not the king's face.—1 SAM., ch. 14.

3071. — *Beloved. Israel.* ²⁹ Joseph made ready his chariot, and went up to meet Israel his father, to Goshen, and presented himself unto him; and he fell on his neck, and wept on his neck a good while.—GEN., ch. 46.

3072. — *Bereaved. David.* ³³ The king was much moved, and went up to the chamber over the gate, and wept: and as he went, thus he said, O my son Absalom! my son, my son Absalom! would God I had died for thee, O Absalom, my son, my son!—2 SAM., ch. 18.

3073. — *The compassionate. Prodigal.* ²⁰ He arose, and came to his father. But when he was yet a great way off, his father saw him,

and had compassion, and ran, and fell on his neck, and kissed him.—LUKE, ch. 15.

3074. — *The kind. "Much More."* ⁹ What man is there of you, whom if his son ask bread, will he give him a stone? ¹⁰ Or if he ask a fish, will he give him a serpent? ¹¹ If ye then, being evil, know how to give good gifts unto your children, how much more shall your Father which is in heaven give good things to them that ask him?—MAT., ch. 7.

3075. — *The Liar's. Satan.* ⁴⁴ Ye are of your father the devil, and the lusts of your father ye will do: he was a murderer from the beginning, and abode not in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaketh a lie, he speaketh of his own: for he is a liar, and the father of it.—JOHN, ch. 8.

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3076. FATHERLESS, Advocate of. Proverb. ¹⁰ Enter not into the fields of the fatherless: ¹¹ For their Redeemer is mighty; he shall plead their cause with thee.—PROV., ch. 23.

3077. — *protected. Jewish Law.* ²² Ye shall not afflict any widow, or fatherless child. ²³ If thou afflict them in any wise, and they cry at all unto me, I will surely hear their cry; ²⁴ And my wrath shall wax hot, and I will kill you with the sword; and your wives shall be widows, and your children fatherless.—EX., ch. 22.

3078. FATIGUE of Indifference. Jews. ¹² Ye say, The table of the Lord is polluted; and the fruit thereof, even his meat, is contemptible. ¹³ Ye said also, Behold, what a weariness is it! and ye have snuffed at it, saith the Lord of hosts; and ye brought *that which was torn*, and the lame, and the sick: thus ye brought an offering.—MAL., ch. 1.

3079. — *Overcome by. After Amalekites.* ¹⁰ David pursued, he and four hundred men; for two hundred abode behind, which were so faint that they could not go over the brook Besor.—1 SAM., ch. 30.

3080. — *from Overwork. Apostles.* ³⁰ The apostles. . . told him all things, both what they had done, and what they had taught. ³¹ And he said unto them, Come ye yourselves apart into a desert place, and rest a while: for there were many coming and going, and they had no leisure so much as to eat.—MARK, ch. 6.

3081. — *Sleep from. Disciples.* ⁴⁰ He cometh unto the disciples, and findeth them asleep, and saith unto Peter, What, could ye not watch with me one hour? ⁴¹ Watch and pray, that ye enter not into temptation: the spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak.—MAT., ch. 26.

3082. — *A Traveller's. Jesus.* ⁵ Then cometh he to a city of Samaria, which is called Sychar. . . ⁶ Now Jacob's well was there. Jesus therefore, being wearied with his journey, sat thus on the well.—JOHN, ch. 4.

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3063. FAULT, But One. *Naaman.* ¹¹ Thy servant will henceforth offer neither burnt offering nor sacrifice unto other gods, but unto the Lord. ¹² In this thing the Lord pardon thy servant, that when my master goeth into the house of Rimmon to worship there, and he leaneth on my hand..when I bow down myself in the house of Rimmon, the Lord pardon thy servant in this thing.—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

3064. FAULTS, Correction of. *Christians.* ¹⁵ If thy brother shall trespass against thee, go and tell him his fault between thee and him alone: if he shall hear thee, thou hast gained thy brother. ¹⁶ But if he will not hear thee, then take with thee one or two more, that in the mouth of two or three witnesses every word may be established. ¹⁷ And if he shall neglect to hear them, tell it unto the church: but if he neglect to hear the church, let him be unto thee as a heathen man.—MAT., ch. 18.

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3065. FAULTLESS, Condemnation of the. *Pilate.* ⁴ Pilate..Behold, I bring him forth to you, that ye may know that I find no fault in him. ⁶ Then came Jesus forth, wearing the crown of thorns, and the purple robe.—JOHN, ch. 19.

3066. — Official. *Daniel.* ³ Daniel was preferred above the presidents and princes, because an excellent spirit was in him; and the king thought to set him over the whole realm. ⁴ Then the presidents and princes sought to find occasion against Daniel concerning the kingdom; but they could find none occasion nor fault; forasmuch as he was faithful.—DAN., ch. 6.

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3067. FAULTFINDERS, Fastidious. *Pharisees.* ²⁹ Levi made..a great feast..and there was a great company of publicans, and of others that sat down with them. ³⁰ But the scribes and Pharisees murmured against his disciples, saying, Why do ye eat and drink with publicans and sinners?—LUKE, ch. 5.

3068. — Hypocritical. *Judas.* ⁵ Why was not this ointment sold for three hundred pence, and given to the poor? ⁶ This he said, not that he cared for the poor; but because he was a thief, and had the bag, and bare what was put therein.—JOHN, ch. 12.

3069. — Maledious. *Jews.* ³³ John the Baptist came neither eating bread nor drinking wine; and ye say, He hath a devil. ³⁴ The Son of man is come eating and drinking; and ye say, Behold, a gluttonous man, and a winebibber, a friend of publicans and sinners.—LUKE, ch. 7.

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3090. FAVOUR besought. *Pharaoh.* ³⁰ Not a house where there was not one dead. ³¹ And he called for Moses and Aaron by night, and said, Rise up, and get you forth from among my people..and go, serve the Lord, as ye have said. ³² Also take your flocks and your herds, as ye have said, and be gone; and bless me also.—EX., ch. 12.

3091. — Divine. Promise. ⁴ Ye have seen what I did unto the Egyptians, and how I bare you on eagles' wings, and brought you unto myself. ⁵ Now therefore, if ye will obey my voice indeed, and keep my covenant, then ye shall be a peculiar treasure unto me above all people.—EX., ch. 19.

3092. — evinced. *Ruth.* ¹⁴ Boaz said..At mealtime come thou hither, and eat of the bread, and dip thy morsel in the vinegar. And she sat beside the reapers: and he reached her parched corn, and she did eat, and was sufficed, and left. ¹⁵ Boaz commanded his young men, saying, Let her glean even among the sheaves, and reproach her not: ¹⁶ And let fall also some of the handfuls of purpose for her.—RUTH, ch. 2.

3093. — indicated. *Ahasuerus.* ² The king held out to Esther the golden sceptre that was in his hand. So Esther drew near, and touched the top of the sceptre. ³ Then said the king..What wilt thou, queen Esther? and what is thy request?—ESTHER, ch. 5.

3094. — refused. *Edom.* ¹⁶ Edom said..Thou shalt not pass by me, lest I come out

against thee with the sword. ¹⁹And the children of Israel said.. We will go by the highway : and if I and my cattle drink of thy water, then I will pay for it : I will only, without *doing* any thing *else*, go through on my feet. ²⁰And he said, Thou shalt not go through.—NUM., ch. 20.

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3096. — forgotten. *Chief Butler.* [See above.] ²² Yet did not the chief butler remember Joseph, but forgot him.—GEN., ch. 40.

3097. — remembered. *Chief Butler.* ⁹ Then spake the chief butler unto Pharaoh, saying, I do remember my faults this day : ¹² And *there* was there with us a young man, a Hebrew, servant to the captain of the guard ; and we told him, and he interpreted to us our dreams,—GEN., ch. 41.

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3099. — hurtful. *Jacob.* ³ Israel loved Joseph more than all his children, because he was the son of his old age : and he made him a coat of many colours. ⁴ And when his brethren saw that their father loved him more.. they hated him, and could not speak peaceably unto him.—GEN., ch. 37.

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3100. FEAR, Agitation from. *Job.* ¹⁴ Fear came upon me, and trembling, which made all my bones to shake. ¹⁵ Then a spirit passed before my face ; the hair of my flesh stood up : ¹⁶ It stood still, but I could not discern the form thereof.—JOB, ch. 4.

3101. — of an Angel. *Manoah.* ²⁰ When the flame went up toward heaven from off the altar.. the angel of the Lord ascended in the flame of the altar : and Manoah and his wife looked on it, and fell on their faces to the ground.. ²² And Manoah said unto his wife, We shall surely die, because we have seen God.—JUDGES, ch. 13.

3102. — — *Gideon.* ²¹ There rose up fire out of the rock, and consumed the flesh and the unleavened cakes.. ²² And when Gideon perceived that he was an angel of the Lord, Gideon said, Alas, O Lord God ! for because I have seen an angel of the Lord face to face.—JUDGES, ch. 6.

3103. — — *Mary's.* ²⁹ When she saw him, she was troubled at his saying, and cast in her mind what manner of salutation this should be. ³⁰ And the angel said.. Fear not, Mary : for thou hast found favour with God.—LUKE, ch. 1.

3104. — — *Soldier's.* ³ His countenance was like lightning, and his raiment white as snow : ⁴ And for fear of him the keepers did shake, and became as dead men.—MAT., ch. 28.

3105. — — *The Marys.* ⁶ Entering into the sepulchre, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, clothed in a long white garment ; and they were affrighted. ⁷ And he saith unto them, Be not affrighted.—MARK, ch. 16.

3106. — *Shepherds'.* ⁹ And they were sore afraid. ¹⁰ And the angel said. Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.—*Luke*, ch. 2.

3107. — *abandoned.* *Nehemiah.* ¹⁰ I came unto the house of Shemaiah. . . who was shut up; and he said, Let us meet together in the house of God. . . and let us shut the doors of the temple: for they will come to slay thee; yea, in the night will they come. . . ¹¹ And I said, should such a man as I flee? and who is there, that, being as I am, would go into the temple to save his life? I will not go in.—*NEH.*, ch. 6.

3108. — *Converts through.* *Persians.* ¹⁷ In every province. . . whithersoever the king's decree came, the Jews had joy and gladness, a feast and a good day. And many of the people of the land became Jews; for the fear of the Jews fell upon them.—*ESTHER*, ch. 8.

3109. — *The Conspirators'.* *Adonijah's Friends.* ⁴¹ Adonijah and all the guests. . . heard it as they had made an end of eating. And when Job heard the sound of the trumpet, he said, Wherefore is this noise of the city being in an uproar? ⁴² And all the guests that were with Adonijah were afraid, and rose up, and went every man his way.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 1.

3110. — *contagious.* *Soldier.* ⁸ Moses said, the officers shall speak. . . What man is there that is fearful and fainthearted? let him go and return unto his house, lest his brethren's heart faint as well as his heart.—*DEUT.*, ch. 20.

3111. — *Conscientious.* *Pilate.* ⁷ By our law he ought to die, because he made himself the Son of God. ⁹ When Pilate therefore heard that saying, he was the more afraid; ¹⁰ And went again into the judgment hall, and saith unto Jesus, Whence art thou? But Jesus gave him no answer.—*JOHN*, ch. 19.

3112. — *God disarms.* *Moses.* ² When ye are come nigh unto the battle. . . the priest shall. . . shall say unto them, Hear, O Israel. . . let not your hearts faint, fear not, and do not tremble, neither be ye terrified because of them; ⁴ For the Lord your God is he that goeth with you, to fight for you.—*DEUT.*, ch. 20.

3113. — *A Dreamer's.* *Midianite.* ¹³ There was a man that told a dream unto his fellow, and said. . . a cake of barley bread tumbled into the host of Midian, and came unto a tent, and smote it that it fell, and overturned it. . . ¹⁴ And his fellow answered. . . This is nothing else save the sword of Gideon. . . for into his hand hath God delivered Midian.—*JUDGES*, ch. 7.

3114. — *distrusts God.* *At Red Sea.* ¹³ For it had been better for us to serve the Egyptians, than that we should die in the wilderness. ¹⁴ And Moses said. . . Fear ye not, stand still, and see the salvation of the Lord. . . for the Egyptians whom ye have seen to day, ye shall see them again no more for ever.—*EX.*, ch. 14.

3115. — *of Disapproval.* *Saul.* ⁹ Saul and the people spared Agag, and the best of the sheep. . . oxen. . . fatlings, and the lambs, and all that was good, and would not utterly destroy them: but every thing that was vile and refuse, that they destroyed utterly. ³⁴ And Saul said unto Samuel, I have sinned: for I have transgressed the commandment of the Lord. . . I feared the people, and obeyed their voice.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 15.

3116. — *Disqualified by.* *Israelites.* ² The Lord said unto Gideon, The people that are with thee are too many for me to give the Midianites into their hands, lest Israel vaunt themselves against me, saying, Mine own hand hath saved me. ³ Now. . . Whosoever is fearful and afraid, let him return. . . And there returned. . . twenty and two thousand; and there remained ten thousand.—*JUDGES*, ch. 7.

3117. — *Demoralizing.* *Israelites.* ⁵ The Philistines gathered. . . thirty thousand chariots, and six thousand horsemen, and people as the sand which is on the sea shore in multitude. . . ⁶ When the men of Israel saw that they were in a strait, (for the people were distressed,) then the people did hide themselves in caves, and in thickets, and in rocks, and in high places, and in pits.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 13.

3118. — *Disobedience through.* *King Saul.* ¹¹ Samuel said, What hast thou done? And Saul said, Because I saw that the people were scattered from me, and that thou camest not within the days appointed, and that the Philistines gathered themselves together at Michmash; ¹² Therefore said I, The Philistines will come down now upon me to Gilgal, and I have not made supplication unto the Lord: I forced myself therefore, and offered a burnt offering.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 13. [It cost him the kingdom.]

3119. — *Diverted through.* *Israelites.* ¹⁷ God led them not through the way of the land of the Philistines, although that was near; for God said, Lest peradventure the people repent when they see war, and they return to Egypt: ¹⁸ But God led the people about, through the way of the wilderness.—*EX.*, ch. 13.

3120. — *Disturbing.* *Last Journey.* ²² They were. . . going up to Jerusalem; and Jesus went before them: and they were amazed; and as they followed, they were afraid. And he took again the twelve, and began to tell them what things should happen unto him.—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

3121. — *The Evildoers'.* *Sons of Jacob.* ¹⁸ Their father was dead, they said, Joseph will peradventure hate us, and will certainly requite us all the evil which we did unto him. ¹⁶ And they sent a messenger unto Joseph, saying, Thy father did command before he died, saying, ¹⁷ So shall ye say unto Joseph, Forgive.—*GEN.*, ch. 50.

3122. — *Excessive.* *Transfiguration.* ² A bright cloud overshadowed them: and behold a voice out of the cloud, which said, This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased; hear ye him. ⁶ And when the disciples heard it, they fell on their face, and were sore afraid. ⁷ And Jesus came and touched them, and said, Arise, and be not afraid.—*MAT.*, ch. 17.

3123. — *Ensnaring.* *Proverb.* ²⁵ The fear of man bringeth a snare: but whose putteth his trust in the Lord shall be safe.—*PROV.*, ch. 29.

3124. — *no Excuse.* *Saul.* [See No. 3118.]

3125. — *Exiled by.* *Joseph.* ¹⁹ Herod was dead, behold, an angel of the Lord appeareth in a dream to Joseph in Egypt, ²⁰ Saying, Arise, and take the young child and his mother, and go into the land of Israel: for they are dead which sought the young child's life.—*MAT.*, ch. 2.

3126. — *of an Enemy.* *Goliath.* ¹⁰ The Philistine said, I defy the armies of Israel this day; give me a man, that we may fight together.

¹¹ When Saul and all Israel heard those words of the Philistine, they were dismayed, and greatly afraid.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

3127. — of the Elements. *Israelites.* ¹⁷ He shall send thunder and rain; that ye may perceive. . . your wickedness is great, which ye have done. . . in asking you a king. ¹⁸ Samuel called unto the Lord, and the Lord sent thunder and rain that day: and all the people greatly feared the Lord and Samuel.—1 SAM., ch. 12.

3128. — Failure through. *Israelites.* ²⁰ Caleb stilled the people. . . and said, Let us go up at once, and possess it; for we are well able to overcome it. ²¹ But the men that went up with him said, We be not able to go up against the people; for they are stronger than we.—NUM., ch. 13.

3129. — Cripple's Faith. *Peter.* ²⁹ When Peter was come down out of the ship, he walked on the water, to go to Jesus. ³⁰ But when he saw the wind boisterous, he was afraid; and beginning to sink, he cried, saying, Lord, save me.—MAT., ch. 14.

3130. — of the Good. *Herod.* ³⁰ Herod feared John, knowing that he was a just man and a holy, and observed him; and when he heard him, he did many things, and heard him gladly.—MARK, ch. 6.

3131. — Glad Tidings received with. *Zacharias.* ¹¹ There appeared unto him an angel of the Lord, standing on the right side of the altar of incense. ¹² And when Zacharias saw him, he was troubled, and fear fell upon him. ¹³ But the angel said, Fear not, Zacharias; for thy prayer is heard; and thy wife Elisabeth shall bear thee a son, and thou shalt call his name John.—LUKE, ch. 1.

3132. — — — *Shepherds.* [See No. 3106.]

3133. — Helpless through. *Enemies.* ³ When all the kings of the Amorites. . . and. . . of the Canaanites. . . heard that the Lord had dried up the waters of Jordan from before the children of Israel, until we were passed over. . . their heart melted, neither was there spirit in them any more.—JOSH., ch. 5.

3134. — Ill-timed. *Women.* ⁸ And they went out quickly, and fled from the sepulchre; for they trembled and were amazed: neither said they any thing to any man; for they were afraid.—MARK, ch. 16.

3135. — through Ignorance. *At Dothan.* ¹⁵ A host compassed the city. . . And his servant said, Alas, my master! how shall we do? ¹⁶ And he answered, Fear not: for they that be with us are more than they that be with them. ¹⁷ And Elisha prayed. . . And the Lord opened the eyes of the young man; and he saw: and, behold, the mountain was full of horses and chariots of fire round about Elisha.—2 KINGS, ch. 6.

3136. — Insincerity through. *Jews.* ²⁶ The baptism of John, whence was it? from heaven, or of men? And they reasoned with themselves, saying, If we shall say, From heaven; he will say unto us, Why did ye not then believe him? ²⁷ But if we shall say, Of men; we fear the people; for all hold John as a prophet. ²⁸ And they answered Jesus, We cannot tell.—MAT., ch. 21.

3137. — Infected with. *Ten Spies Report.* ²² The people be strong. . . the cities are walled,

and very great; and moreover we saw the children of Anak there. ²⁹ The Amalekites dwell in the land of the south: and the Hittites, and the Jebusites, and the Amorites, dwell in the mountains: and the Canaanites dwell by the sea, and by the coast of Jordan.—NUM., ch. 13. ¹ The congregation said unto them, Would God that we had died in the land of Egypt!—NUM., ch. 14.

3138. — of God's Majesty. *Sinai.* ¹⁸ All the people saw the thunders, and the lightnings, and the noise of the trumpet, and the mountain smoking; and. . . they removed, and stood afar off. ¹⁹ And they said unto Moses, Speak thou with us, and we will hear: but let not God speak with us, lest we die.—EX., ch. 20.

3139. ["Fear not" is repeated nearly eighty times in the Word of God.]

3140. — Needless. *Lord to Joshua.* ⁹ Be strong and of a good courage; be not afraid, neither be thou dismayed: for the Lord thy God is with thee whithersoever thou goest.—JOSH., ch. 1.

3141. — Panic from. *At Red Sea.* ²⁴ The Lord looked. . . through the pillar of fire and of the cloud, and troubled the host of the Egyptians, ²⁵ And took off their chariot wheels, that they drove them heavily: so that the Egyptians said, Let us flee from the face of Israel; for the Lord fighteth for them.—EX., ch. 14.

3142. — Punished through. *Idolaters.* ²⁶ I will send a faintness into their hearts in the lands of their enemies; and the sound of a shaken leaf shall chase them; and they shall flee, as fleeing from a sword; and they shall fall when none pursueth. ²⁷ And they shall fall one upon another. . . and ye shall have no power to stand before your enemies.—LEV., ch. 26.

3143. — Prostrating. "*Saul fell. . . no Strength.*" ¹⁹ The Lord will also deliver Israel with thee into the hand of the Philistines: and to morrow shall thou and thy sons be with me. . . shall deliver the host of Israel into the hand of the Philistines. ²⁰ Then Saul fell straightway all along on the earth, and was sore afraid, because of the words of Samuel: and there was no strength in him; for he had eaten no bread all the day, nor all the night.—1 SAM., ch. 28.

3144. — Precaution of. *Disciples.* ¹⁹ The same day at evening, being the first day of the week, when the doors were shut where the disciples were assembled for fear of the Jews, came Jesus and stood in the midst.—JOHN, ch. 20.

3145. — Religious. *Pentecost.* ⁴¹ About three thousand souls. ⁴² . . . continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers. ⁴³ And fear came upon every soul.—ACTS, ch. 2.

3146. — Jesus removes. *Walking the Sea.* ²⁰ They all saw him, and were troubled. And immediately he saith unto them, Be of good cheer: it is I; be not afraid. ²¹ And he went. . . into the ship; and the wind ceased: and they were sore amazed in themselves beyond measure, and wondered.—MARK, ch. 6.

3147. — Restraint of. *Parents.* ²¹ Who hath opened his eyes, we know not: he is of age; ask him: he shall speak for himself. ²² . . . they feared the Jews: for the Jews had agreed already, that if any man did confess that

he was Christ, he should be put out of the synagogue.—JOHN, ch. 9.

3148. — — — *Believers.* ⁴³ Among the chief rulers also many believed on him; but because of the Pharisees they did not confess him, lest they should be put out of the synagogue.—JOHN, ch. 12.

3149. — — — *Joseph.* ²⁸ After this Joseph of Arimathea, being a disciple of Jesus, but secretly for fear of the Jews, besought Pilate that he might take away the body of Jesus: and Pilate gave him leave.—JOHN, ch. 19.

3150. — — — *Restless through. Israelites.* ¹⁵ Among these nations shalt thou find no ease, neither shall the sole of thy foot have rest: but the Lord shall give thee there a trembling heart, and failing of eyes, and sorrow of mind: ¹⁶ And thy life shall hang in doubt before thee; and thou shalt fear day and night, and shalt have none assurance of thy life: ¹⁷ In the morning thou shalt say, Would God it were even! and at even thou shalt say, Would God it were morning!—DEUT., ch. 28.

3151. — — — *Fugitives through. Disciples.* ¹⁴ Then all the disciples forsook him, and fled. ¹⁵ And they . . . led him away to Caiaphas the high priest, where the scribes and the elders were assembled. ¹⁶ But Peter followed him afar off. . . and went in, and sat with the servants, to see the end.—MAT., ch. 26.

3152. — — — *A sacred. Jacob.* ¹⁶ Jacob awaked out of his sleep, and he said, Surely the Lord is in this place; and I knew it not. ¹⁷ And he was afraid, and said, How dreadful is this place! this is none other but the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.—GEN., ch. 28.

3153. — — — *Surrender of. Ammon and Moab.* ¹¹ Ye shall not need to fight in this battle: set yourselves, stand ye still, and see the salvation of the Lord with you, O Judah and Jerusalem: fear not, nor be dismayed; to morrow go out against them: for the Lord will be with you.—2 CHRON., ch. 20.

3154. — — — *A slavish. Sinner's.* ¹⁴ The sinners in Zion are afraid; fearfulness hath surprised the hypocrites. Who among us shall dwell with the devouring fire? who among us shall dwell with everlasting burnings?—ISA., ch. 33.

3155. — — — *Sacrifice through. King Ahaz.* ¹² Because the gods of the kings of Syria help them, therefore will I sacrifice to them, that they may help me. But they were the ruin of him, and of all Israel.—2 CHRON., ch. 28.

3156. — — — *The Sinner's. Adam.* ⁸ They heard the voice of the Lord God walking in the garden in the cool of the day: and Adam and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the Lord God amongst the trees.—GEN., ch. 2.

3157. — — — *Servile. One Talent.* ³⁰ Lord, behold, here is thy pound, which I have kept laid up in a napkin: ³¹ For I feared thee, because thou art an austere man: thou takest up that thou laydest not down, and reapest that thou didst not sow.—LUKE, ch. 19.

3158. — — — *from Suspicion. Disciples.* ²⁶ When Saul was come to Jerusalem, he assayed to join himself to the disciples: but they were all afraid of him, and believed not that he was a disciple.—ACTS, ch. 9.

3159. — — — *restrains Testimony. At Jerusalem.* ¹⁸ There was much murmuring among the people concerning him: for some said, He is a good man: others said, Nay; but he deceiveth the people. ¹⁹ Howbeit no man spake openly of him for fear of the Jews.—JOHN, ch. 7.

3160. — — — *of a Tempest. Pharaoh.* ²³ Moses stretched forth his rod toward heaven: and the Lord sent thunder and hail, and the fire ran along upon the ground. . . ²⁴ So there was hail, and fire mingled with the hail, very grievous, such as there was none like it in all the land. . . ²⁵ Entreat the Lord (for it is enough) that there be no more mighty thunderings and hail; and I will let you go.—EX., ch. 9.

3161. — — — *through Unbelief. Tempest.* ²⁴ Master, we perish. Then he arose, and rebuked the wind and the raging of the water: and they ceased, and there was a calm. ²⁵ And he said. . . Where is your faith? And they being afraid wondered, saying one to another, What manner of man is this! for he commandeth even the winds and water, and they obey him.—LUKE, ch. 8.

3162. — — — *An unreasonable. Gadarenes.* ¹⁵ They come to Jesus, and see him that was possessed with the devil, and had the legion, sitting, and clothed, and in his right mind; and they were afraid. ¹⁶ And they that saw it told them. . . concerning the swine.—MARK, ch. 5.

3163. — — — *Unmanned by. Israelites.* ⁵ The men of Ai. . . they chased them from before the gate even unto Shebarim, and smote them in the going down: wherefore the hearts of the people melted, and became as water.—JOSH., ch. 7.

3164. — — — *Victims of. Said Rahab.* ¹⁰ We have heard how the Lord dried up the water of the Red sea for you. . . and what ye did unto the two kings of the Amorites. . . Sihon and Og, whom ye utterly destroyed. ¹¹ And. . . our hearts did melt, neither did there remain any more courage in any man.—JOSH., ch. 2.

3165. — — — *Weakened by. Peter.* ¹² Before that certain came from James, he did eat with the Gentiles: but when they were come, he withdrew and separated himself, fearing them which were of the circumcision. ¹³ And the other Jews dissembled likewise with him.—GAL., ch. 2.

3166. — — — *to Worship. David.* ²⁶ The tabernacle of the Lord, which Moses made in the wilderness, and the altar of the burnt offering, were at that season in the high place at Gibeon. ²⁷ But David could not go before it to inquire of God: for he was afraid because of the sword of the angel of the Lord.—1 CHRON., ch. 21.

3167. FEARS of Old Age. Jacob. ²⁸ My son shall not go down with you; for his brother is dead, and he is left alone: if mischief befall him by the way. . . then shall ye bring down my gray hairs with sorrow to the grave.—GEN., ch. 42.

3168. — — — *Restrained by. Enemies.* ¹⁸ The scribes and chief priests heard it, and sought how they might destroy him: for they feared him, because all the people was astonished at his doctrine.—MARK, ch. 11.

3169. — — — *Victorious. Caleb said.* ⁹ Rebel not ye against the Lord, neither fear ye the people of the land; for they are bread for us: their defence is departed from them, and the Lord is

with us : fear them not. ¹⁰ But all the congregation bade stone them with stones.—NUM., ch. 14.

3170. FEARFUL, but Faithful. *Thomas.* ¹ His disciples say . . Master, the Jews of late sought to stone thee ; and goest thou thither again ? ¹⁶ Then said Thomas . . unto his fellow-disciples, Let us also go, that we may die with him.—JOHN, ch. 11.

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3173. — A birthday. *Herod.* ¹¹ Herod on his birthday made a supper to his lords, high captains, and chief estates of Galilee ; ¹² The daughter of the said Herodias . . danced, and pleased Herod and them that sat with him.—MARK, ch. 6.

3174. — A charitable. *Jesus said,* ¹⁸ When thou makest . . a supper, call not thy friends . . brethren . . kinsmen . . rich neighbours ; lest they also bid thee again, and a recompense be made thee. ¹³ But . . call the poor, the maimed, the blind ; ¹⁴ And thou shalt be blessed ; for they cannot recompense thee : for thou shalt be recompensed at the resurrection.—LUKE, ch. 14.

3175. — Complimentary. By Lazarus.

¹ Jesus . . came to Bethany, where Lazarus was . . whom he raised from the dead. ² There they made him a supper ; and Martha served : but Lazarus was one of them that sat at the table with him.—JOHN, ch. 12.

3176. — To Jesus. ¹⁹ Levi made him a great feast in his own house ; and there was a great company of publicans, and of others that sat down with them.—LUKE, ch. 5.

3177. — Death at. *Job's Sons.* ¹⁸ Thy sons and thy daughters were eating and drinking wine in their eldest brother's house : ¹⁹ . . there came a great wind from the wilderness, and smote the four corners of the house, and it fell upon the young men, and they are dead.—JOB, ch. 1.

3178. — sadly ended, A. Murder. ²² Absalom had sheepshearers in Baal-hazor . . and . . invited all the king's sons. ²⁸ Now Absalom had commanded his servants, saying, Mark ye now when Amnon's heart is merry with wine, and when I say unto you, Smite Amnon ; then kill him, fear not . . be courageous, and be valiant. ²⁹ And the servants of Absalom did . . Then all the king's sons arose . . gat him up upon his mule, and fled.—2 SAM., ch. 13.

3179. — A farewell. *Elisha.* [After receiving his prophetic call.] ¹¹ he returned . . took a yoke of oxen, and slew them, and boiled their flesh with the instruments of the oxen, and gave unto the people, and they did eat. Then he

arose, and went after Elijah, and ministered unto him.—1 KINGS, ch. 19.

3180. — A great. Dedication. ¹ King Solomon offered a sacrifice of twenty and two thousand oxen, and a hundred and twenty thousand sheep. So the king and all the people dedicated the house of God.—2 CHRON., ch. 7.

3181. — An idolatrous. Golden Calf. ¹ They rose up early, and offered burnt offerings, and brought peace offerings; and the people sat down to eat and to drink, and rose up to play.—EX., ch. 32.

3182. — An impious. Belshazzar. ¹ Belshazzar the king made a great feast to a thousand of his lords. ² Then they brought the golden vessels that were taken out of the temple at Jerusalem; and the king and his princes, his wives and his concubines, drank in them. ³ They drank wine, and praised the gods.—DAN., ch. 5.

3183. — A joyous. Tabernacles. ²⁸ When ye have gathered in the fruit of the land. ⁴⁰ And ye shall take on the first day the boughs of goodly trees, branches of palm trees, and the boughs of thick trees, and willows of the brook; and ye shall rejoice before the Lord your God seven days. ⁴² Seven days all that are Israelites born shall dwell in booths.—LEV., ch. 23.

3184. — A marriage. At Cana. ² Both Jesus was called, and his disciples, to the marriage. ³ The ruler of the feast had tasted the water that was made wine, and knew not whence it was.—JOHN, ch. 2.

3185. — A royal. Ahasuerus. ¹ The king made a feast in Shushan both unto great and small, seven days, in the court of the garden of the king's palace; ² Where were white, green, and blue hangings, fastened with cords of fine linen and purple to silver rings and pillars of marble: the beds were of gold and silver, upon a pavement of red, and blue, and white, and black marble. ³ And they gave them drink in vessels of gold (the vessels being diverse), and royal wine in abundance. ⁴ And the drinking was according to the law; none did compel: for so the king had appointed, that they should do according to every man's pleasure.—ESTHER, ch. 1.

3186. FEASTS, National. Three. ¹⁴ Three times thou shalt keep a feast unto me in the year. ¹⁵ The feast of unleavened bread: thou shalt eat unleavened bread seven days, in it thou camest out from Egypt. ¹⁶ And the feast of harvest, the firstfruits of thy labours, in the field: and the feast of ingathering, when thou hast gathered in thy labours out of the field.—EX., ch. 23.

3187. FEASTING, Affection from. Isaac. ²⁸ Isaac loved Esau, because he did eat of his venison: but Rebekah loved Jacob.—GEN., ch. 25.

See other illustrations under:

EATING.

Bigotry. This man receiveth sinners, and eateth 2590
Conscientious. Sacrifice to idols. eat not 2591
Considerate. If meat make my brother to offend 2592
Castle. [Joseph] They set on for him by himself 2593
Prevented. [Jesus] Multitude cometh, not eat 2594
" [Grief] Hannah, fret, wept, not eat 2595
Restricted. Tree of the knowledge, not eat of it 2596
Separation. Brother, fornicator, covetous, not 2597
Trial. One, which eateth with me shall betray me 2598

FOOD.

Animal. Every moving thing, shall be meat for 3295
Better than. Esteemed the words, more than my 3297
Cleansed. What G. had cleansed, call not 3298
Costly. Jacob gave Esau bread and pottage and 3299
Chosen. Let them give us pulso to eat, water 3290
Daily. Give us this day our daily bread 3292
Diminished. [Sin] Given you cleanness of teeth 3293
Example. Conscience of him which is weak, emb. 3294
Forbidden. Ye may eat of, trees of the garden 3295
Favorite. I am old, take me some venison, I love 3296
Friendship. Isaac loved Esau because, of his ven. 3297
Famine. Besieged Samaria, ass's head, 80 silver 3298
Freedom to gather. Neighbour's vineyard, eat 3299
God honoured. Eat either bread nor, until, offer. 3300
God gives. Consider the ravens, God feedeth them 3301
Heavenly. L. evermore give us of this bread 3302
Life-giving. Lest, take, tree of life, and live 3303
Miraculous. L. brought quails from the sea 3304
" Elijah, ravens brought him bread 3305
" Elijah, angel, cake baked on the 3306
" [5000 fed] Did all eat, and were filled 3307
" [100 fed] Twelve loaves of barley 3308
" [Manna] Did eat manna 40 years 3309
Necessity. Better than, honoureth himself and 3310
Natural. John, his meat was locusts and wild 3311
Perilous. Jonathan, taste a little honey, must die 3312
Prohibited. Life of the flesh is in the blood 3313
" Eat no, fat of ox, sheep, or goat 3314
Prudence. Fed you with milk, not with meat 3315
Promised. Trust in the L. and do good, be fed 3316
" He that walketh righteously, bread 3317
Restricted. Beasts, parteth the hoof, cheweth the 3318
Scarcity. Handful of meal, little oil, eat, and die 3319
Supplies. Solomon's provision for one day, 20 oxen 3320
Spiritual. Labour, meat which endureth, life 3321
Scruples. Some with conscience of the idol, eat it 3322
Thanks. Jesus took bread, and blessed it, and 3323
" Jesus blessed and brake the loaves 3324
" [Paul shipwrecked] took bread, and gave 3325
Temptation in. Fasted 40 days, tempter came 3326
Weeping. Every man in the door of his tent 3327
Festival. David dealt to every one, cake, wine 3309
Preparation. M. may be hanged, go merrily, unto 154
Perpetual. A merry heart hath a continual feast 1139
Select. Let the king and Haman come to the 4099
Sorrowful. One of you, betray me, sorrowful, is 88

3188. FEEBLENESS, Ashamed of. Ezra. ²⁹ I was ashamed to require of the king a band of soldiers and horsemen to help us, because we had spoken unto the king, saying, The hand of our God is upon all them for good that seek him; but his power and his wrath is against all them that forsake him.—EZRA, ch. 8.

3189. — of Age. Eli. ¹⁵ Eli was ninety and eight years old; and his eyes were dim, that he could not see.—1 SAM., ch. 4.

3190. — David. ¹ King David was old and stricken in years; and they covered him with clothes, but he gat no heat.—1 KINGS, ch. 1.

See other illustrations under:

FAINT.

Pursuing. David pursued, he and 400, 300 so faint 2880
Strength. Wait upon the L., run, and not be weary 2881

FAINTING.

Hunger. I. were distressed, none fasted food 2882
Preserved. I had fainted unless I had believed 2883
" Our outward man perish, yet the 2884
Weakness. If thou faint, thy strength is small 2885

FATIGUE.

of Indifference. Table of the L. Behold what a 3078
Overcome. 200 were so faint they could not go 3079
Overwork. Come. into a desert place, and rest 3080
Sleep. He cometh. disciples, and findeth them 3081
Travellers. Jesus being wearied. sat thus on the 3082

WEAK.

Care for. Offend one of these little ones. hanged 9391
" Take heed lest. a stumblingblock 9392
Help. If there be no man to save us, we will come 9393

WEAKNESS.

Believers. Fed you with milk. not able to bear it 9394
" Repent when they see war, and return 9395
Conscious. I am this day weak, though. king 9396
Flesh. Moses' hands were heavy. stayed up his h. 9397
Instruments. Lice. flies. land was corrupted 9398
Moral. Peter separated himself, fearing them 9399
Personal. Abide in me. without me. nothing 9400
Remembered. I was with you in weakness 9401
Submission. I am thine, and all that I have 9402
Spiritless. Their hearts melted, neither. any s. 9403
" Hearts. melted and became as water 9404

Care. Brethren, comfort the feeble—1 Thess. 5: 14
Destroyed. Amalekites smote all. feeble—Deut. 25: 18
Death. Abner dead, Ish-bosheth's. feeble—2 Sam. 4: 1
Despised. What do these feeble Jews? 7429
Exempt. Not one feeble person among their tribes 6723
Fear. Angel rolled back the stone. as dead men 261
Weariness. Thou layest the burden of all. on me 9448

3191. FEELING, Compassionate. Samaritan. [See No. 3193.] ³³ But a certain Samaritan, as he journeyed, came where he was; and when he saw him, he had compassion on him.—LUKE, ch. 12.

3192. — Past. Jews. ³⁹ They could not believe, because. ⁴⁰ He hath blinded their eyes, and hardened their heart; that they should not see with their eyes, nor understand with their heart, and be converted.—JOHN, ch. 12.

3193. — Without. Levite. ³⁰ Jesus. said, A certain man. fell among thieves, which stripped him of his raiment, and wounded him. leaving him half dead. ³² a Levite, when he was at the place, came and looked on him, and passed by on the other side.—LUKE, ch. 12.

3194. FEELINGS concealed. For Benjamin. ²⁰ Joseph made haste; for his bowels did yearn upon his brother: and he sought where to weep; and he entered into his chamber, and wept there. ³¹ And he washed his face, and went out, and refrained himself, and said, Set on bread.—GEN., ch. 43.

3195. — Control of. For his Brethren. ²³ They knew not that Joseph understood them; for he spake unto them by an interpreter. ²⁴ And he turned himself about from them, and wept; and returned to them again.—GEN., ch. 42.

3196. — in Music. Captives. ³ They that carried us away captive required of us a song; and they that wasted us required of us mirth, saying, Sing us one of the songs of Zion. ⁴ How shall we sing the Lord's song in a strange land? —Ps. 137.

3197. — Responsive. Jesus. ³³ The people saw them departing. and ran afoot thither out of all cities, and outwent them, and came together unto him. ³⁴ And Jesus. was moved with compassion toward them, because they were as sheep not having a shepherd: and he began to teach them.—MARK, ch. 6.

3198. — Strong. For Lazarus. ³² When Jesus. saw her weeping, and the Jews also weeping. he groaned in the spirit, and was troubled, ³⁴ And said, Where have ye laid him? They say unto him, Lord, come and see. ³⁵ Jesus wept.—JOHN, ch. 11.

3199. — suppressed. Haman. ⁹ Then went Haman forth. joyful and with a glad heart: but when Haman saw Mordecai in the king's gate, that he stood not up, nor moved for him, he was full of indignation. ¹⁰ Nevertheless Haman refrained himself.—ESTHER, ch. 5.

See other illustrations under:

ANGUISH.

Bereavement. Let her alone, for her soul is vexed 416
Bitter. Esau cried. Bless me, even me also 417

AGITATION.

Deception. Who art thou? Esau. Isaac trembled 256
Diffuses. Disputed he in the synagogue. market 257
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General. [Philistines] Trembling in the host. field 259
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Terror. [Job's vision] Trembling. my bones 263

EMOTION.

Changed. Jesus showed them his hands. disciples 2625
Exhibited. Shaphan read it. the king rent his 2622
Irrepressible. Joseph made haste. sought where 2623
Mixed. Ancient men. seen the first. wept 2626
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TERROR.

Prostrating. Saul fell. all along on the ground 8723
Sinners. Belshazzar's. knees smote one against 8724
Sublime. Sinai. so terrible. I exceedingly fear 8725

Expressed. Woman. box of ointment. at his feet 170
Overwhelming. O, my son Absalom, my son, my 163
Sympathy. High priest. touched with a feeling of 6348

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3200. FEET consecrated. Priests'. ²⁴ He brought Aaron's sons, and Moses put of the blood upon the tip of their right ear, and upon the thumbs of their right hands, and upon the great toes of their right feet.—LEV., ch. 8.

3201. — Hallowing. Bush. ⁵ Draw not nigh hither: put off thy shoes from off thy feet; for the place whereon thou standest is holy ground.—EX., ch. 3.

See other illustrations under:

LAMENESS.

Disqualification. Not offer the bread of his God 4878
" Lame. thou shalt not—Deut. 15: 21
Healed. Never had walked. leaped and walked 4879
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WALK.

Holy. Enoch walked with G. 300 years 9275
Perfect. Noah. just man. perfect. walked with 9276
Saintly. Do justly, love mercy. walk. with thy G. 9277
Benevolence. Feet was I to the lame [Job] 4827
of Majesty. Saw the G. of I. under his feet 50
Hallowing. Take off thy shoes from thy feet 7394
Kissing. Woman. a sinner. ointment. kissed his 170
Neglected. Mephibosheth had not dressed his feet 5697
Prepared. Your feet shod with the preparation of 2109
Sacrificed. Ye offer the lame for sacrifice 5848

Swift. Anahel was as light of foot as a wild roe 7489
 " He maketh my feet like hinds' feet 6977
 Tripped. Youth arise..push away my feet—Job 30 : 12
 Worship. She kissed his feet, and anointed them 7317

3202. FELLOWSHIP, Fraternal. Ananias.
 " Putting his hands on him said, Brother Saul, the Lord, even Jesus, that appeared unto thee in the way as thou camest, hath sent me, that thou mightest receive thy sight, and be filled with the Holy Ghost.—Acts, ch. 9.

3203. — Grand. Christian. " Ye are come unto mount Sion, and unto..the heavenly Jerusalem, and to an innumerable company of angels, " To the general assembly and church of the firstborn, which are written in heaven, and to God the Judge of all, and to the spirits of just men made perfect, " And to Jesus the mediator of the new covenant.—HEB., ch. 12.

3204. — invited. Jethro. " Moses said unto Hobab..the Midianite, Moses' father in law, We are journeying unto the place of which the Lord said, I will give it you : come thou with us, and we will do thee good : for the Lord hath spoken good concerning Israel.—NUM., ch. 10.

3205. — Primitive. Communistic. " All that believed were together, and had all things common ; " And sold their possessions and goods, and parted them..as every man had need.—Acts, ch. 2.

3206. — prohibited. Vicious. " I have written unto you not to keep company, if any man that is called a brother be a fornicator, or covetous, or an idolater, or a railer, or a drunkard, or an extortioner ; with such a one not to eat.—1 COR., ch. 5.

3207. — refused. Simon Magus. " Give me also this power, that on whomsoever I lay hands, he may receive the Holy Ghost. " But Peter said..Thy money perish with thee, because thou hast thought that the gift of God may be purchased with money. " Thou hast neither part nor lot in this matter : for thy heart is not right in the sight of God.—Acts, ch. 8.

3208. — Safety by. Disciples. " There came down a storm of wind on the lake ; and they were filled with water, and were in jeopardy. " And they..awoke him, saying, Master, master, we perish. Then he arose, and rebuked the wind and the raging of the water : and they ceased.—LUKE, ch. 8.

See other Illustrations under :

COMMUNION.

Blood. Moses..sprinkled it on the people 1408
 Corrects. Can any good thing come..? Come..see 1409
 Evildoers. Filled with madness..communed..do 1410
 God. Abraham..was called the friend of God 1411
 Invitation. I stand at the door..open..I will 1413
 Mysterious. We will come..make our abode with 1414
 Old Age. Abram [at 99]..walk before me..be perfect 1415
 Protracted. Moses was in the mount forty days 1416
 Recorded. They that feared the L..book of 1417
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 " If two of you shall agree on earth 1419
 Saints. No more..foreigners, but fellow citizens 1420
 Walking. Enosh walked with God. God took 1421

Christian. Continued in the apostle's doctrine, and 7347
 Divine. Our fellowship is with the F.—1 John 1 : 3
 Means. If we walk in the light..have fellowship 5086

See FRIEND and FRIENDSHIP.

3209. FESTIVAL, A Church. Bringing in the Ark. " As soon as David had made an end of offering burnt offerings and peace offerings, he blessed the people in the name of the Lord of hosts. " And he dealt..as well to the women as men, to every one a cake of bread, and a good piece of flesh, and a flagon of wine.—2 SAM., ch. 6.

See FEAST.

3210. FEW, Influence of a. Three Hundred.
 " There remained ten thousand. " And the Lord said unto Gideon, The people are yet too many. " So the people took victuals in their hand, and their trumpets : and he sent all the rest of Israel every man unto his tent, and retained those three hundred men.—JUDGES, ch. 7. [The Midianites were destroyed.]

See other Illustrations under :

NUMBERS.

Danger. Lest I vaunt..my own hand saved me 5744
 Despised. Jonathan said unto his armourbearer 5745
 Disparity. I like two little flocks of kids 5746
 " L. It is nothing with thee, whether with 5747
 Invisible. Mountain was full of horses..fire 5748
 Pride. David's heart smote him after he had n. 5749

ONE.

Care. Martha was cumbered..Mary..one thing 5883
 for God. Moses stood..Who is on the Lord's side? 5884
 with God. I, even I only..Baal's prophets 450 men 5885
 " I come to thee in the name of the L. of 5886
 vs. 1000. Samson..slew a thousand men 5887
 Power of. [Evil] Sheba hath lifted up his hand 5888
 Victory. Shamgar slew 600..delivered I. 5889

3211. FICKLENESS, Burdensome. Seventy Elders. " Shall bear the burden of the people with thee, that thou bear it not thyself alone. " And say thou..ye shall eat flesh : for ye have wept in the ears of the Lord, saying, Who shall give us flesh to eat? for it was well with us in Egypt?—NUM., ch. 11.

3212. — of Purpose. Apostates. " These..which are sown on stony ground ; who, when they have heard the word, immediately receive it with gladness ; " And have no root in themselves, and so endure but for a time : afterward, when affliction or persecution ariseth for the word's sake, immediately they are offended.—MARK, ch. 4.

3213. — Superstitious. " Gods are come..stoned." " And when the people saw what Paul had done, they lifted up their voices..The gods are come down to us in the likeness of men. " And they called Barnabas, Jupiter ; and Paul, Mercurius, because he was the chief speaker. " ..scarce restrained they the people, that they had not done sacrifice unto them. " And there came thither certain Jews from Antioch and Iconium, who persuaded the people, and, having stoned Paul, drew him out of the city, supposing he had been dead.—Acts, ch. 14.

See CHANGE and references.

3214. FIDELITY required. Buried Talent.
 " His Lord answered..Thou wicked and slothful servant, thou knewest that I reap where I sowed not, and gather where I have not strewed. " Thou oughtest therefore to have put my money to the exchangers, and then at my coming I should have received mine own with usury. " Take therefore the talent from him.—MAT., ch. 25.

3215. — *tested. Three Hebrews.* ²⁸ Nebuchadnezzar spake. Blessed be the God of Shadrach, Meshach, and Abed-nego, who hath sent his angel, and delivered his servants that trusted in him, and yielded their bodies, that they might not serve nor worship any god, except their own God.—*DAN.*, ch. 3.

3216. — *Want of. Unjust Steward.* ⁵ How much owest thou unto my lord? ⁶ And he said, A hundred measures of oil. And he said unto him, Take thy bill, and sit down quickly, and write fifty. ⁷ Then said he to another, And how much owest thou? And he said, A hundred measures of wheat. And he said unto him.. write fourscore.—*LUKE*, ch. 16.

See other illustrations under :

FAITHFULNESS.

Blessed is that servant whom his lord..so doing 2975
Constant. The fire shall ever be burning upon the 2976
Despondency. Let us also go..may die with him 2977
Honoured. I make a decree..speak..against the G. 2978
Ministerial. [See 2 Cor. 4:1-11] 2979
Primitive. All scattered abroad..except the a. 2981
Principle. Faithful in that which is least..also in 2982
Rewarded. If thou see me when I am taken..be 2983
Truth. What the L. saith unto me, that I will a. 2980

INTEGRITY.

Acknowledged. Thou art more righteous than I 4575
Conscious. The L. be judge, between me and thee 4576
Delight. The integrity of the upright shall guide 4577
Fixed. Till I die I will not remove mine integrity 4578
False. Is thy servant a dog..do this? 4579
Observed. God said, I know thou didst this 4580
Official. Witnoss..whom have I defrauded? 4581
Steadfast. L. said..Job holdeth fast his integrity 4582
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3217. *FIGHTING forbidden.* *To Rehoboam and Israel.* ²⁴ Ye shall not go up, nor fight against your brethren the children of Israel: return every man to his house; for this thing is from me. They hearkened therefore to the word of the Lord, and returned.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 12.

3218. — *against God. Syrians.* ¹⁷ The Lord opened the eyes of the young man..and, behold, the mountain was full of horses and chariots of fire round about Elisha. ¹⁸ Elisha prayed unto the Lord, and said, Smite this people, I pray thee, with blindness. And he smote them. ¹⁹ And Elisha said unto them, This is not the way, neither is this the city: follow me, and I will bring you to the man whom ye seek. But he led them to Samaria.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 6.

3219. — *for Jesus. Ill-timed.* ⁵⁰ They..laid hands on Jesus, and took him. ⁵¹ And, behold, one of them which were with Jesus..drew his sword, and struck a servant of the high priest, and smote off his ear. ⁵² Then said Jesus, Put up again thy sword..they that take the sword shall perish with the sword.—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

See WAR and references.

3220. *FINANCE, Plan of. Paul.* ¹ Concerning the collection for the saints, as I have given order to the churches of Galatia, even so do ye. ² Upon the first day of the week let every one of you lay by him in store, as God hath prospered him, that there be no gatherings when I come.—*1 COR.*, ch. 16.

3221. — *Simplicity in. Repairing the Temple.* ⁹ Jehoiada the priest took a chest, and

bored a hole in the lid of it, and set it beside the altar, on the right side..and the priests that kept the door put therein all the money that was brought into the house of the Lord.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 12.

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COST.

Count. I will follow thee..not where to lay his h. 1734
Counted. Burned their books before all men 1735
not Counted. This man began to build, and was not 1736
Sacrifice. Neither will I offer..cost me nothing 1737

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Abundant. [Temple] offered willingly..gold 5000 1657
Expenses. Charge ourselves yearly..third part of 1658
for Jesus. Women..healed..ministered..their 1659
for Levites. Firstfruits of corn, wine, oil, and 1660
Repairs. Chest..set beside the altar..right side 1661
Rebuilding. Chief of the fathers gave after their 1662
Various. Men and women..blue, purple, scarlet 1663

PRICE.

Extortionate. Esau sold his birthright unto Jacob 6550
of Perfection. Go sell..give..follow me 6551

TAX.

Burdensome. That which thou puttest on me I 8595
Collector. Levi sitting at the receipt of custom 8596

TAXATION.

Exempted. Ministers..not be lawful to impose 8597
" King will make his house free in Israel 8598
Endangered. Then will they not pay tribute 8599
Eminence by. He shall stand up..a raiser of taxes 8600
Foreign. Jehoiakim..according to his taxation 8601
Lawful. Render unto Cesar the things..are Cesar's 8602
Oppressive. We have borrowed money for the 8603
Succession. Make..this heavy yoke lighter 8604
Universal. Joseph also went up..to be taxed with 8605

TRIBUTE.

Sheep. King of Moab rendered..100,000 lambs 8602
Useless. Ahaz took a portion..but he helped..not 8604

Contribution. I have given [\$34,101,560] 3514
Estimated by. Widow..cast more in than all 711
Royalty. One day..ten fat oxen and twenty oxen 2807
Rebuilding. 61 drams of gold and 5000 pounds of 3532
Revenue. The weight of gold that came to Solomon 7316
Royalty. Solomon's provision for one day was 2807
Temple. [Costing nearly \$4,700,000,000] 4130
Vast. Gain the whole world..lose his own soul 8424

See MONEY.

3222. *FIRE, Ascension in. Angel.* ¹⁹ The angel did wondrously; and Manoah and his wife looked on. ²⁰ For..when the flame went up toward heaven from off the altar..the angel of the Lord ascended in the flame.—*JUDGES*, ch. 13.

3223. — *Answered by. David.* ²⁵ David gave to Ornan for the place six hundred shekels of gold by weight. ²⁶ And David built there an altar..and offered burnt offerings and peace offerings, and called upon the Lord; and he answered him from heaven by fire upon the altar of burnt offering.—*1 CHRON.*, ch. 21.

3224. — *Baptism of. Pentecost.* ³ There appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them.—*ACTS*, ch. 2.

3225. — *Chariots of. At Dothan.* ¹⁷ Elisha prayed, and said, Lord, I pray thee, open his eyes, that he may see. And the Lord opened the eyes of the young man; and he saw: and, behold, the mountain was full of horses and

chariots of fire round about Elisha.—2 KINGS, ch. 6.

3236. — *A constant. Altar.* ¹² The priest shall burn wood on it every morning, and lay the burnt offering in order upon it; and he shall burn thereon the fat of the peace offerings. ¹³ The fire shall ever be burning upon the altar; it shall never go out.—LEV., ch. 6.

3237. — *Consigned to. Perdition.* ⁴⁰ At the end of the world: the angels shall come forth, and sever the wicked from among the just, ⁴¹ And shall cast them into the furnace of fire: there shall be wailing and gnashing of teeth.—MAT., ch. 3.

3238. — *Descending. Carmel.* ²¹ That this people may know that thou art the Lord God, and that thou hast turned their heart back again. ²² Then the fire of the Lord fell, and consumed the burnt sacrifice, and the wood, and the stones, and the dust, and licked up the water that was in the trench.—1 KINGS, ch. 18.

3239. — *Descending in. Sinai.* ¹⁸ The Lord descended upon it in fire: and the smoke thereof ascended as the smoke of a furnace, and the whole mount quaked greatly. ¹⁹ the voice of the trumpet sounded long, and waxed louder and louder.—EX., ch. 19.

3240. — *Destructive. Sodom.* ²⁴ The Lord rained upon Sodom and upon Gomorrah brimstone and fire from the Lord out of the heaven: ²⁵ And he overthrew those cities, and all the plain, and all the inhabitants, and that which grew upon the ground.—GEN., ch. 19.

3241. — *By Moses in Egypt.* ²³ Moses stretched forth his rod toward heaven: and the Lord sent thunder and hail, and the fire ran along upon the ground.—EX., ch. 9.

3242. — *Azariah.* ¹³ The third captain, fell on his knees before Elijah, and besought him. O man of God, I pray thee, let my life, and the life of these fifty thy servants, be precious in thy sight. ¹⁴ Behold, there came fire down from heaven, and burnt up the two captains of the former fifties with their fifties.—2 KINGS, ch. 1.

3243. — *Korah.* ³⁵ There came out a fire from the Lord, and consumed the two hundred and fifty men that offered incense.—NUM., ch. 16.

3244. — *Departure in. Elijah.* ¹¹ They still went on, and talked. behold, there appeared a chariot of fire, and horses of fire, and parted them both asunder; and Elijah went up by a whirlwind into heaven.—2 KINGS, ch. 2.

3245. — *Destruction by. Jerusalem.* ⁸ Nebuzar-adan, captain, of the king of Babylon. . . burnt the house of the Lord, and the king's house, and all the houses of Jerusalem, and every great man's house.—2 KINGS, ch. 25.

3246. — *evinces Favour. Gideon.* ²¹ The angel of the Lord put forth the end of the staff that was in his hand, and touched the flesh and the unleavened cakes; and there rose up fire out of the rock, and consumed the flesh and the unleavened cakes.—JUDGES, ch. 6.

3247. — *A false. Nadab and Abihu.* ¹ Took either of them his censer, and put fire therein, and put incense thereon, and offered strange fire before the Lord, which he com-

manded them not. ² And there went out fire from the Lord, and devoured them.—LEV., ch. 10.

3248. — *Guarded by. Tabernacle.* ²⁸ The cloud of the Lord was upon the tabernacle by day, and fire was on it by night, in the sight of all the house of Israel, throughout all their journeys.—EX., ch. 40.

3249. — *Glorious. Sinai.* ¹⁷ The glory of the Lord was like devouring fire on the top of the mount in the eyes of the children of Israel. ¹⁸ And Moses went into the midst of the cloud.—EX., ch. 24.

3250. — *A holy. At Dedication.* ²⁴ There came a fire out from before the Lord, and consumed upon the altar the burnt offering and the fat: which when all the people saw, they shouted, and fell on their faces.—LEV., ch. 9.

3251. — *Temple.* ¹ When Solomon had made an end of praying, the fire came down from heaven, and consumed the burnt offering and the sacrifices. . . And the priests could not enter, because the glory of the Lord had filled the Lord's house.—2 CHRON., ch. 7.

3252. — *Lord not in. Elijah at Sinai.* ¹² After the earthquake a fire; but the Lord was not in the fire: and after the fire a still small voice.—1 KINGS, ch. 19.

3253. — *Powerless. Three Hebrews.* ²⁶ Shadrach, Meshach, and Abed-nego, came forth of the midst of the fire. ²⁷ And the princes, governors, and captains, and the king's counsellors, being gathered together, saw these men, upon whose bodies the fire had no power, nor was a hair of their head singed, neither were their coats changed, nor the smell of fire had passed on them.—DAN., ch. 3.

3254. — *of Perdition. Lake.* ⁸ The fearful, and unbelieving, and the abominable, and murderers, and whoremongers, and sorcerers, and idolaters, and all liars, shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone: which is the second death.—REV., ch. 21.

3255. — *Preparation by. Lips.* ⁵ Woe is me! for I am undone; because I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips: for mine eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts. ⁶ Then flew one of the seraphims, having a live coal in his hand, from off the altar: ⁷ And he laid it upon my mouth, and said, Lo, this hath touched thy lips; and thine iniquity is taken away, and thy sin purged. ⁸ Also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, Whom shall I send. Then said I, Here am I; send me.—ISA., ch. 6.

3256. — *A refining. Christ.* ³ He is like a refiner's fire, and like fullers' soap: ⁴ And he shall sit as a refiner and purifier of silver: and he shall purify the sons of Levi, and purge them as gold and silver, that they may offer unto the Lord an offering in righteousness.—MAL., ch. 3.

3257. — *in the Sanctuary. Tabernacle.* [See No. 3226.]

3258. — *a Test. Carmel.* ²⁴ Call ye on the name of your gods, and I will call on the name of the Lord: and the God that answereth by fire, let him be God. And all the people answered. . . It is well spoken.—1 KINGS, ch. 18.

3259. — *Unconsuming. By Horeb.* ³ The angel of the Lord appeared unto him in a flame

of fire out of the midst of a bush...and behold, the bush burned with fire, and the bush was not consumed. ³ And Moses said, I will now turn aside, and see this great sight, why the bush is not burnt.—*Ex.*, ch. 3.

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3250. FISH, A great Catch. *Gennesaret.*
⁵ Simon...said, Master, we have toiled all the night, and have taken nothing : nevertheless at thy word I will let down the net. ⁶ And...they inclosed a great multitude of fishes : and their net brake.—*LUKE*, ch. 5.

3251. — Service by. *For Jesus.* ²¹ Lest we should offend them, go thou to the sea, and cast a hook, and take up the fish that first cometh up ; and when thou hast opened his mouth, thou shalt find a piece of money : that take, and give unto them for me and thee.—*MAT.*, ch. 17.

3252. — Saved by a. *Jonah.* ¹⁰ The Lord spake unto the fish, and it vomited out Jonah upon the dry land. And Jonah was in the belly of the fish three days and three nights. ¹¹ Now the Lord had prepared a great fish to swallow up Jonah.—*JONAH*, chs. 1 and 2.

3253. FISHES, Suggestion by. *Gennesaret.*
⁶ They cast therefore, and now they were not able to draw it for the multitude of fishes.
⁷ Therefore that disciple whom Jesus loved saith unto Peter, It is the Lord.—*JOHN*, ch. 21.

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3254. FLATTERY, Dangerous. *Herod.*
²¹ Herod, arrayed in royal apparel, sat upon his throne, and made an oration unto them. ²² And the people gave a shout, saying, It is the voice of a god, and not of a man. ²³ And immediately the angel of the Lord smote him, because he gave not God the glory : and he was eaten of worms, and gave up the ghost.—*ACTS*, ch. 12.

3255. — Failure of. *Pharisees.* ¹⁶ Sent...their disciples with the Herodians, saying, Master, we know that thou art true, and teachest the way of God in truth, neither carest thou for any man : for thou regardest not the person of men. ¹⁷...Is it lawful to give tribute unto Cesar, or not?—*MAT.*, ch. 22.

3256. — Success by. *Daniel's Enemies.* ¹ All the presidents of the kingdom, the governors, and the princes, the counsellors, and the captains, have consulted together...to make a firm decree, that whosoever shall ask a petition of any god or man for thirty days, save of thee, O king, he shall be cast into the den of lions. ² Now, O king, establish the decree.—*DAN.*, ch. 6.

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3257. FLESH, Weakness of. *Garden.* ³⁰ O my Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass from me...⁴⁰ And he cometh...and findeth them asleep, and saith unto Peter, What, could ye not watch with me one hour? ⁴¹ The spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak.—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

3258. — Works of. *Evil.* ¹⁹ The works of the flesh are manifest, which are these ; Adultery, fornication, uncleanness, lasciviousness, ²⁰ Idolatry, witchcraft, hatred, variance, emulations, wrath, strife, seditions, heresies, ²¹ Envyings, murders, drunkenness, revellings, and such like...they which do such things shall not inherit the kingdom of God.—*GAL.*, ch. 5.

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3259. FLIES, Plague of. *Egypt.* ²⁴ There came a grievous swarm of flies into the house of Pharaoh, and into his servants' houses, and into all the land of Egypt : the land was corrupted by reason of the swarm of flies.—*EX.*, ch. 8.

3260. FLOWERS, Beauty of. *Jesus said,*
²¹ Consider the lilies how they grow : they toil not, they spin not ; and yet...Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these.—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

3261. — teach Faith. *Jesus said,* ²² If then God so clothe the grass, which is to day in the field, and to morrow is cast into the oven ; how much more will he clothe you, O ye of little faith? ²³ And seek not ye what ye shall eat, or what ye shall drink, neither be ye of doubtful mind.—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

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 " As a flower of the field, so he flourish—*PS.* 103 : 15
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3262. FOLLY of Anger. *Nabal.* ³ Was churlish and evil in his doings. ¹⁰ And Nabal answered David's servants...Who is David?...there be many servants nowadays that break away every man from his master. ¹¹ Shall I then take my bread, and my water, and my flesh that I have killed for my shearers, and give it unto men, whom I know not whence they be?—1 SAM., ch. 25.

3263. — Ashamed of. *Disciples.* ²² He came to Capernaum : and...he asked them, What was it that ye disputed among yourselves by the way? ²⁴ But they held their peace...they had disputed...who should be the greatest.—*MAR.*, ch. 9.

3264. — of Backsliders. *Broken Cisterns.*
¹³ My people have committed two evils : they have forsaken me the fountain of living waters, and hewed them out cisterns, broken cisterns, that can hold no water.—*JER.*, ch. 2.

3265. — Ecclesiastical. *Pharisees.* ¹⁸ Whosoever shall swear by the altar, it is nothing :

but whosoever sweareth by the gift that is upon it, he is guilty. ¹⁹ Ye fools and blind : for whether is greater, the gift, or the altar that sanctifieth the gift?—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

3266. — *Inseparable.* *Proverb.* ²² Though thou shouldest bray a fool in a mortar among wheat with a pestle, yet will not his foolishness depart from him.—*PROV.*, ch. 27.

3267. — *of Indifference.* *Builder.* ²⁶ Every one that heareth these sayings of mine, and doeth them not, shall be likened unto a foolish man, which built his house upon the sand : ²⁷ And the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house ; and it fell : and great was the fall of it.—*MAT.*, ch. 7.

3268. — *of Idolaters.* *Idols.* ⁴ Their idols are silver and gold, the work of men's hands. ⁵ They have mouths, but they speak not : eyes have they, but they see not : ⁶ They have ears, but they hear not : noses have they, but they smell not : ⁷ They have hands, but they handle not : feet have they, but they walk not : neither speak they through their throat. ⁸ They that make them are like unto them ; so is every one that trusteth in them.—*PS.* 115.

3269. — *Wood.* ¹⁴ He planteth an ash, and the rain doth nourish it. ¹⁵ Then shall it be for a man to burn : for he will take thereof, and warm himself ; yea, he kindleth it, and baketh bread ; yea, he maketh a god, and worshippeth it ; he maketh it a graven image, and falleth down thereto.—*ISA.*, ch. 44.

3270. — *Natural.* *Ostrich.* ¹⁴ Which leaveth her eggs in the earth, and warmeth them in the dust, ¹⁵ And forgetteth that the foot may crush them, or that the wild beast may break them. ¹⁷ Because God hath deprived her of wisdom.—*JOB.* ch. 39.

3271. — *of Neglect.* *Five Virgins.* ² Five of them were wise, and five were foolish. ³ They that were foolish took their lamps, and took no oil with them : ⁴ But the wise took oil in their vessels with their lamps.—*MAT.*, ch. 25.

3272. — *of the Worldly.* *Rich Fool.* ¹¹ What shall I do, because I have no room where to bestow my fruits? ¹² I will pull down my barns, and build greater ; and there will I bestow all my fruits and my goods. ¹³ And I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years ; take thine ease, eat, drink, and be merry.—*LUKE.* ch. 12.

3273. — *of Youth.* *Rehoboam.* ⁸ He forsook the counsel of the old men, and consulted with the young men that were grown up with him. ¹² And the king answered the people roughly.—*1 KINGS.* ch. 12. [Ten tribes seceded.]

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3274. *FOLLOWING to Deliverance.* *Peter.* ⁹ He went out, and followed him ; and wist not that it was true which was done by the angel ; but thought he saw a vision. ¹⁰ When they were past the first and the second ward, they came unto the iron gate that leadeth unto the city ; which opened to them of his own accord : and they went out, and passed on through one street ; and forthwith the angel departed from him.—*ACTS.* ch. 12.

3275. — *A faithful.* *Elisha.* ¹⁹ He departed thence, and found Elisha... ploughing with twelve yoke of oxen before him... and Elijah passed by him, and cast his mantle upon him. ²⁰ And he left the oxen, and ran after Elijah.—*1 KINGS.* ch. 19.

3276. — *the Leader.* *Armourbearer.* ¹³ Jonathan climbed up upon his hands and upon his feet, and his armourbearer after him : and they fell before Jonathan ; and his armourbearer slew after him.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 14.

3277. — *the Multitude.* *Hushai.* ¹⁷ Absalom said to Hushai... why wentest thou not with thy friend? ¹⁸ And Hushai said... Nay ; but whom the Lord, and this people, and all the men of Israel, choose, his will I be, and with him will I abide.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 16.

3278. — *with Trembling.* *Israelites.* ⁶ When the men of Israel saw that they were in a strait... then the people did hide themselves in caves, and in thickets, and in rocks, and in high places, and in pits. ⁷ And some... went over Jordan to... Gilead. As for Saul, he was yet in Gilgal, and all the people followed him trembling.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 13.

3279. — *Unwilling.* *Israelites.* ¹⁸ Sanctify yourselves against to morrow, and ye shall eat flesh : for ye have wept in the ears of the Lord, saying, Who shall give us flesh to eat? for it was well with us in Egypt.—*NUM.*, ch. 11.

3280. — *Jesus afar off.* *Peter.* ²³ They led Jesus away to the high priest... ²⁴ And Peter followed him afar off, even into the palace of the high priest : and he sat with the servants, and warmed himself at the fire.—*MARK.* ch. 14.

3281. — *The Delivered.* *Bartimeus.* ⁵¹ The blind man said... Lord, that I might receive my sight. ⁵² And Jesus said... Go thy way ; thy faith hath made thee whole. And immediately he received his sight, and followed Jesus in the way.—*MARK.* ch. 10.

3282. — *by forsaking All.* *Peter.* ¹⁰ Jesus said unto Simon, Fear not ; from henceforth thou shalt catch men. ¹¹ And when they had brought their ships to land, they forsook all, and followed him.—*LUKE.* ch. 5.

3283. — *with Fear.* *Disciples.* ³² They were in the way going up to Jerusalem ; and Je-

sus went before them : and they were amazed ; and as they followed, they were afraid. And he took again the twelve, and began to tell them what things should happen unto him.—**MARK**, ch. 10.

3284. — from a Word. *Andrew and John.* ²² John stood. ²⁴ And looking upon Jesus as he walked, he said, Behold the Lamb of God ! ²⁷ And the two disciples heard him speak, and they followed Jesus.—**JOHN**, ch. 1.

3285. — willingly. *Matthew.* ¹⁴ As he passed by, he saw Levi..sitting at the receipt of custom, and said unto him, Follow me. And he arose and followed him.—**MARK**, ch. 2.

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3286. FOOD, Animals for. *After the Deluge.* ² The fear of you..shall be upon every beast of the earth, and upon every fowl of the air, upon all that moveth upon the earth, and upon all the fishes of the sea : into your hand are they delivered. ³ Every moving thing that liveth shall be meat for you.—**GEN.**, ch. 9.

3287. — Better than. *Job.* ¹¹ His way have I kept, and not declined. ¹² Neither have I gone back from the commandment of his lips ; I have esteemed the words of his mouth more than my necessary food.—**JOB**, ch. 23.

3288. — cleansed of God. *Vision.* ¹⁴ Peter said, Not so, Lord ; for I have never eaten any thing that is common or unclean. ¹⁵ And the voice spake..the second time. What God hath cleansed, that call not thou common. ¹⁶ This was done thrice : and the vessel was received up again into heaven.—**ACTS**, ch. 10.

3289. — Costly. *Esau.* ³³ He sold his birthright unto Jacob. ³⁴ Then Jacob gave Esau bread and pottage of lentiles ; and he did eat and drink, and rose up, and went his way. Thus Esau despised his birthright.—**GEN.**, ch. 25.

3290. — Choice of plain. *Four Hebrews.*

¹¹ Said Daniel.. ¹² Prove thy servants, I beseech thee, ten days ; and let them give us pulse to eat, and water to drink. ¹³ Then let our countenances be looked upon before thee, and the countenance of the children that eat of the portion of the king's meat : and as thou seest, deal with thy servants.—**DAN.**, ch. 1.

3291. — Caution in eating. *Solomon.* ¹ When thou sittest to eat with a ruler, consider diligently what is before thee : ² And put a knife to thy throat if thou be a man given to appetite. ³ Be not desirous of his dainties : for they are deceitful meat.—**PROV.**, ch. 23.

3292. — Daily. *Prayer.* ¹¹ Give us this day our daily bread.—**MAT.**, ch. 6.

3293. — Diminished. *Drought.* ⁶ I also have given you cleanness of teeth in all your cities, and want of bread..yet have ye not returned unto me, saith the Lord. ⁷ And also I have withholden the rain from you, when there were yet three months to the harvest : and I caused it to rain upon one city, and caused it not to rain upon another city.—**AMOS**, ch. 4.

3294. — Example in. *Paul.* ¹⁰ If any man see thee which hast knowledge sit at meat in the idol's temple, shall not the conscience of him which is weak be emboldened to eat those things which are offered to idols ; ¹² Wherefore, if meat make my brother to offend, I will eat no flesh while the world standeth, lest I make my brother to offend.—**1 COR.**, ch. 8.

3295. — Forbidden. *Eden.* ² We may eat of the fruit of the trees of the garden : ³ But of the fruit of the tree which is in the midst of the garden, God hath said, Ye shall not eat of it, neither shall ye touch it, lest ye die.—**GEN.**, ch. 3.

3296. — Favorite. *Jacob.* ² I am old, I know not the day of my death : ³..take, I pray thee, thy weapons, thy quiver and thy bow, and go out to the field, and take me some venison ; ⁴ And make me savoury meat, such as I love.—**GEN.**, ch. 27.

3297. — Friendship by. *Isaac.* ²⁸ Isaac loved Esau, because he did eat of his venison : but Rebekah loved Jacob.—**GEN.**, ch. 25.

3298. — in Famine. *Samaria.* ²⁴ Benhadad king of Syria gathered all his host, and went up, and besieged Samaria. ²⁵ And there was a great famine in Samaria..until an ass's head was sold for fourscore pieces of silver, and the fourth part of a cab of dove's dung for five pieces of silver.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 6.

3299. — Freedom to gather. *Law.* ²⁴ Into thy neighbour's vineyard, then thou mayest eat grapes thy fill at thine own pleasure ; but thou shalt not put any in thy vessel. ²⁵ When thou comest into the standing corn of thy neighbour, then thou mayest pluck the ears with thine hand ; but thou shalt not move a sickle.—**DEUT.**, ch. 23.

3300. — Honouring God with. *Firstfruits.* ¹⁴ Ye shall eat neither bread, nor parched corn, nor green ears, until the selfsame day that ye have brought an offering unto your God : ¹⁵ it shall be a statute for ever.—**LEV.**, ch. 23.

3301. — God gives. *Ravens.* ²⁴ Consider the ravens : for they neither sow nor reap ; which neither have storehouse nor barn ; and

God feedeth them : how much more are ye better than the fowls ?—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

3302. — from Heaven. *Jesus*. ²³ Jesus said, .Moses gave you not that bread from heaven ; but my Father giveth you the true bread from heaven. ²⁴ Then said they . . Lord, evermore give us this bread. ²⁵ And Jesus said, .I am the bread of life : he that cometh to me shall never hunger ; and he that believeth on me shall never thirst.—*JOHN*, ch. 6.

3303. — Life-giving. *Eden*. ²² The Lord God said, .lest he put forth his hand, and take also of the tree of life, and eat, and live forever : ²³ Therefore the Lord God sent him forth from the garden of Eden.—*GEN.*, ch. 3.

3304. — miraculously given. *Quails*. ²³ There went forth a wind from the Lord, and brought quails from the sea, and let them fall by the camp, as it were a day's journey on this side, and . . on the other side. . . and as it were two cubits high upon . . the earth.—*NUM.*, ch. 11.

3305. — — *Elijah*. ⁶ The ravens brought him bread and flesh in the morning, and . . in the evening ; and he drank of the brook [*Cherith*].—*1 KINGS*, ch. 17.

3306. — — *Elijah*. ⁵ Slept under a juniper tree, behold, then an angel touched him, and said, .Arise and eat. ⁶ There was a cake baken on the coals, and a cruse of water at his head. And he did eat and drink, and laid him down again.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 19.

3307. — — *Five Thousand*. ⁴¹ When he had taken the five loaves . . blessed, and brake the loaves, and gave them to his disciples to set before them ; and the two fishes divided he among them all. ⁴² And they did all eat, and were filled. ⁴³ And they took up twelve baskets full of the fragments.—*MARK*, ch. 6.

3308. — — *One Hundred*. ⁴² There came a man from Baal-shalisha, and brought the man of God bread of the firstfruits, twenty loaves of barley, and full ears of corn in the husk thereof. And he said, Give unto the people. . . ⁴³ And his servitor said, What, should I set this before a hundred men ? He said again, Give the people, that they may eat : for thus saith the Lord, They shall eat, and shall leave thereof.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 4. [It was so.]

3309. — — *Manna*. ¹⁴ There lay a small round thing, as small as the hoar frost on the ground. ¹⁵ And . . they said one to another, It is manna : for they wist not what it was. And Moses said, .This is the bread which the Lord hath given you to eat. . . ³⁵ . . did eat manna forty years, until they came to a land inhabited.—*EX.*, ch. 16.

3310. — a Necessity. *Proverb*. ⁹ He that is despised, and hath a servant, is better than he that honoureth himself, and lacketh bread.—*PROV.*, ch. 12.

3311. — Natural. *Baptist*. ⁴ John had his raiment of camel's hair, and a leathern girdle about his loins ; and his meat was locusts and wild honey.—*MAT.*, ch. 3.

3312. — Perilous. *Jonathan*. ²¹ Jonathan heard not when his father charged the people with the oath. . . ⁴² . . Jonathan . . said, I did but taste a little honey with the end of the rod that was in mine hand, and, lo, I must die.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 14.

3313. — prohibited. *Blood*. ¹¹ The life of the flesh is in the blood ; and I have given it to you upon the altar to make an atonement for your souls : for it is the blood that maketh an atonement for the soul. ¹² Therefore I said, . . No soul of you shall eat blood, neither shall any stranger that sojourneth among you.—*LEV.*, ch. 17.

3314. — — *Fat*. ²² Ye shall eat no manner of fat, of ox, or of sheep, or of goat. . . ²³ For whosoever eateth the fat of the beast, of which men offer an offering made by fire unto the Lord, even the soul that eateth it shall be cut off from his people.—*LEV.*, ch. 7.

3315. — Prudence with. *Paul*. ¹ I, brethren, could not speak unto you as unto spiritual, but as unto carnal, even as unto babes in Christ. ² I have fed you with milk, and not with meat : for hitherto ye were not able to bear it, neither yet now are ye able.—*1 COR.*, ch. 3.

3316. — Promise of. *Christian*. ³ Trust in the Lord, and do good ; so shalt thou dwell in the land, and verily thou shalt be fed.—*PS.* 37.

3317. — — *Christian*. ¹⁵ He that walketh righteously, and speaketh uprightly ; he that despiseth the gain of oppressions, that shaketh his hands from holding of bribes, that stoppeth his ears from hearing of blood, and shutteth his eyes from seeing evil ; ¹⁶ He shall dwell on high ; his place of defence shall be the munitions of rocks : bread shall be given him ; his waters shall be sure.—*ISA.*, ch. 33.

3318. — restricted. *Law*. ² These are the beasts which ye shall eat. . . ³ Whatsoever parteth the hoof, and is clovenfooted, and cheweth the cud, among the beasts, that shall ye eat.—*LEV.*, ch. 11. [See from 2 to 22 verses.]

3319. — Scarcity of. *Widow of Zarephath*. ¹² I have not a cake, but a handful of meal in a barrel, and a little oil in a cruse : and, behold, I am gathering two sticks, that I may go in and dress it for me and my son, that we may eat it, and die.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 17.

3320. — Royal Supplies of. *Solomon's*. ²² Solomon's provision for one day was thirty measures of fine flour, and threescore measures of meal, ²³ Ten fat oxen, and twenty oxen out of pastures, and a hundred sheep, besides harts, and roebucks, and fallow deer, and fatted fowl.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 4.

3321. — Spiritual. *Everlasting*. ²⁶ Ye seek me, not because ye saw the miracles, but because ye did eat of the loaves, and were filled. ²⁷ Labour not for the meat which perisheth, but for that meat which endureth unto everlasting life, which the Son of man shall give unto you.—*JOHN*, ch. 6.

3322. — Scruples respecting. *Paul*. ¹ Some with conscience of the idol unto this hour eat it as a thing offered unto an idol ; and their conscience being weak is defiled. ⁸ But meat commendeth us not to God : for neither, if we eat, are we the better ; neither, if we eat not, are we the worse.—*1 COR.*, ch. 8.

3323. — Thanks for. *At Emmaus*. ³⁰ As he sat at meat with them, he took bread, and blessed it, and brake, and gave to them. ³¹ And their eyes were opened, and they knew him.—*LUKE*, ch. 24.

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3325. — — — *Shipwrecked.* *Paul.* ²⁸ He took bread, and gave thanks to God in presence of them all; and when he had broken it, he began to eat. ²⁹ Then were they all of good cheer, and they also took some meat.—*Acts*, ch. 27.

3326. — — — *Temptation in.* *Jesus.* ¹ When he had fasted forty days and forty nights, he was afterward a hungered. ² And when the tempter came to him, he said, If thou be the Son of God, command that these stones be made bread.—*Mat.*, ch. 4.

3327. — — — *Weeping for.* *Israelites.* [Being weary of manna.] ¹⁰ Moses heard the people weep throughout their families, every man in the door of his tent: and the anger of the Lord was kindled greatly; Moses also was displeased.—*Num.*, ch. 11.

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3329. — — — *Limited.* ¹ Behold, these three years I come seeking fruit on this fig tree, and find none: cut it down; why cumbereth it the ground? ²..Lord, let it alone this year also, till I shall dig about it, and dung it: ³ And if it bear fruit, well: and if not, then after that thou shalt cut it down.—*Luke*, ch. 13.

3330. — — — *Pious. David's.* ¹⁸ Saul lifted up his voice, and wept. ¹⁷ And he said to David, Thou art more righteous than I: for thou hast rewarded me good, whereas I have rewarded thee evil. ¹⁸..when the Lord had delivered me into thine hand, thou killedst me not. ¹⁹ For if a man find his enemy, will he let him go well away?—1 SAM., ch. 24.

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3332. — — — *Discrimination against. Debtors.* ² Every creditor that lendeth ought unto his neighbour shall release it; he shall not exact..of his brother; because it is called the Lord's release. ³ Of a foreigner thou mayest exact it again.—*Deut.*, ch. 15.

3333. — — — *Homesick. Hadad.* ²¹ When Hadad heard..that David..and..Joab..[were] dead, Hadad said to Pharaoh, Let me depart, that I may go to mine own country. ²² Then Pharaoh said..But what hast thou lacked with me, that, behold, thou seekest to go to thine own country? And he answered, Nothing: howbeit let me go in any wise.—1 KINGS, ch. 11.

3334. — Ineligibility of. King. ¹⁵ Thou shalt in any wise set him king over thee, whom the Lord thy God shall choose : one from among thy brethren . . . thou mayest not set a stranger over thee.—*DEUT.*, ch. 17.

3335. — Prejudice against. Sodomites. ⁹ They said, Stand back. This one fellow came in to sojourn, and he will needs be a judge : now will we deal worse with thee than with them. And they pressed sore upon . . . Lot, and came near to break the door.—*GEN.*, ch. 19.

3336. — Increase of. In Egypt. ⁷ The children of Israel were fruitful, and increased abundantly, and multiplied, and waxed exceeding mighty ; and the land was filled with them.—*EX.*, ch. 1.

3337. — Jealousy against. Pharaoh. ⁹ The children of Israel are more and mightier than we : ¹⁰ Come on, let us deal wisely with them ; lest they multiply, and . . . when there falleth out any war, they join also unto our enemies, and fight against us, and so get them up out of the land. ¹¹ Therefore they did set over them task-masters.—*EX.*, ch. 1.

3338. — Liberality to. Passover. ⁴⁸ When a stranger . . . will keep the passover to the Lord, let all his males be circumcised, and then let him come near and keep it ; and he shall be as one that is born in the land. ⁴⁹ One law shall be to him that is homeborn, and unto the stranger that sojourneth among you.—*EX.*, ch. 12.

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3340. — Soldier. ³¹ What king, going to make war, sitteth not down first, and consulteth whether he be able with ten thousand to meet him . . . with twenty thousand ? ³² Or else, while the other is yet a great way off, he sendeth an ambassador, and desireth conditions of peace.—*LUKE*, ch. 14.

3341. — Useless. Stature. ²⁵ Which of you with taking thought can add to his stature one cubit ? ²⁶ If ye then be not able to do that thing which is least, why take ye thought for the rest ? —*LUKE*, ch. 12.

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3343. — of God. *Aged Moses said.* * Take heed to thyself, lest thou forget the things which thine eyes have seen, and lest they depart from thy heart all the days of thy life: but teach them thy sons, and thy sons' sons; ¹⁰ *Specially* the day that thou stoodest before the Lord thy God in Horeb, when the Lord said.. I will make them hear my words, that they may learn to fear me all the days. .and that they may teach their children.—Deut., ch. 4.

3344. — — *Warning.* ¹⁰ When the Lord thy God shall have brought thee into the land. .to give thee great and goodly cities, which thou buildest not, ¹¹ And houses full of all good things, which thou filledst not, and wells digged, which thou diggedst not, vineyards and olive trees, which thou plantedst not; when thou shalt have eaten and be full; ¹² Then beware lest thou forget the Lord.—Deut., ch. 8.

3345. — — *In Prosperity.* ¹⁵ Jeshurun waxed fat, and kicked: thou art waxen fat, thou art grown thick, thou art covered with fatness; then he forsook God which made him, and light-¹ esteemed the Rock of his salvation. ¹⁶ They provoked him to jealousy with strange gods.—Deut., ch. 32.

3346. — — *In Wealth.* ¹³ When thy herds and thy flocks, and thy silver and thy gold, and all that thou hast is multiplied; ¹⁴ Then thine heart be lifted up, and thou forget the Lord thy God.—Deut., ch. 8.

3347. — of the Sanctuary. *David.* ⁵ If I forget thee, O Jerusalem, let my right hand forget her cunning. ⁶ If I do not remember thee, let my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth; if I prefer not Jerusalem above my chief joy.—Ps. 137.

3348. — Religious. *Prophet.* ⁸ Said unto the king, If thou wilt give me half thine house, I will not go in with thee, neither will I eat bread nor drink water in this place: ⁹ For so was it charged me by the word of the Lord. [A false prophet deceived him.] ¹⁹ So he went back with him, and did eat bread in his house, and drank water.—1 Kings, ch. 13.

3349. — Spiritual. *Mirror.* ²² If any be a hearer of the word, and not a doer, he is like unto a man beholding his natural face in a glass: ²⁴ For he beholdeth himself, and goeth his way, and straightway forgetteth what manner of man he was.—JAMES, ch. 1.

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3350. FORGIVENESS removes Anger. *Covered.* * Thou hast forgiven the iniquity of thy people; thou hast covered all their sin. . * Thou hast taken away all thy wrath: thou hast turned thyself from the fierceness of thine anger.—Ps. 85.

3351. — of Brethren. *Parable.* ¹² O thou wicked servant, I forgave thee all that debt, because thou desiredst me: ²³ Shouldest not thou also have had compassion on thy fellow servant, even as I had pity on thee? ²⁴ And his lord was wroth.—Mat., ch. 18.

3352. — a Blotting-out. *Cloud.* ²¹ Thou art my servant: O Israel, thou shalt not be forgotten of me. ²² I have blotted out, as a thick cloud, thy transgressions, and, as a cloud, thy sins.—Isa., ch. 44.

3353. — Christ-like. *Prisoner Paul.* ¹⁶ At my first answer no man stood with me, but all men forsook me: *I pray God* that it may not be laid to their charge.—2 Tim., ch. 4.

3354. — commanded. *Jesus.* ⁴⁴ Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them which despitefully use you, and persecute you; ⁴⁵ That ye may be the children of your Father. .for he maketh his sun to rise on the evil and on the good, and sendeth rain on the just and on the unjust.—Mat., ch. 5.

3355. — a Covering. *David.* ¹ Blessed is he whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered.—Ps. 32.

3356. — a cleansing. *Snow.* ¹⁸ Come now, let us reason together, saith the Lord: though your sins be as scarlet, they shall be as white as snow; though they be red like crimson, they shall be as wool.—Isa., ch. 1.

3357. — a Casting away. *Behind.* ¹¹ Behold, for peace I had great bitterness; but thou hast in love to my soul delivered it from the pit of corruption: for thou hast cast all my sins behind thy back.—Isa., ch. 38.

3358. — discharges Debt. *Parable.* ²⁴ One was brought. .which owed him ten thousand talents. ²⁵ .he had not to pay, his lord commanded him to be sold, and his wife, and children, and all that he had. . ²⁶ The servant therefore fell down. .Lord, have patience with me, and I will pay thee all. ²⁷ Then the lord. .was moved with compassion. .forgave him the debt.—Mat., ch. 18.

3359. — Generous. *Of Jacob.* ⁴ Esau ran to meet him, and embraced him, and fell on his neck, and kissed him: and they wept.—GEN., ch. 33.

3360. — Gratitude for. *Two Debtors.* ⁴¹ There was a certain creditor which had two debtors: the one owed five hundred pence, and the other fifty. ⁴² And when they had nothing to pay, he frankly forgave them both. Tell me therefore, which of them will love him most? ⁴³ Simon answered. .I suppose that he, to whom he forgave most. .Thou hast rightly judged.—LUXE, ch. 7.

3361. — *Woman.* ⁴⁴ Simon, seest thou this woman? I entered into thine house, thou gavest me no water for my feet: but she hath washed my feet with tears, and wiped them with the hairs of her head. ⁴⁵ Thou gavest me no kiss: but this woman, since the time I came in, hath not ceased to kiss my feet. ⁴⁶ My head with oil thou didst not anoint: but this woman hath anointed my feet with ointment. ⁴⁷ Wherefore, Her sins, which are many, are forgiven; for she loved much: but to whom little is forgiven, the same loveth little.—*LUKE*, ch. 7.

3362. — *Glory of. Proverb.* ¹¹ The discretion of a man deferreth his anger; and it is his glory to pass over a transgression.—*Prov.*, ch. 19.

3363. — *Intercession for. Moses.* ²¹ Moses returned, and said, Oh, this people have sinned a great sin, and have made them gods of gold. ²² Yet now, if thou wilt forgive their sin—; and if not, blot me, I pray thee, out of thy book which thou hast written.—*Ex.*, ch. 32.

3364. — *Magnanimous. Joseph's.* ³ I am Joseph; doth my father yet live? And his brethren could not answer him; for they were troubled at his presence. ⁴ Come near to me, I pray you. And they came near. And he said, I am Joseph your brother, whom ye sold into Egypt. ⁵ Now therefore be not grieved, nor angry with yourselves, that ye sold me hither: for God did send me before you to preserve life.—*Gen.*, ch. 45.

3365. — *Model of. Jesus.* ³⁴ Father, forgive them: for they know not what they do. And they parted his raiment, and cast lots.—*LUKE*, ch. 23.

3366. — *A Martyr's. Stephen.* ⁴⁰ They stoned Stephen, calling upon God, and saying, Lord Jesus, receive my spirit. ⁴¹ And he kneeled down, and cried with a loud voice, Lord, lay not this sin to their charge.—*Acts*, ch. 7.

3367. — *Policy in. Paul.* ¹⁰ To whom ye forgive any thing, I forgive also: for if I forgive any thing, to whom I forgive it, for your sakes forgive I it in the person of Christ; ¹¹ Lest Satan should get an advantage of us: for we are not ignorant of his devices.—*2 Cor.*, ch. 2.

3368. — *A royal. Solomon's.* ⁵¹ Behold, Adonijah, hath caught hold on the horns of the altar, saying, Let king Solomon swear unto me to day that he will not slay his servant with the sword. ⁵² And Solomon said, If he will shew himself a worthy man, there shall not a hair of him fall to the earth.—*1 Kings*, ch. 1.

3369. — *required. Jesus said* [See No. 3370], ³⁵ So likewise shall my heavenly Father do also unto you, if ye from your hearts forgive not every one his brother their trespasses.—*Mat.*, ch. 18.

3370. — *Jesus said,* ²⁸ When ye stand praying, forgive, if ye have aught against any; that your Father also which is in heaven may forgive you your trespasses. ²⁹ But if ye do not forgive, neither will your Father which is in heaven forgive your trespasses.—*MARK*, ch. 11.

3371. — *refused. Eli.* ¹³ Because his sons made themselves vile, and he restrained them not. ¹⁴ therefore I have sworn, that the iniquity of Eli's house shall not be purged with sacrifice nor offering for ever.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 3.

3372. — *a Separation. East from West.* ¹¹ As the heaven is high above the earth, so great is his mercy toward them that fear him. ¹² As far as the east is from the west, so far hath he removed our transgressions from us.—*Ps.* 103.

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3373. *FORMALIST, Prayer of a. Pharisee.* ¹¹ Prayed thus with himself, God, I thank thee, that I am not as other men are, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this publican. ¹² I fast twice in the week, I give tithes of all that I possess.—*LUKE*, ch. 18.

3374. *FORMALITY, Failure of. Gehazi.* ¹¹ Gehazi..laid the staff upon the face of the child; but there was neither voice, nor hearing. Wherefore he went, saying, The child is not awaked. ¹² And when Elisha was come, the child was dead, and laid upon his bed. ¹³ He..shut the door upon them twain, and prayed.. ¹⁴..and lay upon the child, and put his mouth upon his mouth, and his eyes upon his eyes, and his hands upon his hands: and he stretched himself upon the child; and the flesh of the child waxed warm.—*2 Kings*, ch. 4.

3375. — *Heartless. Jews.* ¹² Ye said also, Behold, what a weariness is it! and ye have snuffed at it, saith the Lord of hosts; and ye brought that which was torn, and the lame, and the sick; thus ye brought an offering: should I accept this of your hand?—*MAL.*, ch. 1.

3376. — *Lip. Jesus said,* ⁶ Esaias prophesied of you hypocrites. This people honoureth me with their lips, but their heart is far from me. ⁷ Howbeit in vain do they worship me, teaching for doctrines the commandments of men.—*MARK*, ch. 7.

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3377. *FORSAKING ALL. Abram.* ¹ Get thee out of thy country, and from thy kindred, and from thy father's house, unto a land that I will shew thee.. ⁴ So Abram departed, as the Lord had spoken unto him, and Abram was seventy and five years old.—*GEN.*, ch. 12.

3378. — *Safety by.* ¹⁶ Then let them which be in Judea flee into the mountains:

¹⁷ Let him which is on the housetop not come down to take any thing out of his house : ¹⁸ Neither let him which is in the field return back to take his clothes.—*MAT.*, ch. 24.

3379. — *Business. Apostles.* ⁹ He was astonished . . . at the draught of the fishes. . . ¹⁰ And so was also James, and John . . . which were partners with Simon. And Jesus said unto Simon, Fear not ; from henceforth thou shalt catch men. ¹¹ And when they had brought their ships to land, they forsook all, and followed him.—*LUKE*, ch. 5.

3380. — *Duty. Jonah.* ³ Jonah rose up to flee . . . from the presence of the Lord, and went down to Joppa ; and he found a ship going to Tarshish : so he paid the fare thereof, and went down into it.—*JONAH*, ch. 1.

3381. — *God. Amaziah.* ¹⁴ After that Amaziah was come from the slaughter of the Edomites . . . he brought the gods of the children of Seir, and set them up to be his gods, and bowed down himself before them, and burned incense unto them. ¹⁵ Wherefore the anger of the Lord was kindled against Amaziah.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 25.

3382. — *For a King.* ¹⁸ The Lord will not hear you in that day. ¹⁹ Nevertheless, the people refused to obey the voice of Samuel ; and they said, Nay ; but we will have a king over us : ²⁰ That we also may be like all the nations.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 18.

3383. — *By Murmuring.* ¹⁸ The Lord will give you flesh, and ye shall eat. . . ²⁰ . . . be loathsome unto you : because that ye have despised the Lord . . . and have wept before him, saying, Why came we forth out of Egypt?—*NUM.*, ch. 11.

3384. — *Regretted.* ¹⁰ The children of Israel cried unto the Lord, saying, We have sinned against thee, both because we have forsaken our God, and also served Baalim.—*JUDGES*, ch. 10.

3385. — *Folly of.* ¹³ For my people have committed two evils ; they have forsaken me the fountain of living waters, and hewed them out cisterns, broken cisterns, that can hold no water.—*JER.*, ch. 2.

3386. — *In Trouble.* ²² In the time of his distress did he trespass yet more against the Lord : this is that king Ahaz. ²³ For he sacrificed unto the gods of Damascus, which smote him : and he said, Because the gods of the kings of Syria help them, therefore will I sacrifice to them, that they may help me. But they were the ruin of him, and of all Israel.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 28.

3387. — *Jesus. Disciples.* ³⁶ He that eateth my flesh, and drinketh my blood, dwelleth in me, and I in him. . . ⁴⁴ From that time many of his disciples went back, and walked no more with him.—*JOHN*, ch. 6.

3388. — *Office. Matthew.* ²¹ He went forth, and saw a publican, named Levi, sitting at the receipt of custom : and he said . . . Follow me. ²⁸ And he left all, rose up, and followed him.—*LUKE*, ch. 5.

3389. FORSAKEN by Friends. *Jesus.* ⁴⁶ Then all the disciples forsook him, and fled. ⁴⁷ And they led him away to Caiaphas the high priest, where the scribes and the elders were assembled.—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

3390. — *of God. David.* ¹ My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me ? *why art thou so far from helping me, and from the words of my roaring ?* ³ O my God, I cry in the daytime, but thou hearest not ; and in the night season, and am not silent.—*PS.* 22.

3391. — *King Saul.* ¹¹ Said the woman, Whom shall I bring up unto thee ? And he said, Bring me up Samuel. . . ¹⁶ Then said Samuel, Wherefore then dost thou ask of me, seeing the Lord is departed from thee, and is become thine enemy ?—*1 SAM.*, ch. 28.

3392. — *Jesus.* ⁴⁸ From the sixth hour there was darkness over all the land unto the ninth hour. ⁴⁶ And about the ninth hour Jesus cried with a loud voice, saying, Eli, Eli, lama sabachthani ? that is to say, My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me ?—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

3393. — *Apparently.* ¹⁸ Gideon said . . . O my Lord, if the Lord be with us, why then is all this befallen us ? and where be all his miracles which our fathers told us of, saying, Did not the Lord bring us up from Egypt ?—*JUDGES*, ch. 6.

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3394. FORWARDNESS, Brave. *Peter.* ²⁸ Peter . . . said, Lord, if it be thou, bid me come unto thee on the water. ²⁹ And he said, Come. And when Peter was come down out of the ship, he walked on the water, to go to Jesus.—*MAT.*, ch. 14.

3395. — *checked. Peter.* ⁴ They ran both together : and the other disciple did outrun Peter, and came first to the sepulchre.—*JOHN*, ch. 20.

3396. — *Failure in. Peter.* ³⁰ But when he saw the wind boisterous, he was afraid ; and beginning to sink, he cried, saying, Lord, save me. And immediately Jesus stretched forth his hand, and caught him.—*MAT.*, ch. 14.

3397. — *Hazardous. Peter.* ⁵¹ Drew his sword, and struck a servant of the high priest, and smote off his ear. ⁵² Then said Jesus. . . Put up again thy sword.—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

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3398 FOUNDATION, Insecure. Sand. ⁴⁹ He that beareth, and doeth not, is like a man that without a foundation built a house upon the earth ; against which the stream did beat vehemently, and immediately it fell ; and the ruin of that house was great.—*LUKE*, ch. 6.

3399. — *Only. Jesus.* ¹⁰ Let every man take heed how he buildeth thereupon. ¹¹ For other foundation can no man lay than that is laid, which is Jesus Christ.—*1 COR.*, ch. 3.

3400. — *Spiritual. Jesus.* ²⁰ [Ye] are built upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief corner stone ; ²¹ In whom all the building fitly framed together groweth unto a holy temple in the Lord : ²² In whom ye also are builded together for a habitation of God through the Spirit.—*EPH.*, ch. 2.

3401. — *Second Temple. Celebration of.* ¹⁰ They set the priests in their apparel with trumpets, and the Levites the sons of Asaph with cymbals, to praise the Lord, after the ordinance of David. . . ¹¹ And they sang together by course in praising and giving thanks unto the Lord ; because *he* is good, for his mercy endureth for ever toward Israel. And all the people shouted with a great shout, when they praised the Lord,

because the foundation of the house of the Lord was laid.—*EZRA*, ch. 3.

3402. — *Uses of. Various.* ¹² If any man build upon this foundation gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay, stubble ; ¹³ Every man's work shall be made manifest : for the day shall declare it. . . and the fire shall try every man's work.—*1 COR.*, ch. 3.

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3403. FOUNDER, A celebrated. Hiram. ¹⁴ He was a widow's son. . . and his father was. . . a worker in brass : and he was filled with wisdom, and understanding, and cunning to work all works in brass. And he came to king Solomon, and wrought all his work.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 7.

— FOUNTAIN. —

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3404. FRAILTY of Comfort. Jonah. ⁶ So Jonah was exceeding glad of the gourd. ⁷ A worm. . . smote the gourd that it withered. ⁸ God prepared a vehement east wind ; and the sun beat upon the head of Jonah. . . he fainted, and wished in himself to die.—*JONAH*, ch. 4.

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3405. FRATERNITY, Primitive. Ananias. ¹¹ Ananias. . . entered into the house : and putting his hands on him, said, Brother Saul, the Lord. . . hath sent me, that thou mightest receive thy sight, and be filled with the Holy Ghost.—*ACTS*, ch. 9.

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3406. FRATRICIDE, The first. Cain. ⁵ Unto Cain and to his offering he had not respect. And Cain was very wroth, and his countenance fell. ⁶ And Cain talked with Abel his brother: and..when they were in the field..Cain rose up against Abel his brother, and slew him.—GEN., ch. 4.

3407. — A terrible. Gideon's Sons. ⁴ Abimelech hired vain and light persons, which followed him. ⁵ And he went unto his father's house at Ophrah, and slew his brethren..threescore and ten persons, upon one stone.—JUDGES, ch. 9.

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3408. FRAUD by Appearances. Gibeonites. ⁴ Made as if they had been ambassadors, and took old sacks upon their asses, and wine bottles, old, and rent, and bound up; ⁵ And old shoes and clouted..and old garments upon them; and all the bread of their provision was dry and mouldy. ⁶ And they went to Joshua.—JOSH., ch. 9.

3409. — Commercial. Unjust Steward. ⁵ He called..his lord's debtors..and said..How much owest thou.. ⁶ And he said, A hundred measures of oil. And he said..Take thy bill, and sit down quickly, and write fifty. ⁷..to another, And how much owest thou? And he said, A hundred measures of wheat, And he said..write fourscore.—LUKE, ch. 16.

3410. — A pious. Gehazi. ²² My master hath sent me, saying..there be come to me..two young men of the sons of the prophets: give them..a talent of silver, and two changes of garments. ²³ And Naaman said..take two talents.—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

3411. — Religious. Tares. ²⁵ While men slept, his enemy came and sowed tares among the wheat, and went his way. ²⁶ But when the blade was sprung up, and brought forth fruit, then appeared the tares also.—MAT., ch. 13.

3412. — A spiritual. Simon Magus. ¹⁸ When Simon saw that through laying on of

the apostles' hands the Holy Ghost was given, he offered them money, ¹⁹ Saying, Give me also this power, that on whomsoever I lay hands, he may receive the Holy Ghost.—ACTS, ch. 8.

3413. — A Traitor's. Judas. ⁴⁸ Whomsoever I shall kiss, that same is he; hold him fast. ⁴⁹ And forthwith he came to Jesus, and said, Hail, Master; and kissed him.—MAT., ch. 26.

3414. — in Wages. Crieth out. ⁴ The hire of the labourers who have reaped down your fields, which is of you kept back by fraud, crieth: and the cries of them..are entered into the ears of the Lord of Sabaoth. ⁵ Ye have lived in pleasure.—JAMES, ch. 5.

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3415. FREEDOM, Birthright of. Christians. ²² Abraham had two sons, the one by a bondmaid, the other by a free woman. ²³ But he who was of the bondwoman was born after the flesh; but he of the free woman was by promise. ²⁴ Now we, brethren, as Isaac was, are the children of promise.—GAL., ch. 4.

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3416. FRET forbidden. *Proverb.* ¹⁹ Fret not thyself because of evil men, neither be thou envious of the wicked; ²⁰ For there shall be no reward to the evil man; the candle of the wicked shall be put out.—*Prov.*, ch. 24.

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3417. FRIEND at Court. *Obadiah.* ⁸ Ahab called Obadiah, which was the governor of his house. Now Obadiah feared the Lord greatly: ⁹ For it was so, when Jezebel cut off the prophets of the Lord, that Obadiah took a hundred prophets, and hid them by fifty in a cave, and fed them with bread and water.—*1 Kings*, ch. 18.

3418. — — — *Blastus.* ²⁰ Herod was highly displeased with them of Tyre and Sidon: but they came with one accord to him, and, having made Blastus the king's chamberlain their friend, desired peace.—*Acts*, ch. 12.

3419. — — — *A distrusted. Disciple.* ²⁸ Master, we saw one casting out devils in thy name, and we forbade him, because he followeth not us. ²⁹ But Jesus said, Forbid him not: for there is no man which shall do a miracle in my name, that can lightly speak evil of me.—*Mark*, ch. 9.

3420. — — — *A feeble. Loan.* ⁶ Which of you shall have a friend, and...at midnight...say..

Friend, lend me three loaves; ⁶ For a friend of mine, in his journey is come to me, and I have nothing to set before him: ⁷ And he from within shall answer and say, Trouble me not: the door is now shut, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot rise and give thee?—*LUKE*, ch. 11.

3421. — — — *A godly. Jehoshaphat.* ¹³ The king of Israel said...the Lord hath called these three kings together, to deliver them into the hand of Moab. ¹⁴ And Elisha said...were it not that I regard the presence of Jehoshaphat the king of Judah, I would not look toward thee, nor see thee.—*2 Kings*, ch. 3.

3422. — — — *A genuine. Samaritan.* ²² When he saw him, he had compassion on him, ²⁴ And went to him, and bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine, and set him on his own beast, and brought him to an inn, and took care of him.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

3423. — — — *An interceding. Jonathan.* ⁴ Jonathan spake good of David unto Saul his father, and said...Let not the king sin against his servant, against David; because he hath not sinned against thee, and because his works have been to theeward very good.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 19.

3424. — — — *An irresolute. Pilate.* ¹³ From thenceforth Pilate sought to release him: but the Jews cried out, saying, If thou let this man go, thou art not Cesar's friend.—*JOHN*, ch. 19.

3425. — — — *An intimate. John.* ²⁵ Now there was leaning on Jesus' bosom one of his disciples, whom Jesus loved.—*JOHN*, ch. 13.

3426. — — — *A loving. Covenant.* ¹⁶ Jonathan made a covenant with the house of David, saying, Let the Lord even require it at the hand of David's enemies. ¹⁷ And Jonathan caused David to swear again, because he loved him: for he loved him as he loved his own soul.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 20.

3427. — — — *needed. Pious.* ¹⁷ Elisha prayed, ...And the Lord opened the eyes of the young man; and he saw: and, behold, the mountain was full of horses and chariots of fire round about Elisha.—*2 Kings*, ch. 6.

3428. — — — *A useful. A Spy.* ³⁷ Hushai David's friend came into the city.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 15. ¹⁴ And Absalom and all the men of Israel said, The counsel of Hushai...is better than the counsel of Ahithophel. For the Lord had appointed to defeat the good counsel of Ahithophel, to the intent that the Lord might bring evil upon Absalom.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 17.

3429. — — — *A wavering. Pilate.* ²⁰ Pilate therefore, willing to release Jesus, spake again to them. ²¹ But they cried, saying, Crucify him, crucify him. ²² And he said...the third time, Why, what evil hath he done...I will therefore chastise him, and let him go. ²³ And they were instant with loud voices, requiring that he might be crucified. And...prevailed.—*LUKE*, ch. 23.

3430. FRIENDS, Ardent. *"Knit."* ⁸ The soul of Jonathan was knit with the soul of David, and Jonathan loved him as his own soul. ⁴ And Jonathan stripped himself of the robe that was upon him, and gave it to David, and his garments, even to his sword, and to his bow, and to his girdle.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 18.

3431. — — — *Abuse of. Haman.* ⁸ Hath not

David rather sent his servants unto thee, to search the city, and to spy it out. . . 4 Wherefore Manun . . . shaved off the one half of their beards, and cut off their garments in the middle, even to their buttocks, and sent them away.—2 SAM., ch. 10.

3432. — *Cautious. Disciples.* 12 There was much murmuring among the people concerning him : for some said, He is a good man : others said, Nay ; but he deceiveth the people. 13 Howbeit no man spake openly of him for fear of the Jews.—JOHN, ch. 7.

3433. — *Compromising. Rulers.* 42 Among the chief rulers also many believed on him ; but because of the Pharisees they did not confess him, lest they should be put out of the synagogue : 43 For they loved the praise of men more than the praise of God.—JOHN, ch. 12.

3434. — *First Duty to. Converts.* 19 Go home to thy friends, and tell them how great things the Lord hath done for thee, and hath had compassion on thee. 20 And he departed, and began to publish in Decapolis how great things Jesus had done for him : and all men did marvel.—MARK, ch. 5.

3435. — *in Distress. Jeremiah.* 11 Nebuchadrezzar . . . gave charge concerning Jeremiah to Nebuzar-adan the captain of the guard, saying, 12 . . . look well to him, and do him no harm ; but do unto him even as he shall say unto thee.—JER., ch. 39.

3436. — *Devoted. Paul's.* 3 Greet Priscilla and Aquila, my helpers in Christ Jesus : 4 Who have for my life laid down their own necks.—ROM., ch. 16.

3437. — *Interference of. Jesus.* 20 The multitude cometh together again, so that they could not so much as eat bread. 21 And when his friends heard of it, they went out to lay hold on him : for they said, He is beside himself.—MARK, ch. 3.

3438. — *overlooked. David.* 5 And Joab came into the house to the king, and said, Thou hast shamed this day the faces of all thy servants, which this day have saved thy life, 6 In that thou lovest thine enemies, and hatest thy friends . . . for this day I perceive, that if Absalom had lived, and all we had died this day, then it had pleased thee well. 7 Now therefore arise, go forth, and speak comfortably unto thy servants.—2 SAM., ch. 19.

3439. — *Post-mortem. Joseph.* 51 Who also himself waited for the kingdom of God. 52 . . . went unto Pilate, and begged the body of Jesus. 53 And he took it down, and wrapped it in linen, and laid it in a sepulchre that was hewn in stone.—LUKE, ch. 23.

3440. — *Men of Jabesh-Gilead.* 12 Valiant men . . . went all night, and took the body of Saul and the bodies of his sons from the wall of Beth-shan, and came to Jabesh, and burnt them there.—1 SAM., ch. 31. [The Philistines had dishonoured them.]

3441. — *Persuasions of. Paul.* 12 When we heard these things, both we, and they of that place, besought him not to go up to Jerusalem. 13 Then Paul answered, What mean ye to weep and to break mine heart ? for I am ready not to be bound only, but also to die at Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus.—ACTS, ch. 13.

3442. — *Response of. Proverbs.* 17 Iron sharpeneth iron ; so a man sharpeneth the countenance of his friend. 18 As in water face answereth to face, so the heart of man to man.—PROV., ch. 27.

3443. — *Reclamation of. Proverb.* 19 A brother offended is harder to be won than a strong city : and their contentions are like the bars of a castle.—PROV., ch. 18.

3444. — *Secret. Joseph.* 28 Joseph of Arimathea, being a disciple of Jesus, but secretly for fear of the Jews, besought Pilate that he might take away the body of Jesus.—JOHN, ch. 19.

3445. — *separated. Finally.* 41 David arose out of a place toward the south, and fell on his face to the ground, and bowed himself three times : and they kissed one another, and wept one with another, until David exceeded. 42 And Jonathan said to David, Go in peace.—1 SAM., ch. 20.

3446. — *Trouble makes. David.* 2 Every one that was in distress . . . in debt, and . . . discontented, gathered themselves unto him ; and he became a captain over them . . . about four hundred men.—1 SAM., ch. 22.

3447. — *amid Trouble. Fleeing from Absalom.* 27 Shobi . . . and Machir . . . and Barzillai . . . 28 Brought beds, and basins, and earthen vessels, and wheat, and barley, and flour, and parched corn, and beans, and lentiles, and parched pulse, 29 And honey, and butter, and sheep, and cheese of kine, for David, and for the people . . . in the wilderness.—2 SAM., ch. 17.

3448. — *Wealth makes. Proverb.* 20 The poor is hated even of his own neighbour : but the rich hath many friends.—PROV., ch. 14.

3449. — *Winning. Proverb.* 24 A man that hath friends must shew himself friendly ; and there is a friend that sticketh closer than a brother.—PROV., ch. 18.

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3450. FRIENDSHIP, Ardent. *Paul.* ¹³ I had no rest in my spirit, because I found not Titus my brother; but taking my leave of them, I went from thence into Macedonia.—2 Cor., ch. 2.

3451. — Benefit of. *Proverb.* ¹¹ Iron sharpeneth iron; so a man sharpeneth the countenance of his friend.—Prov., ch. 27.

3452. — for Christ. *Magi.* ¹⁰ When they saw the star, they rejoiced with exceeding great joy. ¹¹ And when they saw the young child with Mary his mother, and fell down, and worshipped him: and when they had opened their treasures, they presented unto him gifts; gold, and frankincense, and myrrh.—Mat., ch. 2.

3453. — Covenant of. *David and Jonathan.* ¹⁶ Jonathan made a covenant with the house of David, saying, Let the Lord even require it at the hand of David's enemies. ¹⁷ And Jonathan caused David to swear again, because he loved him: for he loved him as he loved his own soul.—1 Sam., ch. 20.

3454. — A fictitious. *Joab.* ⁹ Joab said to Amasa, Art thou in health, my brother? And Joab took Amasa by the beard with the right hand to kiss him. ¹⁰ But Amasa took no heed to the sword that was in Joab's hand: so he smote him therewith in the fifth rib.—2 Sam., ch. 20.

3455. — Gifts of. *Jonathan.* ⁴ Jonathan stripped himself of the robe that was upon him, and gave it to David, and his garments, even to his sword, and to his bow, and to his girdle.—1 Sam., ch. 18.

3456. — insulted. *Samson's.* ²⁰ Samson's wife was given to his companion, whom he had used as his friend.—JUDGES, ch. 14.

3457. — Inseparable. *Elisha.* ¹ When the Lord would take up Elijah into heaven by a whirlwind, that... ²..Elijah said unto Elisha, Tarry here..for the Lord hath sent me to Beth-el. And Elisha said..As the Lord liveth, and as thy soul liveth, I will not leave thee.—2 Kings, ch. 2.

3458. — — David said, ¹⁹ Wherefore goest thou also with us? return to thy place, and abide with the king: for thou art a stranger, and also an exile. ²¹ And Ittai answered..As the Lord liveth, and as my lord the king liveth, surely in what place my lord the king shall be, whether in death or life, even there also will thy servant be.—2 Sam., ch. 15.

3459. — Law of. *Proverb.* [See No. 3449.]

3460. — proven. *Onesiphorus.* ¹⁶ He oft refreshed me, and was not ashamed of my chain: ¹⁷ But, when he was in Rome, he sought me out very diligently, and found me.—2 Tim., ch. 1,

3461. — questioned. *Jehu.* ¹⁵ Jehonadab..coming to meet him: and he saluted him, and said to him, Is thine heart right, as my heart is with thy heart? And Jehonadab answered, It is. If it be, give me thine hand. And he gave him his hand; and he took him up to him into the chariot.—2 Kings, ch. 10.

3462. — Treacherous. *Judas.* ⁴⁶ Gave them a sign, saying, Whomsoever I shall kiss, that same is he; hold him fast. ⁴⁸ And forthwith he came to Jesus, and said, Hail, Master; and kissed him.—Mat., ch. 26.

3463. — — Joab. ²¹ When Abner was returned to Hebron, Joab took him aside in the gate to speak with him quietly, and smote him there under the fifth rib.—2 Sam., ch. 3.

3464. — Unexpected. *Rivals.* ¹ When he had made an end of speaking unto Saul..the soul of Jonathan was knit with the soul of David, and Jonathan loved him as his own soul.—1 Sam., ch. 18.

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3465. FRIVOLITY brings Want. Proverb.

¹⁹ He that tilleth his land shall have plenty of bread : but he that followeth after vain persons shall have poverty enough.—*Prov.*, ch. 28.

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3466. FROGS, Plague of. Second. ³ The river

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3467. FRUGALITY, Excessive. Proverb.

²⁴ There is that scattereth, and yet increaseth ; and there is that withholdeth more than is meet, but it tendeth to poverty.—*Prov.*, ch. 11.

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3468. FRUIT commends. Paul. ¹ Need we, as some others, epistles of commendation to you, or letters of commendation from you? ² Ye are our epistle written in our hearts, known and read of all men.—*2 Cor.*, ch. 3.

3469. — Choice by. Almond-rod. [See No. 3471.]

3470. — expected. Parable. ³⁴ When the time of the fruit drew near, he sent his servants to the husbandmen, that they might receive the fruits of it.—*Mat.*, ch. 21.

3471. — God gives. Rod. ⁵ The man's rod, whom I shall choose, shall blossom. ⁶ And ..on the morrow Moses went into the tabernacle. the rod of Aaron for the house of Levi was budded, and brought forth buds, and bloomed blossoms, and yielded almonds.—*Num.*, ch. 17.

3472. — Good. Zaccheus. ⁸ Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor ; and if I have taken any thing from any man by false accusation, I restore him fourfold.—*Luke*, ch. 19.

3473. — Lack of. Fig Tree. ¹⁹ When he saw a fig tree in the way, he came to it, and found nothing thereon, but leaves only, and said unto it, Let no fruit grow on thee henceforward forever. And presently the fig tree withered away.—*Mat.*, ch. 21.

3474. — in Old Age. David. ⁵ Solomon my son is young and tender, and the house that is to be builded for the Lord must be exceeding magnifical, of fame and of glory throughout all countries : I will therefore now make preparation for it. So David prepared abundantly before his death.—*1 Chron.*, ch. 22.

3475. — — Abram. ¹ When Abram was ninety years old and nine, the Lord appeared to Abram, and said. I am the Almighty God ; walk before me, and be thou perfect.—*Gen.*, ch. 17.

3476. — the Object. Fig Tree. ⁸ Lord, let it alone this year also, till I shall dig about it, and dung it : ⁹ And if it bear fruit, well : and if not, then after that thou shalt cut it down.—*Luke*, ch. 13.

3477. — Proved by. Piety. ¹⁸ A good tree cannot bring forth evil fruit, neither can a corrupt tree bring forth good fruit. ²⁰ Wherefore by their fruits ye shall know them.—*Mat.*, ch. 7.

3478. — a Sign. Good and Bad. ² Said the Lord unto me, What seest thou, Jeremiah? And I said, Figs ; the good figs, very good ; and the evil, very evil, that cannot be eaten, they are so evil.—*Jer.*, ch. 24. [Israel was the good figs, and Judah the bad.]

3479. — of Repentance. John Baptist.

⁸ Bring forth therefore fruits worthy of repentance, and begin not to say within yourselves, We have Abraham to our father. ⁹ And now also the axe is laid unto the root of the trees : every tree therefore which bringeth not forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire.—*Luke*, ch. 3.

3480. FRUITS of the Spirit. Graces. ²² The fruit of the spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, ²³ Meekness, temperance.—*Gal.*, ch. 5.

3481. FRUIT TREES preserved. Law. ¹⁹ When thou shalt besiege a city a long time, in making war against it to take it, thou shalt not destroy the trees thereof by forcing an axe against them : for thou mayest eat of them, and thou shalt not cut them down (for the tree of the field is man's life) to employ them in the siege.—*Deut.*, ch. 20.

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3482. FRUITFULNESS, Christian. Garden.

¹¹ The Lord shall guide thee continually, and satisfy thy soul in drought, and make fat thy bones : and thou shalt be like a watered garden, and like a spring of water, whose waters fail not.—*Isa.*, ch. 58.

3483. — indispensable. Taketh Away.

¹ I am the true vine, and my Father is the husbandman. ² Every branch in me that beareth not fruit he taketh away : and every branch that beareth fruit, he purgeth it, that it may bring forth more fruit.—*John*, ch. 15.

3484. — Means of. "Add to Faith."

⁵ Giving all diligence, add to your faith virtue. knowledge. . . . temperance. . . . patience. . . . godliness ; ⁷ brotherly kindness. . . . charity. ⁸ For if these things be in you, and abound, they make you that ye shall neither be barren nor unfruitful in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ.—*2 Peter*, ch. 1.

3485. — Source of. In Christ.

⁵ He that abideth in me, and I in him, the same bringeth forth much fruit.—*John*, ch. 15.

3486. — Varied. "Good Ground."

²⁰ These are they which are sown on good ground ; such as hear the word, and receive it, and bring forth

fruit, some thirtyfold, some sixty, and some a hundred.—**MARK**, ch. 3.

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3487. FUGITIVE, A Criminal. *Jacob*. ⁴⁸ Behold, thy brother Esau... doth comfort himself, *purposing* to kill thee. ⁴⁹ Now therefore, my son, obey my voice; and arise, flee thou to Laban my brother to Haran.—**GEN.**, ch. 27.

3488. — An Infant. *Jesus*. ¹³ Angel of the Lord appeareth to Joseph in a dream, saying, Arise, and take the young child and his mother, and flee into Egypt, and be thou there until I bring thee word: for Herod will seek the young child to destroy him. ¹⁴ He took the young child and his mother by night, and departed.—**MAT.**, ch. 2.

3489. — A noble. *Moses*. ¹⁴ Intendest thou to kill me, as thou killedst the Egyptian? And Moses feared, and said, Surely this thing is known. ¹⁵ Now when Pharaoh heard this thing, he sought to slay Moses. But Moses fled, and dwelt in the land of Midian.—**EX.**, ch. 2.

3490. — protected. *Save*. ¹⁵ Thou shalt not deliver unto his master the servant which is escaped from his master unto thee: ¹⁶ He shall dwell with thee, even among you, in that place which he shall choose in one of thy gates, where it liketh him best: thou shalt not oppress him.—**DEUT.**, ch. 23.

3491. — Return of. *Onesimus*. ¹⁵ Perhaps he therefore departed for a season, that thou shouldest receive him for ever; ¹⁶ Not now as a servant, but above a servant, a brother beloved.—**PHILEMON**.

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3492. FUNERAL, Joyful. *At Nain*. ¹³ When the Lord saw her, he had compassion on her, and said... Weep not. ¹⁴ And he came and touched the bier: and they that bare him stood still. And he said, Young man, I say unto thee, Arise. ¹⁵ And he that was dead sat up, and began to speak.—**LUKE**, ch. 7.

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3493. FURNITURE, Plain. *Prophet's Chamber*. ¹⁰ Let us make a little chamber, I pray thee, on the wall; and let us set for him there a bed, and a table, and a stool, and a candlestick;

and it shall be, when he cometh to us, that he shall turn in thither.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 4.

— **Extraordinary.** *Bedstead*. ¹¹ Only Og king of Baschan remained of the remnant of giants; behold, his bedstead was a bedstead of iron... nine cubits was the length thereof, and four cubits the breadth of it.—**DEUT.**, ch. 3.

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3494. FUTURE by God's Will. *Plans*. ¹³ Go to now, ye that say, To day or to morrow we will go into such a city, and continue there a year, and buy and sell, and get gain: ¹⁴ Whereas ye know not what shall be on the morrow. For what is your life? It is even a vapour, that appeareth for a little time, and then vanisheth away. ¹⁵ For that ye ought to say, If the Lord will, we shall live, and do this, or that.—**JAMES**, ch. 4.

3495. — Ignorance of. *Jerusalem*. ⁴¹ He beheld the city, and wept over it, ⁴² Saying, If thou hadst known, even thou, at least in this thy day, the things which belong unto thy peace! but now they are hid from thine eyes.—**LUKE**, ch. 19.

3496. — Piety in the. *Disciple*. ⁴¹ Lord, I will follow thee; but let me first go bid them farewell, which are at home at my house. ⁴² And Jesus said, No man, having put his hand to the plough, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God.—**LUKE**, ch. 9.

3497. — Presuming the. *Rich Fool*. ¹¹ What shall I do, because I have no room where to bestow my fruits? ¹² And he said, This will I do: I will pull down my barns, and build greater... ¹³ And I will say, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years; take thine ease, eat, drink, and be merry.—**LUKE**, ch. 12.

3498. — Uncertainty of the. *Proverb*. ¹ Boast not thyself of to morrow; for thou knowest not what a day may bring forth.—**PROV.**, ch. 27.

3499. — Unseen. *Rich Fool*. ²⁰ God said unto him, Thou fool, this night thy soul shall be required of thee: then whose shall those things be, which thou hast provided?—**LUKE**, ch. 12. [See No. 3497.]

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3500. FUTURE LIFE, Affection in the. *"In Torment."* ²⁰ I have five brethren; that he may testify unto them, lest they also come into this place of torment.—**LUKE**, ch. 16.

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3501. GALLANTRY, Timely. *Moses.* ¹⁸ Renew their father, he said, How is it that ye are come so soon to day? ¹⁹ And they said, An Egyptian delivered us out of the hand of the shepherds, and also drew water enough for us, and watered the flock.—*Ex.*, ch. 2.

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Numbers. Shamgar slew 600 with an ox-goad 3062
Patriotic. Jael..smote the nail into his..temples 3067
" Woman cast a stone upon Abimelech 3068

3502. GARDEN, Agony in. *Jesus.* ⁴⁰ Father, if thou be willing, remove this cup from me: nevertheless, not my will, but thine, be done. ⁴¹ And being in an agony he prayed more earnestly: and his sweat was as it were great drops of blood falling down to the ground.—*LUKE*, ch. 22. [See No. 3504.]

3503. — Coveted. *Ahab.* ¹ Naboth..had a vineyard..in Jezreel, hard by the palace of Ahab king of Samaria. ² And Ahab spake..Give me thy vineyard, that I may have it for a garden of herbs, because it is near unto my house: and I will give thee for it a better vineyard than it.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 21.

3504. — A familiar. *Gethsemane.* ¹ He went forth with his disciples over the brook Cedron, where was a garden, into the which he entered, and his disciples. ² And Judas also..knew the place: for Jesus oftentimes resorted thither with his disciples.—*JOHN*, ch. 18.

3505. — The Lord's. *Eden.* ² The Lord God planted a garden eastward in Eden; and there he put the man whom he had formed. ³ And out of the ground made..to grow every tree that is pleasant to the sight, and good for food.—*GEN.*, ch. 2.

3506. — A sacred. *Jesus.* ⁴¹ In the place where he was crucified there was a garden; and in the garden a new sepulchre, wherein was never man yet laid. ⁴² There laid they Jesus.—*JOHN*, ch. 19.

3507. GARDENER, The first. *Adam.* ¹⁵ The Lord God took the man, and put him into the garden of Eden to dress it and to keep it.—*GEN.*, ch. 2. [See No. 3505.]

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3508. GARMENT, A gorgeous. *Priests.* ⁴ These are the garments which they shall make; a breastplate, and an ephod, and a robe, and a broidered coat, a mitre, and a girdle..holy garments for Aaron..and his sons. ⁵ And they shall take gold, and blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine linen.—*Ex.*, ch. 28.

3509. GARMENTS, Benevolence in. *Dorcas.* ³⁰ Peter..went with them..into the upper chamber: and all the widows stood by him weeping, and shewing the coats and garments which Dorcas made, while she was with them.—*ACTS*, ch. 9.

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3510. GENERATION, An evil. Proverbs.

¹¹ There is a generation that curseth their father, and doth not bless their mother. ¹² There is a generation that are pure in their own eyes, and yet is not washed from their filthiness. ¹³ There is a generation, O how lofty are their eyes! and their eyelids are lifted up. ¹⁴ There is a generation, whose teeth are as swords, and their jaw teeth as knives, to devour the poor from off the earth, and the needy from among men.—Prov., ch. 30.

3511. GENEROSITY to the Afflicted. Ephron said. ¹¹ The field give I thee, and the cave that is therein. . . in the presence of the sons of my people give it I thee: bury thy dead. ¹² And Abraham bowed down himself before the people of the land.—Gen., ch. 23.

3512. — Excessive. Building Tabernacle. ⁴ The people bring much more than enough for the service of the work. . . ⁶ And Moses . . . proclaimed throughout the camp, saying, Let neither man nor woman make any more work for the offering of the sanctuary. So the people were restrained.—Ex., ch. 36.

3513. — A forgiving. Esau. ⁸ What meanest thou by all this drove which I met? And he said, These are to find grace in the sight of my lord. ⁹ And Esau said, I have enough, my brother; keep that thou hast unto thyself.—Gen., ch. 33.

3514. — Royal. David. ⁵ I have . . . gold and silver, which I have given to the house of my God, over and above all that I have prepared for the holy house, ⁴ Even three thousand talents of gold, of the gold of Ophir, and seven thousand talents of refined silver, to overlay the walls of the houses *withal*: ⁵ The gold for things of gold, and the silver for things of silver.—1 Chron., ch. 29. [Gold, \$82,125,000; silver, \$11,976,560; total, \$94,101,560.]

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3515. GENTLENESS in Youth. Gideon. ²⁰ Said unto Jether his firstborn, Up, and slay them. But the youth drew not his sword: for he feared, because he was yet a youth. ²¹ Then Zebah and Zalmunna said, Rise thou, and fall upon us: for as the man is, so is his strength. And Gideon arose, and slew.—Judges, ch. 8.

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Ministerial. We were gentle among you.—1 Thess. 2:7

3516. GIANT, Armed. Goliath. ⁴ There went out a champion out of the camp of the Philistines, named Goliath, of Gath, whose height was six cubits and a span. ⁵ And he had a helmet of brass upon his head, and he was armed with a coat of mail; and the weight of the coat was five thousand shekels of brass.—1 Sam., ch. 17.

3517. — A royal. Og. ¹¹ Only Og king of Bashan remained of the remnant of giants; behold, his bedstead was a bedstead of iron. . . nine cubits was the length thereof, and four cubits the breadth of it.—Deut., ch. 3.

3518. GIANTS, Celebrated. Philistines. ¹⁶ Ishbi-benob, which was of the sons of the giant, the weight of his spear weighed three hundred shekels of brass. . . thought to have slain David. . . then Sibbechai . . . slew Saph, which was of the sons of the giant. ¹⁸ . . . Elhanan . . . slew the brother of Goliath the Gittite, the staff of whose spear was like a weaver's beam. ²⁰ And there was yet a battle in Gath, where was a man of great stature, that had on every hand six fingers, and on every foot six toes, four and twenty in number. . . ²¹ And when he defied Israel, Jonathan . . . the brother of David slew him.—2 Sam., ch. 21.

3519. GIFT for Art, A. Bezaleel. ¹¹ He hath filled him with the spirit of God, in wisdom, in understanding, and in knowledge, and in all manner of workmanship; ²² And to devise curious works, to work in gold, and in silver, and in brass, ²³ And in the cutting of stones, to set them, and in carving of wood, to make any manner of cunning work.—Ex., ch. 35.

3520. — accepted. Dedication. ¹⁰ When the priests were come out of the holy place. . . the cloud filled the house of the Lord, ¹¹ So that the priests could not stand to minister because of the cloud; for the glory of the Lord had filled the house.—1 Kings, ch. 8.

3521. — better than Gold. Health. ⁶ Peter said, Silver and gold have I none; but such as I have give I thee: In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth, rise up and walk.—Acts, ch. 3.

3522. — to Counsellor. Saul said, 'The bread is spent in our vessels, and there is not a present to bring to the man of God: what have we?' ⁸ And the servant answered, Behold, I have here at hand the fourth part of a shekel of silver: that will I give to the man of God, to tell us our way.—1 Sam., ch. 9.

3523. — of Children. Reward. ⁵ Lo, children are a heritage of the Lord: and the fruit of the womb is his reward.—Ps. 127.

3524. — A farewell. Elijah's. ⁹ Elijah said unto Elisha, Ask what I shall do for thee, before I be taken away from thee. And Elisha said, I pray thee, let a double portion of thy spirit be upon me.—2 Kings, ch. 2.

3525. — A ghastly. Herodias' Daughter. ²⁵ She came . . . with haste unto the king. . . saying, I will that thou give me by and by in a charger the head of John the Baptist.—Mark, ch. 10.

3526. — Hypocrisy in a King Saul. ²⁰ Michal Saul's daughter loved David: and they

told Saul, and the thing pleased him. ²¹ And Saul said, I will give him her, that she may be a snare to him, and that the hand of the Philistines may be against him.—1 SAM., ch. 18.

3527. — *Influence of a Proverb.* ¹⁶ A man's gift maketh room for him, and bringeth him before great men.—PROV., ch. 18.

3528. — *An impossible.* *James and John.* ³⁷ Grant unto us that we may sit, one on thy right hand, and the other on thy left hand, in thy glory. ⁴⁰ But to sit on my right hand and on my left hand is not mine to give; but *it shall be given to them* for whom it is prepared.—MARK, ch. 10.

3529. — *The unspeakable.* *Jesus.* ¹⁶ For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.—JOHN, ch. 3. ¹⁵ Thanks be unto God for his unspeakable gift.—2 COR., ch. 9.

3530. — *An unaccepted.* *David.* ²² Lo, I give thee the oxen also for burnt offerings, and the threshing instruments for wood, and the wheat for the meat offering; I give it all. ²⁴ And king David said to Ornan, Nay; but I will verily buy it for the full price: for I will not take that which is thine for the Lord, nor offer burnt offerings without cost.—1 CHRON., ch. 21.

3531. — *A valuable.* *Widow of Zarephath.* ¹¹ Bring me, I pray thee, a morsel of bread in thine hand. ¹² And she said, I have, but a handful of meal in a barrel, and a little oil in a cruse: and, behold, I am gathering two sticks, that I may dress it for me and my son, that we may eat it, and die.—1 KINGS, ch. 17.

3532. *GIFTS, No cleansing by.* *Sin.* ¹ Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, or with ten thousands of rivers of oil? shall I give my firstborn for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?—MICAH, ch. 6.

3533. — *to Children.* *Abraham.* ⁵ Abraham gave all that he had unto Isaac. ⁶ But unto the sons of the concubines, Abraham gave gifts.—GEN., ch. 25.

3534. — *Contemptible.* *Religious.* ¹⁸ Thou shalt not bring the hire of a whore, or the price of a dog, into the house of the Lord thy God for any vow: for even both these are abomination unto the Lord.—DEUT., ch. 23.

3535. — *declined.* *Daniel.* ¹¹ Daniel answered, Let thy gifts be to thyself, and give thy rewards to another; yet I will read the writing unto the king, and make known to him the interpretation.—DAN., ch. 5.

3536. — — *Esau.* [See No. 3513.]

3537. — *Diversity in.* *Spiritual.* ⁸ To one is given by the Spirit the word of wisdom; to another the word of knowledge. ⁹ To another faith, the gifts of healing. ¹⁰ the working of miracles. ¹¹ prophecy. ¹² discerning of spirits. ¹³ divers kinds of tongues; to another the interpretation of tongues. ¹⁴ But all these worketh that one and the selfsame Spirit, dividing to every man severally as he will.—1 COR., ch. 12.

3538. — *differ.* *Parable.* ¹⁵ Unto one he gave five talents, to another two, and to another one; to every man according to his several ability.—MAT., ch. 25.

3539. — *Disappointment in.* *Hiram.* ¹² Hiram came out from Tyre to see the cities which Solomon had given him; and they pleased him not.—1 KINGS, ch. 9.

3540. — *Festival.* *David's.* [Bringing the ark to Zion.] ¹⁹ He dealt among all the people, as well to the women as men, to every one a cake of bread, and a good piece of flesh, and a flagon of wine.—2 SAM., ch. 6.

3541. — *less than Grace.* *Jesus said.* ¹⁹ I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing shall by any means hurt you. ²⁰ Notwithstanding, in this rejoice not, that the spirits are subject unto you; but rather rejoice, because your names are written in heaven.—LUKE, ch. 10.

3542. — *of Gratitude.* *Midianites slain.* ⁴⁹ They said unto Moses, Thy servants have taken the sum of the men of war which are under our charge, and there lacketh not one man of us. ⁵⁰ We have therefore brought an oblation for the Lord, what every man hath gotten, of jewels of gold, chains, and bracelets, rings, earrings, and tablets, to make an atonement for our souls.—NUM., ch. 31.

3543. — *for Jesus.* *Magi.* ¹¹ When they were come into the house, they saw the young child with Mary his mother, and fell down, and worshipped him: and when they had opened their treasures, they presented unto him gifts; gold, and frankincense, and myrrh.—MAT., ch. 2.

3544. — *Rule for.* *Rebuilding.* ⁴⁸ Offered freely for the house of God to set it up in his place: ⁴⁹ They gave after their ability unto the treasure of the work threescore and one thousand drams of gold, and five thousand pounds of silver, and one hundred priests.—EZRA, ch. 2.

3545. — *Supported by.* *Law.* ³⁰ The Lord spake unto Aaron, Thou shalt have no inheritance in their land. I am thy part and thine inheritance among the children of Israel. ³¹ I have given the children of Levi all the tenth in Israel for an inheritance, for their service.—NUM., ch. 18.

3546. — *Thanksgiving.* *Feast of Purim.* ²² The days wherein the Jews rested from their enemies, and the month which was turned unto them from sorrow to joy, and from mourning into a good day: that they should make them days of feasting and joy, and of sending portions one to another, and gifts to the poor.—ESTHER, ch. 9.

3547. — *Trouble from.* *In Sacks.* ²¹ As one of them opened his sack to give his ass provender in the inn, he espied his money. ²² And he said, My money is restored. ²³ their heart failed them, and they were afraid, saying one to another, What is this that God hath done unto us?—GEN., ch. 42.

3548. — *Value of.* *Two Mites.* ⁴³ This poor widow hath cast more in, than all they which have cast into the treasury: ⁴⁴ For all they did cast in of their abundance; but she of her want did cast in all that she had, even all her living.—MARK, ch. 12.

3549. — *Various.* *For Tabernacle.* ²² Every man, with whom was found blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine linen, and goats' hair, and

red skins of rams, and badgers' skins, brought them. ²⁴ . . . an offering of silver and brass. . . and . . . shittim wood for any work of the service. . . ²⁵ And all the women . . . did spin with their hands, and brought . . . of blue, and of purple, and of scarlet, and of fine linen. . . ²⁷ And the rulers brought onyx stones, and stones to be set, for the ephod, and for the breastplate; ²⁸ And spice, and oil for the light, and for the anointing oil, and for the sweet incense.—*Ex.*, ch. 35.

3550. — withheld. Robbery. ⁸ Will a man rob God? Yet ye have robbed me. But ye say, Wherein have we robbed thee? In tithes and offerings. ⁹ Ye are cursed with a curse: for ye have robbed me, even this whole nation.—*MAL.*, ch. 3.

3551. GIVERS, Disposition makes. Building Tabernacle. ¹ Every one whose heart stirred him up, and every one whom his spirit made willing, and they brought the Lord's offering to the work of the tabernacle. . . and for all his service, and for the holy garments.—*Ex.*, ch. 35.

3552. — Grateful. Women. ² Certain women, which had been healed of evil spirits and infirmities, Mary called Magdalene, out of whom went seven devils, ³ And Joanna the wife of Chuza Herod's steward, and Susanna, and many others. . . ministered unto him of their substance.—*LUKE*, ch. 8.

3553. — Happy. Building Temple. ⁹ Then the people rejoiced, for that they offered willingly, because with perfect heart they offered willingly to the Lord: and David the king also rejoiced with great joy.—*1 CHRON.*, ch. 29.

3554. — Lovely. Cheerful. ¹ Every man according as he purposeth in his heart, so let him give; not grudgingly, or of necessity: for God loveth a cheerful giver.—*2 COR.*, ch. 9.

3555. GIVING, Royal. Araunah. ²⁸ All these things did Araunah, as a king, give unto the king. ²⁹ And the king said, Nay; but I will surely buy it of thee at a price: neither will I offer burnt offerings. . . of that which doth cost me nothing. So David bought the threshing-floor and the oxen for fifty shekels of silver.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 24.

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Expenses. Charge ourselves yearly. . . third part 1658
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Repairs. Chest. . . set beside the altar. . . right side 1661
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GENEROSITY.

Royal. [David's] 8000 talents of gold. . . 70,000 silver 3514
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KINDNESS.

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Animals. Rebekah. . . I will draw for thy camels 4809
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to Christians. A cup of cold water only. . . his r. 4813
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Captives. Clothed naked. . . shod them. . . eat 4815
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Insulted. David sent to comfort him. . . cut beards 4819
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Loan. Hath pity. . . lendeth to the L. 4821
Providential. Boaz unto Ruth. . . abide here 4822
Prosperity. I delivered the poor that cried [Job] 4823
Prisoner. Jeremiah put these rags. . . under arms 4824
Remembered. Lest I destroy you, for ye showed 4825
Rewarded. Rahab hid them with flax. . . saved 4826
Substitutional. I was eyes to the blind. . . feet [Job] 4827
Servant. Centurion's servant was dear to him 4828
Strangers. Drink, my lord. . . hasted. . . gave him 4829
Timely. Barzillai brought beds. . . flour. . . butter 4830
Unexpected. Shall I smite them? . . . set bread 4831
Widow. Harvest. . . forgot a sheaf. . . be for the w. 4832

LIBERALITY.

Benevolent. Much entreaty, that we would receive 4949
Commended. Thine heart shalt not be grieved 4950
Denominational. He followeth not us; and we f. 4953
Pagan. He hath built us a synagogue 4954
Rule. Poor widow hath cast in more than all 4955
Returned. Liberal soul shall be made fat 4956
Return. Give, and it shall be given unto you 4957
Royal. Every one a loaf. . . flesh. . . wine 4958
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MAGNANIMITY.

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Forgiveness. David's heart smote him. . . Saul's 5165
Fraternal. [Judah] became surety for the lad 5166
Gracious. Is not the whole land before thee 5167

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Accepted. Five came. . . consumed upon the altar 5836
Best. Do justly, love mercy. . . walk humbly with 5837
Humble. Samuel took a sucking lamb. . . L. heard 5838

OFFERINGS.

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Forbidden. I will hide mine eyes. . . hands full of 5840
Ministerial. Offer up. . . even a tenth part of the t. 5841
Many. Solomon offered 22,000 oxen. . . 120,000 sheep 5843
Rejected. To what purpose is the multitude of 5843
Scrutinized. Jesus sat over against the treasury 5844
Unworthy. If ye offer the lame and sick, is it not 5845
Voluntary. Freewill offering. . . for the house of 5846
Willing. The stuff they had was. . . too much 5847

TALENTS.

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Faithful. Well done, good and faithful servant 8583
Hidden. I was afraid, and went and hid thy talent 8584
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Increase. Traded. . . and made them other five 8586
Numerous. David. . . cunning in playing. . . war 8587
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3556. GLORY in the Cross. Paul. ¹⁴ God forbid that I should glory, save in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by whom the world is crucified unto me, and I unto the world.—*GAL.*, ch. 6.

3557. — on the Countenance. Moses. ²⁹ When Moses came down from mount Sinai with the two tables of testimony. . . Moses wist not that the skin of his face shone while he talked with him.—*Ex.*, ch. 34.

3558. — — Stephen. ¹⁵ All that sat in

the council, looking steadfastly on him, saw his face as it had been the face of an angel.—*ACTS*, ch. 6.

3559. — *A dazzling. Saul.* ⁸ He came near Damascus : and suddenly there shined round about him a light from heaven : ⁹ And he was three days without sight, and neither did eat nor drink.—*ACTS*, ch. 9.

3560. — *Excluded by. Cloud.* ³⁵ Moses was not able to enter . . . because the cloud abode thereon, and the glory of the Lord filled the tabernacle.—*EX.*, ch. 40.

3561. — *Temple.* ¹⁰ When the priests were come out of the holy place, the cloud filled the house of the Lord, ¹¹ So that the priests could not stand to minister because of the cloud : for the glory of the Lord had filled the house.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 8.

3562. — *of God. Sidereal.* ¹ The heavens declare the glory of God ; and the firmament sheweth his handywork. ² Day unto day uttereth speech, and night unto night sheweth knowledge. ³ There is no speech nor language, where their voice is not heard.—*PS.* 19.

3563. — *Mount Sinai.* ⁹ Then went up Moses, and Aaron, Nadab, and Abihu, and seventy of the elders of Israel : ¹⁰ And they saw the God of Israel ; and there was under his feet as it were a paved work of a sapphire stone, and as it were the body of heaven in his clearness.—*EX.*, ch. 24.

3564. — *Revelation of.* ¹⁸ I beseech thee, shew me thy glory . . . while my glory passeth by. I will put thee in a cleft of the rock, and will cover thee with my hand while I pass by : ²² And I will take away mine hand, and thou shalt see my back parts ; but my face shall not be seen.—*EX.*, ch. 33.

3565. — *Symbol of Cloud.* ⁴¹ They looked toward the tabernacle of the congregation : and, behold, the cloud covered it, and the glory of the Lord appeared.—*NUM.*, ch. 16.

3566. — *in God only. Wise.* ²² Let not the wise man glory in his wisdom, neither let the mighty man glory in his might, let not the rich man glory in his riches : ²⁴ But let him that glorieth glory in this, that he understandeth and knoweth me, that I am the Lord which exercise lovingkindness, judgment, and righteousness, in the earth : for in these things I delight.—*JER.*, ch. 9.

3567. — *to God only. Increase.* ⁶ I have planted, Apollos watered ; but God gave the increase. ⁷ So then neither is he that planteth any thing, neither he that watereth ; but God that giveth the increase.—*1 COR.*, ch. 3.

3568. — *God demands. Herod.* ²¹ Herod, arrayed in royal apparel, sat upon his throne, and made an oration unto them. ²² And the people gave a shout, saying, It is the voice of a god, and not of a man. ²³ And immediately the angel of the Lord smote him, because he gave not God the glory : and he was eaten of worms, and gave up the ghost.—*ACTS*, ch. 12.

3569. — *from good Deeds. Fruitfulness.* ⁸ Herein is my Father glorified, that ye bear much fruit ; so shall ye be my disciples.—*JOHN*, ch. 15.

3570. — *not in Man. "All Yours."* ²¹ Let

no man glory in men : for all things are yours ; ²² Whether Paul, or Apollos, or Cephas, or the world, or life, or death, or things present, or things to come ; all are yours ; ²³ And ye are Christ's ; and Christ is God's.—*1 COR.*, ch. 3.

3571. — *of Nature. Lilies.* ²⁷ Consider the lilies how they grow : they toil not, they spin not ; and yet I say unto you, that Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these.—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

3572. — *revealed. Transfiguration.* ²⁹ As he prayed, the fashion of his countenance was altered, and his raiment was white and glittering.—*LUKE*, ch. 9.

3573. — *Transient. Human.* ²⁴ All flesh is as grass, and all the glory of man as the flower of grass. The grass withereth, and the flower thereof falleth away.—*1 PETER*, ch. 1.

3574. — *in Trials. Paul.* ²⁶ If I must needs glory, I will glory of the things which concern mine infirmities.—*2 COR.*, ch. 11.

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3579. — Ability of. *"Too Hard."* ²¹ I am the Lord, the God of all flesh: is there any thing too hard for me? ²⁵ Behold, I will give this city into the hand of the Chaldeans, and into the hand of Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon, and he shall take it.—*JER.*, ch. 32.

3580. — Awe of. *Moses.* ¹ The Angel of the Lord appeared unto him in a flame of fire out of the midst of a bush. ⁶ And Moses hid his face; for he was afraid to look upon God.—*EX.*, ch. 3.

3581. — Acceptance with. *Abel.* ⁴ By faith Abel offered unto God a more excellent sacrifice than Cain, by which he obtained witness that he was righteous, God testifying of his gifts.—*HEB.*, ch. 11.

3582. — Human Appearance of. *To Abram.* ¹ The Lord appeared unto him in the plains of Mamre: and he sat in the tent door in the heat of the day; ² . . . lo, three men stood by him: and when he saw them, he ran to meet them. . . and bowed himself toward the ground.—*GEN.*, ch. 18.

3583. — Abandoned by. *Delilah said,* ²⁰ The Philistines be upon thee, Samson. And he awoke out of his sleep, and said, I will go out as at other times before, and shake myself. And he wist not that the Lord was departed from him. ²¹ But the Philistines took him, and put out his eyes.—*JUDGES*, ch. 16.

3584. — Bold Access to. *Christ.* ¹⁴ Seeing then that we have a great high priest, that is passed into the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast our profession. ¹⁶ Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need.—*HEB.*, ch. 4.

3585. — Character of. *At Sinai.* ⁶ The Lord passed by before him, and proclaimed, The Lord, The Lord God, merciful and gracious, longsuffering, and abundant in goodness and truth, ⁷ Keeping mercy for thousands, forgiving iniquity and transgression and sin, and that will by no means clear the guilty; visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children, and upon the children's children, unto the third and to the fourth generation.—*EX.*, ch. 34.

3586. — not counselled. *Gibeonites' Trick.* ¹³ This our bread we took hot. . . out of our houses. . . but now. . . it is mouldy: ¹⁵ And these bottles of wine. . . were new, and behold they be rent: and these our garments and our shoes are become old by reason of the very long journey. ¹⁴ And the men took of their victuals, and asked not counsel at the mouth of the Lord.—*JOSEPH*, ch. 9.

3587. — defeated, Cause of. *By Philistines.* ¹ When the ark. . . of the Lord came into the camp, all Israel shouted with a great shout, so that the earth rang again. ¹⁰ And the Philistines fought, and Israel was smitten, and they fled. . . a very great slaughter. ¹¹ And the ark of God was taken.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 4.

3588. — The Door to. *Jesus.* ⁹ I am the

door: by me if any man enter in, he shall be saved, and shall go in and out, and find pasture.—*JOHN*, ch. 10.

3589. — despised, Power of. *Rab-shakeh said,* ²⁰ Neither let Hezekiah make you trust in the Lord, saying, The Lord will surely deliver us, and this city shall not be delivered into the hand of the king of Assyria. ²³ Hath any of the gods of the nations delivered at all his land out of the hand of the king of Assyria?—*2 KINGS*, ch. 18.

3590. — distrusted. *Forbidden Fruit.* ⁶ When the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and. . . pleasant to the eyes, and. . . to be desired to make one wise, she took. . . and did eat, and gave also unto her husband.—*GEN.*, ch. 3.

3591. — The first for. *Harvest.* ¹⁴ Ye shall eat neither bread, nor parched corn, nor green ears, until the selfsame day that ye have brought an offering unto your God: *It shall be a statute for ever. . . in all your dwellings.*—*LEV.*, ch. 23.

3592. — Firstborn for. *All.* ¹⁹ Thou shalt set apart unto the Lord all that openeth the matrix, and every firstling that cometh of a beast which thou hast; the male shall be the Lord's. ¹³ And every firstling of an ass thou shalt redeem with a lamb. . . and all the firstborn of man among thy children shalt thou redeem.—*EX.*, ch. 13.

3593. — honoured first. *Proverb.* ⁹ Honour the Lord with thy substance, and with the first-fruits of all thine increase: ¹⁰ So shall thy barns be filled with plenty, and thy presses shall burst out with new wine.—*PROV.*, ch. 3.

3594. — First. Building for. *Altar.* ² Then stood up Joshua. . . and his brethren the priests, and Zerubbabel. . . and his brethren, and builded the altar of the God of Israel, to offer burnt offerings.—*EZRA*, ch. 3.

3595. — obeyed first. *At Jerusalem.* ²⁸ Did not we straitly command you that ye should not teach in this name? and, behold, ye have filled Jerusalem with your doctrine, and intend to bring this man's blood upon us. ²⁹ Then Peter and the other apostles answered. . . We ought to obey God rather than men.—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

3596. — Fidelity honours. *Three Hebrews.* ²⁸ Nebuchadnezzar spake. . . Blessed be the God. . . who hath sent his angel, and delivered his servants that trusted in him. . . yielded their bodies, that they might not serve nor worship any god, except their own God. ²⁹ Therefore I make a decree, That every people, nation, and language, which speak any thing amiss against the God. . . shall be cut in pieces, and their houses shall be made a dunghill; because there is no other God that can deliver after this sort.—*DAN.*, ch. 3.

3597. — Fleeing from. *Jonah.* ² Jonah rose up to flee unto Tarshish from the presence of the Lord, and went down to Joppa; and he found a ship going to Tarshish: so he paid the fare thereof, and went down into it.—*JONAH*, ch. 1.

3598. — Forsaken by. *Jesus.* ⁴ From the sixth hour there was darkness over all the land unto the ninth hour. ⁴⁶ And about the ninth hour Jesus cried with a loud voice, saying, Eli, Eli, lama sabachthani? that is to say, My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me?—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

3599. — *Visible Glory of. At Sinai.* ⁹Went up Moses, and Aaron, Nadab, and Abihu, and seventy of the elders of Israel; ¹⁰And they saw the God of Israel: and *there was* under his feet as it were a paved work of a sapphire stone, and as it were the body of heaven in his clearness.—*Ex.*, ch. 24.

3600. — *Glorious Knowledge of. "Knoweth me."* ²²Thus saith the Lord, Let not the wise man glory in his wisdom, neither let the mighty man glory in his might, let not the rich man glory in his riches: ²⁴But let him that glorieth glory in this, that he understandeth and knoweth me, that I am the Lord which exercise loving-kindness, judgment, and righteousness, in the earth: for in these things I delight, saith the Lord.—*JER.*, ch. 9.

3601. — *All Gifts from. Proverb.* ¹²The hearing ear, and the seeing eye, the Lord hath made even both of them.—*PROV.*, ch. 20.

3602. — *honours the Faithful. Three Hebrews.* ²¹The princes, governors, and captains, and the king's counsellors, saw these men, upon whose bodies the fire had no power, nor was a hair of their head singed, neither were their coats changed, nor the smell of fire had passed on them. ³⁰Then the king promoted Shadrach, Meshach, and Abed-nego, in the province of Babylon.—*DAN.*, ch. 3.

3603. — *Intercourse with. Jacob.* ¹²He dreamed, and behold a ladder set up on the earth, and the top of it reached to heaven: and behold the angels of God ascending and descending on it. ¹³And, behold, the Lord stood above it.—*GEN.*, ch. 28.

3604. — *longingly desired. David.* ¹As the hart panteth after the water brooks, so panteth my soul after thee, O God. ²My soul thirsteth for God, for the living God: when shall I come and appear before God?—*PS.* 42.

3605. — *less than Gold. Pharisees.* ¹⁶Whosoever shall swear by the temple, it is nothing; but whosoever shall swear by the gold of the temple, he is a debtor! ¹⁷Ye fools and blind: for whether is greater, the gold, or the temple that sanctifieth the gold?—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

3606. — *Manifestation of. "Back Part."* ²⁰Thou canst not see my face: for there shall no man see me, and live. ²¹:Behold, there is a place by me, and thou shalt stand upon a rock. ²²I will put thee in a cleft of the rock, and will cover thee with my hand while I pass by: ²³And I will take away mine hand, and thou shalt see my back parts; but my face shall not be seen.—*Ex.*, ch. 33.

3607. — *Mercy of. To Ninevites.* ¹It displeased Jonah exceedingly, and he was very angry. ²And he prayed. O Lord, was not this my saying, when I was yet in my country? Therefore I fled before unto Tarshish: for I knew that thou art a gracious God, and merciful, slow to anger, and of great kindness, and repentest thee of the evil.—*JONAH*, ch. 4.

3608. — *misjudged. Destructive.* ²¹Then Manoah knew that he was an angel. ²²And Manoah said unto his wife, We shall surely die, because we have seen God. ²³But his wife said. If the Lord were pleased to kill us, he would not have received a burnt offering.—*JUDGES*, ch. 13.

3609. — *Hearness of. Unconscious.* ¹⁶Jacob awaked out of his sleep, and he said, Surely the Lord is in this place; and I knew it not. ¹⁷And he was afraid, and said, How dreadful is this place! this is none other but the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.—*GEN.*, ch. 28.

3610. — *near to All. Paul at Athens.* ²¹That they should seek the Lord, if haply they might feel after him, and find him, though he be not far from every one of us: ²⁸For in him we live, and move, and have our being.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

3611. — *Omnipotence of. "Hangeth the Earth."* ⁶He stretcheth out the north over the empty place, and hangeth the earth upon nothing.—*JOB*, ch. 26.

3612. — *Omniscience of. David.* ³Thou knowest my downsitting and mine uprising; thou understandest my thought afar off. ³Thou compassedst my path and my lying down, and art acquainted with all my ways. ⁴For there is not a word in my tongue, but lo, O Lord, thou knowest it altogether.—*PS.* 139.

3613. — *Omnipresence of. David.* ¹Whither shall I go from thy Spirit? or whither shall I flee from thy presence? ²If I ascend up into heaven, thou art there: if I make my bed in hell, behold, thou art there. ³If I take the wings of the morning, and dwell in the uttermost parts of the sea; ¹⁰Even there shall thy hand lead me, and thy right hand shall hold me.—*PS.* 139.

3614. — *Presence of. Dispels Fear.* ¹Jacob, Jacob. And he said, Here am I. ²And he said, I am God, the God of thy father: fear not to go down into Egypt; for I will there make of thee a great nation. ⁴I will go down with thee into Egypt; and I will also surely bring thee up again.—*GEN.*, ch. 46.

3615. — *revealed. To a Child.* ³Samuel went and lay down in his place. ¹⁰And the Lord called as at other times, Samuel, Samuel. Then Samuel answered, Speak; for thy servant heareth.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 3.

3616. — *Reverence for. At Sinai.* ²¹Moses, Go down, charge the people, lest they break through unto the Lord to gaze, and many of them perish. ²²And let the priests also, which come near to the Lord, sanctify themselves, lest the Lord break forth upon them.—*Ex.*, ch. 19.

3617. — *rejected. Ahaziah.* ⁶Thus saith the Lord, Is it not because there is not a God in Israel, that thou sendest to inquire of Baal-zebub the god of Ekron? therefore thou shalt not come down from that bed on which thou art gone up, but shalt surely die.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 1.

3618. — *Remaining with. "Forty Days."* ¹²Moses went into the midst of the cloud. And Moses was in the mount forty days and forty nights.—*Ex.*, ch. 24.

3619. — *Supremacy of. Dagon.* ⁴Dagon was fallen upon his face to the ground before the ark of the Lord; and the head of Dagon and both the palms of his hands were cut off upon the threshold; only the stump of Dagon was left to him.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 5.

3620. — *Sufficiency in. Sun.* ¹¹The Lord God is a sun and shield: the Lord will give

grace and glory : no good thing will he withhold from them that walk uprightly.—Ps. 84.

3631. — seen by the Purified. *Sinai.* ¹ Moses took the blood, and sprinkled it on the people. ² . . . went up Moses, and Aaron, Nadab, and Abihu, and seventy of the elders of Israel ; ³ And they saw the God of Israel.—Ex., ch. 24.

3632. — Tithes for. *Animals.* ²² Concerning the tithe of the herd, or of the flock, even of whatsoever passeth under the rod, the tenth shall be holy unto the Lord. ²³ He shall not search whether it be good or bad, neither shall he change it.—Lev., ch. 27.

3633. — — Abraham. ¹ This Melchisedec, king of Salem, priest of the most high God, who met Abraham returning from the slaughter of the kings, and blessed him ; ² To whom also Abraham gave a tenth part of all.—Heb., ch. 7.

3634. — The true. *Dagon.* ³ They took Dagon, and set him in his place again. ⁴ . . . on the morrow morning, behold, Dagon was fallen.—1 SAM., ch. 5. [See No. 3619.]

3635. — Terms of. *Piety.* ³ He hath shewed thee, O man, what is good ; and what doth the Lord require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God ?—MICAH, ch. 6.

3636. — unlimited. *" Hills."* ²² The servants of the king of Syria said . . . Their gods are gods of the hills ; therefore they were stronger than we ; but let us fight against them in the plain, and surely we shall be stronger than they.—1 KINGS, ch. 20. [Were defeated again.]

3637. — The unsearchable. *Job.* [See Job, 38th chapter entire.]

3638. — An unknown. *Athenians.* ²² As I passed by, and beheld your devotions, I found an altar with this inscription, TO THE UNKNOWN GOD. Whom therefore ye ignorantly worship, him declare I unto you.—ACTS, ch. 17.

3639. — New Way to. *Mt. Zion.* ¹⁸ For ye are not come unto the mount . . . that burned with fire, nor unto blackness, and darkness, and tempest . . . ²² But ye are come unto mount Zion, and unto the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem, and to an innumerable company of angels, ²³ To the general assembly and church of the firstborn, which are written in heaven, and to God the Judge of all, and to the spirits of just men made perfect, ²⁴ And to Jesus the mediator of the new covenant, and to the blood of sprinkling, that speaketh better things than that of Abel.—Heb., ch. 12.

3639. — Wrestling with. *Jacob.* ²⁴ Jacob was left alone ; and there wrestled a man with him until the breaking of the day . . . ²⁸ And he said, Thy name shall be called no more Jacob, but Israel : for as a prince hast thou power with God and with men, and hast prevailed.—GEN., ch. 32.

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3631. GODS of this World. *On Carmel.* ²⁷ At noon . . . Elijah mocked them, and said, Cry aloud : for he is a god : either he is talking, or he is pursuing, or he is in a journey, or peradventure he sleepeth, and must be awaked.—1 KINGS, ch. 18.

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3633. GODLY, Happiness of the. *Tree.* ³ He shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season : his leaf also shall not wither ; and whatsoever he doeth shall prosper.—Ps. 1.

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3634. GOLD in Architecture. *Temple.* ²¹ Solomon overlaid the house within with pure gold : and he made a partition by the chains of gold before the oracle ; and he overlaid it with gold. ²² And the whole house . . . also the whole altar that was by the oracle he overlaid with gold.—1 KINGS, ch. 6.

3635. — Abundance of. *Solomon.* ¹⁴ The weight of gold that came to Solomon in one year was six hundred threescore and six talents of gold, ¹⁶ . . . Solomon made two hundred targets of beaten gold : six hundred *shekels* of gold went to one target. ¹⁷ And he made three hundred shields of beaten gold ; three pounds of gold went to one shield.—1 KINGS, ch. 10.

3636. — The best. *Grace.* ¹⁷ Because

thou sayest, I am rich, and increased with goods, and have need of nothing; and knowest not that thou art wretched, and miserable, and poor, and blind, and naked: ¹⁸ I counsel thee to buy of me gold tried in the fire, that thou mayest be rich.—Rev., ch. 3.

3637. — *Better than. Lame Beggar.* ⁵ He .. expecting to receive something of them. ⁶ Then Peter said, Silver and gold have I none; but such as I have give I thee: In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth rise up and walk.—Acts, ch. 3.

3638. — *City of. Heaven.* ¹⁸ The building of the wall of it was of jasper: and the city was pure gold, like unto clear glass.—Rev., ch. 21.

3639. — *The first mentioned. Eden.* ¹⁰ A river went out of Eden to water the garden.. and became into four heads. ¹¹ The name of the first is Pison; it compasseth the land of Havilah where there is gold.—Gen., ch. 2.

3640. — *Furniture of. Ahasuerus.* ⁶ The beds were of gold and silver, upon a pavement of red, and blue, and white, and black marble. ⁷ And they gave them drink in vessels of gold.. being diverse one from another.. and royal wine in abundance.—ESTHER, ch. 1.

3641. — *Imported. By Solomon.* ²⁷ The servants of Solomon.. ²⁸.. came to Ophir, and fetched from thence gold, four hundred and twenty talents.—1 KINGS, ch. 9.

3642. — *Image of. Idol.* ¹ Nebuchadnezzar the king made an image of gold, whose height was threescore cubits, and the breadth thereof six cubits: he set it up in the plain of Dura.—DAN., ch. 3.

3643. — *more than God. Pharisees.* ¹⁶ Whosoever shall swear by the temple, it is nothing; but whosoever shall swear by the gold of the temple, he is a debtor! ¹⁷ Ye fools and blind: for whether is greater, the gold, or the temple that sanctifieth the gold.—MAT., ch. 23.

3644. — *Offerings of. For Tabernacle.* ²² Both men and women, as many as were willing hearted.. brought bracelets, and earrings, and rings, and tablets, all jewels of gold: and every man that offered, offered an offering of gold unto the Lord.—Ex., ch. 35.

3645. — *prohibited. Women.* ³ Whose adorning, let it not be that outward adorning of plaiting the hair, and of wearing of gold, or of putting on of apparel.—1 PETER, ch. 3.

3646. — *for Trespass. Philistine's.* ¹ Take two milch kine.. and tie the kine to the cart.. ² And take the ark of the Lord, and lay it upon the cart; and put the jewels of gold, which ye return him for a trespass offering, in a coffer by the side thereof; and send it away.—1 SAM., ch. 6.

3647. — *Throne of. Solomon.* ¹⁸ The king made a great throne of ivory, and overlaid it with the best gold.—1 KINGS, ch. 10.

3648. — *Spoils of. Gideon's.* ²⁸ The weight of the golden earrings.. was a thousand and seven hundred shekels of gold; besides ornaments, and collars, and purple raiment that was on the kings of Midian, and besides the chains that were about their camels' necks.—JUDGES, ch. 8.

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3649. *GOOD or Bad. Baskets of Figs.* ³ Said the Lord.. What seest thou, Jeremiah? And I said, Figs; the good figs, very good; and the evil, very evil, that cannot be eaten, they are so evil.—JER., ch. 24.

3650. — *Hatred of the. Joseph.* ⁴ When his brethren saw that their father loved him more than all his brethren, they hated him, and could not speak peaceably unto him.—GEN., ch. 37.

3651. — *mixed with Bad. Tares.* ²³ The servants said.. Wilt thou then that we go and gather them up? ²⁴ But he said, Nay; lest while ye gather up the tares, ye root up also the wheat with them. ²⁵ Let both grow together until the harvest.. I will say to the reapers, Gather ye together first the tares, and bind them in bundles to burn them: but gather the wheat into my barn.—MAT., ch. 13.

3652. — *Omission of. Dives.* ¹⁹ There was a certain rich man, which was clothed in purple and fine linen and fared sumptuously every day.. ²³ And in hell he lifted up his eyes, being in torments.—LUKE, ch. 16.

3653. *GOODNESS. Commendation of. Proverb.* ³ Let not mercy and truth forsake thee: bind them about thy neck; write them upon the table of thine heart: ⁴ So shalt thou find favour and good understanding in the sight of God and man.—PROV., ch. 3.

3654. — *distrusted. Eve.* ⁴ The serpent said unto the woman, Ye shall not surely die: ⁵ For God doth know that in the day ye eat thereof, then your eyes shall be opened; and ye shall be as gods, knowing good and evil.—GEN., ch. 3.

3655. — Divine. To Saints. ¹ The angel of the Lord encampeth round about them that fear him, and delivereth them. ⁸ O taste and see that the Lord is good : blessed is the man that trusteth in him. ⁹ O fear the Lord, ye his saints : for there is no want to them that fear him. ¹⁰ The young lions do lack, and suffer hunger : but they that seek the Lord shall not want any good thing.—Ps. 34.

3656. — Pride in. Pharisee. ¹¹ God, I thank thee, that I am not as other men are, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this publican. ¹² I fast twice in the week, I give tithes of all that I possess.—LUKE, ch. 18.

3657. — reveals Glory. Moses' Prayer. ¹³ I beseech thee, shew me thy glory. ¹⁴ And he said, I will make all my goodness pass before thee, and I will proclaim the name of the Lord before thee ; and will be gracious to whom I will be gracious, and will shew mercy on whom I will shew mercy.—Ex., ch. 33.

3658. — no Shield. John. ¹⁵ Herodias had a quarrel against him, and would have killed him ; but she could not : ²⁰ For Herod feared John, knowing that he was a just man and a holy, and observed him.—MARK, ch. 6.

3659. — Tribute to. Proverb. ¹⁶ The evil bow before the good ; and the wicked at the gates of the righteous.—PROV., ch. 14.

3660. — Unconscious. Moses. ¹⁷ And it came to pass, when Moses came down from mount Sinai with the two tables of testimony in Moses' hand, when he came down from the mount, that Moses wist not that the skin of his face shone while he talked with him.—Ex., ch. 34.

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3661. GOSPEL of Deliverance. In Egypt. ²⁰ Moses..did the signs. ²¹ And the people believed : and when they heard that the Lord had visited the children of Israel, and that he had looked upon their affliction, then they bowed their heads and worshipped.—Ex., ch. 4.

3662. — of Glad Tidings. Advent. ¹⁰ Fear not : for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. ¹¹ For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.—LUKE, ch. 2.

3663. — honoured. Paul. ¹⁵ As much as in me is, I am ready to preach the gospel to you that are at Rome also. ¹⁶ For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ : for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth.—ROM., ch. 1.

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3664. GOVERNMENT, Bad. Revolution. ³ His sons..turned aside after lucre, and took bribes, and perverted judgment. ⁴ Then all the elders of Israel..came to Samuel.. ⁵ And said..Behold, thou art old, and thy sons walk not in thy ways : now make us a king to judge us like all the nations.—1 SAM., ch. 8.

3665. — Commissioned for. Man. ²⁴ Let us make man in our image, after our likeness : and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing.—GEN., ch. 1.

3666. — Method in. Jethro said, ²¹ Thou shalt provide out of all the people able men, such as fear God, men of truth, hating covetousness ; and place such over them, to be rulers of thousands, and rulers of hundreds, rulers of fifties, and rulers of tens : ²² And let them judge the people at all seasons..every great matter they shall bring unto thee.—Ex., ch. 18.

3667. — Obedience to. " Higher Power." ¹ Let every soul be subject unto the higher powers. For there is no power but of God : the powers that be are ordained of God. ² Whosoever therefore resisteth the power, resisteth the ordinance of God.—ROM., ch. 13.

2668. — Revolt against. *Young Rehoboam.*
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 19 So Israel rebelled against the house of
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2669. — Support of. *Tribute.* 17 Is it law-
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3674. — accessible. Brazen Serpent. "The Lord said unto Moses, Make thee a fiery serpent, and set it upon a pole : and every one that is bitten, when he looketh upon it, shall live.—*NUM.*, ch. 21.

3675. — better than Gifts. Apostles. "I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy ; and nothing shall by any means hurt you. "Notwithstanding, in this rejoice not, that the spirits are subject unto you ; but rather rejoice, because your names are written in heaven.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

3676. — Conquests of. Canaanites. "Thy God will put out those nations before thee by little and little : thou mayest not consume them at once, lest the beasts of the field increase upon thee. "But the Lord thy God shall deliver them unto thee, and shall destroy them with a mighty destruction, until they be destroyed.—*DEUT.*, ch. 7.

3677. — A Day of. Fig Tree. "Let it alone this year also, till I shall dig about it, and dung it : "And if it bear fruit, well : and if not, then after that thou shalt cut it down.—*LUKE*, ch. 13.

3678. — Diffusive. Leaven. "Whereunto shall I liken the kingdom of God ? "It is like leaven, which a woman took and hid in three measures of meal, till the whole was leavened.—*LUKE*, ch. 13.

3679. — Dishonoured. Corinthians. "This is not to eat the Lord's supper. "For in eating every one taketh before other his own supper : and one is hungry, and another is drunken. "What ! have ye not houses to eat and to drink in ? or despise ye the church of God.—*1 COR.*, ch. 11.

3680. — Free. Water. "I will stand before thee there upon the rock in Horeb ; and thou shalt smite the rock, there shall come water out of it, that the people may drink. And Moses did so.—*EX.*, ch. 17.

3681. — Growth in. Aaron's Rod. "Moses went into the tabernacle, the rod of Aaron was budded, and brought forth buds, and bloomed blossoms, and yielded almonds.—*NUM.*, ch. 17.

3682. — Invitation of. "Come." "The Spirit and the bride say, Come. And let him that heareth say, Come. And let him that is athirst come. And whosoever will, let him take the water of life freely.—*REV.*, ch. 22.

3683. — Indwelling. Well. "Jesus said unto her, Whosoever drinketh of this water shall thirst again : "But whosoever drinketh of the water that I shall give him shall never thirst ; but shall be in him a well of water springing up into everlasting life.—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

3684. — Means of. Pentecost. "They that gladly received his word, were baptized. . . there were added unto them about three thousand souls. "And they continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers.—*ACTS*, ch. 2.

3685. — — Absence from. "Then said Jesus to them again, Peace be unto you. . . "But Thomas, one of the twelve, called Didymus, was not with them when Jesus came.—*JOHN*, ch. 20.

3686. — only. Unprofitable Servants. "Doth he thank that servant because he did the things that were commanded him ? I trow not. "So likewise ye, when ye shall have done all those things which are commanded you, say, We are unprofitable servants : we have done that which was our duty to do.—*LUKE*, ch. 17.

3687. — Rewarded by. Parable. "They came that were hired about the eleventh hour, they received every man a penny. "But when the first came, they supposed that they should have received more ; and they likewise received every man a penny.—*MAT.*, ch. 20.

3688. — boldly sought. Paul. "We have not a high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities ; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin. "Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need.—*HEB.*, ch. 4.

3689. — transforms. Jacob. "Jacob awaked out of his sleep, and he said, Surely the Lord is in this place ; and I knew it not. "And he was afraid, and said, How dreadful is this place ! this is none other but the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.—*GEN.*, ch. 28.

3690. — Test of. Naaman. "Elisha sent a messenger, saying, Go and wash in Jordan seven times, and thy flesh shall come again to thee, and thou shalt be clean. "But Naaman was wroth.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 5.

3691. — Unfailing. Manna. "Did eat manna forty years, until they came to a land inhabited, unto the borders of the land of Canaan.—*EX.*, ch. 16.

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3694. GRATITUDE, Appeal to. Jonathan. "Saul spake to . . all his servants, that they should kill David. "But Jonathan Saul's son delight-

ed much in David : and Jonathan told David. ⁴ And Jonathan spake good of David unto Saul his father, and said. . . ⁵ For he did put his life in his hand, and slew the Philistine, and the Lord wrought a great salvation for all Israel : thou sawest it, and didst rejoice : Wherefore then wilt thou sin against innocent blood, and slay David without a cause?—1 SAM., ch. 19.

3695. — for Deliverance. *Undemonized.* ¹⁹ Go home to thy friends, and tell them how great things the Lord hath done for thee. . . ²⁰ And he departed, and began to publish in Decapolis how great things Jesus had done for him : and all men did marvel.—MARK, ch. 5.

3696. — Evidences of. *Women.* ² Certain women, which had been healed of evil spirits and infirmities, Mary called Magdalene, out of whom went seven devils, ³ And Joanna the wife of Chuza Herod's steward, and Susanna, and many others, which ministered unto him of their substance.—LUKE, ch. 8.

3697. — forgotten. *Butler.* ⁹ Then spake the chief butler unto Pharaoh, saying, I do remember my faults this day. . . ¹² . . . there was there with us a young man, a Hebrew, servant to the captain of the guard. . . and he interpreted to us our dreams.—GEN., ch. 41.

3698. — Kindness inspires. *David.* ⁶ David said, Mephibosheth. . . ⁷ . . . Fear not : for I will surely shew thee kindness for Jonathan thy father's sake, and will restore thee all the land of Saul thy father ; and thou shalt eat bread at my table continually.—2 SAM., ch. 9.

3699. — Office of. *Joseph.* ¹³ Within three days shall Pharaoh. . . restore thee unto thy place ; and thou shalt deliver Pharaoh's cup into his hand, after the former manner when thou wast his butler. ¹⁴ But think on me when it shall be well with thee. . . and make mention of me unto Pharaoh, and bring me out of this house.—GEN., ch. 40.

3700. — for Pardon. *Woman.* ²¹ A woman in the city, which was a sinner. . . brought an alabaster box of ointment, ²³ And stood at his feet behind him weeping, and began to wash his feet with tears, and did wipe them with the hairs of her head, and kissed his feet, and anointed them with the ointment.—LUKE, ch. 7.

3701. — Rare. *Leper.* ¹² Ten men that were lepers, which stood afar off : ¹³ . . . said, Jesus, Master, have mercy on us. . . ¹⁷ And Jesus answering said, Were there not ten cleansed ? but where are the nine ? ¹⁸ There are not found that returned to give glory to God, save this stranger.—LUKE, ch. 17.

3702. — Unutterable. *Lame Man.* ¹¹ As the lame man which was healed held Peter and John, all the people ran together unto them in the porch that is called Solomon's, greatly wondering.—ACTS, ch. 3.

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3705. — Longed for. *Job.* ¹³ O that thou wouldest hide me in the grave, that thou wouldest keep me secret, until thy wrath be past, and thou wouldest appoint me a set time, and remember me !—JOB, ch. 14.

3706. — A perfumed. *Asa's.* ¹⁴ They buried him in his own sepulchres, which he had made for himself in the city of David, and laid him in the bed which was filled with sweet odours and divers kinds of spices prepared by the apothecaries' art : and they made a very great burning for him.—2 CHRON., ch. 16.

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3708. — in doing Good. *Apostles.* ²⁸ And he sat down, and called the twelve, and saith unto them, If any man desire to be first, the same shall be last of all, and servant of all.—MARK, ch. 9. [See No. 3707.]

3709. — Humility in. *Childlike.* ⁴ Whosoever therefore shall humble himself as this little child, the same is greatest in the kingdom of heaven.—MAT., ch. 18.

3710. — Proof of. *Power.* ¹⁷ Joshua spake unto. . . Ephraim and to Manasseh, saying, Thou art a great people, and hast great power : thou shalt not have one lot only : ¹⁸ But the mountain shall be thine ; for it is a wood, and thou shalt cut it down. . . for thou shalt drive out the Canaanites, though they have iron chariots, and though they be strong.—JOSH., ch. 17.

3711. — by Service. *Jesus.* ⁴⁴ Whosoever of you will be the chiefest, shall be servant of all. ⁴⁵ For even the Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give his life a ransom for many.—MARK, ch. 10.

3712. — tarnished. *Leper.* ¹ Naaman, captain of the host of the king of Syria, was a great man with his master, and honourable, because by him the Lord had given deliverance unto Syria : he was also a mighty man in valour, but he was a leper.—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

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3714. GRIEF, An angry. Jonathan. ²³ Jonathan knew that it was determined of his father to slay David. ²⁴ So Jonathan arose from the table in fierce anger, and did eat no meat..for he was grieved for David.—1 SAM., ch. 20.

3715. — Abstinence in. David. ¹⁵ The Lord struck the child that Uriah's wife bare..and it was very sick. ¹⁶ David therefore besought God for the child; and David fasted, and went in, and lay all night upon the earth. ¹⁷..neither did he eat bread.—2 SAM., ch. 12.

3716. — In Affliction. Jairus. ²³ One of the rulers of the synagogue, Jairus by name..fell at his feet, ²⁵ And besought him greatly, saying, My little daughter lieth at the point of death: I pray thee, come and lay thy hands on her, that she may be healed.—MARK, ch. 5.

3717. — Bitter. Esau's. ²⁸ Hast thou but one blessing, my father? bless me, even me also, O my father. And Esau lifted up his voice, and wept.—GEN., ch. 27.

3718. — of Bereavement. Mary. ³¹ Jews then which were with her in the house, and comforted her, when they saw Mary, that she rose up hastily and went out, followed her, saying, She goeth unto the grave to weep there.—JOHN, ch. 11.

3719. — — Jesus. ²³ When Jesus therefore saw her weeping, and the Jews also weeping which came with her, he groaned in the spirit, and was troubled..²⁵ Jesus wept.—JOHN, ch. 11.

3720. — — David and People. ¹¹ Then David took hold on his clothes, and rent them; and likewise all the men that were with him: ¹² And they mourned, and wept, and fasted until even, for Saul, and for Jonathan.—2 SAM., ch. 1.

3721. — — Joseph. ¹ Joseph fell upon his father's face, and wept upon him, and kissed him. ² And Joseph commanded the physicians to embalm his father.—GEN., ch. 50.

3722. — — Job. ²⁰ Then Job arose, and rent his mantle, and shaved his head, and fell down upon the ground, and worshipped.—JOB, ch. 1.

3723. — from Distrust. Peter. ¹⁷ Peter was grieved because he said unto him the third time, Lovest thou me? And he said unto him, Lord, thou knowest all things; thou knowest that I love thee.—JOHN, ch. 21.

3724. — Divine. Antediluvians. ⁵ God saw that the wickedness of man was great, and that every imagination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually. ⁶..and it grieved him at his heart.—GEN., ch. 6.

3725. — *Effect of. David's.* ¹ The victory that day was turned into mourning. for the people heard say that day how the king was grieved for his son. ² And the people gat them by stealth that day into the city, as people being ashamed steal away when they flee in battle. ³ But the king. . . cried with a loud voice, O my son Absalom! O Absalom, my son, my son! — 2 SAM., ch. 19.

3726. — *Fraternal. Reuben.* ²⁹ Reuben returned. . . behold, Joseph was not in the pit; and he rent his clothes. ³⁰ And he returned unto his brethren, and said, The child is not; and I, whither shall I go? — GEN., ch. 37.

3727. — *A Husband's. For Michal.* ¹⁶ And Ish-bosheth sent, and took her from her husband, even from Phaltiel. . . ¹⁶ And her husband went with her along weeping behind her to Bahurim. — 2 SAM., ch. 3. [She was David's wife by prior marriage.]

3728. — *Irrational. Ziklag.* [Taken by Philistines.] ² It was burned with fire; and their wives. . . sons. . . daughters, were taken captives. ⁴ Then David and the people that were with him lifted up their voice and wept, until they had no more power to weep. — 1 SAM., ch. 30.

3729. — *of Jealousy. Enemies.* ¹⁰ When Sanballat. . . and Tobiah. . . heard of it, it grieved them exceedingly that there was come a man to seek the welfare of the children of Israel. ¹¹ So I came to Jerusalem. — NEH., ch. 2.

3730. — *from Marriage. Rebekah.* ²⁴ Esau was forty years old when he took to wife Judith. . . the Hittite, and Bashemath. . . the Hittite: ²⁵ Which were a grief of mind unto Isaac and to Rebekah. — GEN., ch. 26.

3731. — *Neglect in. Absalom against David.* ²⁴ Mephibosheth the son of Saul came down to meet the king, and had neither dressed his feet, nor trimmed his beard, nor washed his clothes, from the day the king departed until the day he came again in peace. — 2 SAM., ch. 19.

3732. — *Patriotic. Ezra.* ³ They have taken of their daughters for themselves, and for their sons: so that the holy seed have mingled themselves with the people of those lands: yea, the hand of the princes and rulers hath been chief in this trespass. ⁸ And when I heard this thing, I rent my garment and my mantle, and plucked off the hair of my head and of my beard, and sat down astonished. — EZRA, ch. 9.

3733. — *reproved. David's.* [See No. 3725.] ⁵ Joab. . . said, Thou hast shamed this day the faces of all thy servants, which this day have saved thy life, and the lives of thy sons. . . thy daughters. . . ⁶ . . . I perceive, that if Absalom had lived, and all we had died this day, then it had pleased thee well. ⁷ Now. . . speak comfortably unto thy servants: for I swear by the Lord, if thou go not forth, there will not tarry one with thee this night. — 2 SAM., ch. 19.

3734. — *Sollicitous. Dumb Spirit.* ²⁰ They brought him unto him: and when he saw him, straightway the spirit tare him; and he fell on the ground, and wallowed foaming. ²¹ And he asked his father, How long is it ago since this came unto him? And he said, Of a child. ²² And oftentimes it hath cast him into the fire, and into the waters, to destroy him: but if thou canst do

any thing, have compassion on us, and help us. — MARK, ch. 9.

3735. — *Silence in. Job's Friends.* ¹¹ When they lifted up their eyes afar off, and knew him not, they lifted up their voice and wept; and they rent every one his mantle, and sprinkled dust upon their heads toward heaven. ¹² So they sat down with him upon the ground seven days and seven nights, and none spake a word unto him: for they saw that his grief was very great. — JOB, ch. 2.

3736. — *Show of. Ashes.* ¹ Smote Job with sore boils from the sole of his foot unto his crown. ² And he took him a potsherd to scrape himself withal; and he sat down among the ashes. — JOB, ch. 2.

3737. — *Unutterable. Shunammite.* [Her child was dead.] ²¹ When she came to the man of God to the hill, she caught him by the feet: but Gehazi came near to thrust her away. And the man of God said, Let her alone; for her soul is vexed within her: and the Lord hath hid it from me, and hath not told me. — 2 KINGS, ch. 4.

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3738. GROANS, God hears. *In Egypt.* ¹ I have also heard the groaning of the children of Israel, whom the Egyptians keep in bondage; and I have remembered my covenant.—Ex., ch. 6.

3739. GROWTH, A beautiful. *Garden.* ¹⁸ They shall come and sing in the height of Zion, and shall flow together to the goodness of the Lord, for wheat, and for wine, and for oil, and for the young of the flock and of the herd; and their soul shall be as a watered garden; and they shall not sorrow any more at all.—JER., ch. 31.

3740. — Continuous. *Old Age.* ¹² The righteous shall flourish like the palm tree: he shall grow like a cedar in Lebanon. ¹³ Those that be planted in the house of the Lord shall flourish in the courts of our God. ¹⁴ They shall still bring forth fruit in old age.—Ps. 92.

3741. — Christian. *Thessalonians.* ³ We are bound to thank God always for you, brethren, as it is meet, because that your faith groweth exceedingly, and the charity of every one of you all toward each other aboundeth.—2 THESS., ch. 1.

3742. — Divine. *Child Jesus.* ³² Jesus increased in wisdom and stature, and in favour with God and man.—LUKE, ch. 2.

3743. — in Esteem. *Samuel.* ²⁶ The child Samuel grew on, and was in favour both with the Lord, and also with men.—1 SAM., ch. 2.

3744. — Fruit the End of. *Vine.* ³ Every branch in me that beareth not fruit he taketh away: and every branch that beareth fruit, he purgeth it, that it may bring forth more fruit.—JOHN, ch. 15.

3745. — in Grace. *Tree.* ³ He shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season: his leaf also shall not wither; and whatsoever he doeth shall prosper.—Ps. 1.

3746. — Imperceptible. *Corn.* ²¹ The seed should spring and grow up, he knoweth not how. ²³ For the earth bringeth forth fruit of herself; first the blade, then the ear, after that the full corn in the ear.—MARK, ch. 4.

3747. — Inward. *Leaven.* ³⁰ The kingdom of God? ³¹ It is like leaven, which a woman took and hid in three measures of meal, till the whole was leavened.—LUKE, ch. 13.

3748. — Outward. *The Kingdom of Heaven.* ³¹ It is like a grain of mustard seed, which..is less than all the seeds that be in the earth: ³² But..it groweth up, and becometh greater than all herbs, and shooteth out great branches; so that the fowls of the air may lodge under the shadow of it.—MARK, ch. 4.

3749. — toward Perfection. *Light.* ¹⁸ The path of the just is as the shining light, that shineth more and more unto the perfect day.—PROV., ch. 4.

3750. — Stages of. *Blade—Ear—Corn.* [See No. 3746.]

3751. — in Strength. *Clean Hands.* ⁹ The righteous also shall hold on his way, and he that hath clean hands shall be stronger and stronger.—JOB, ch. 17.

3752. — Spiritual. *John Baptist.* ³⁰ The child grew, and waxed strong in spirit, and was in the deserts till the day of his shewing unto Israel.—LUKE, ch. 1.

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3753. GRUDGES forbidden. *Jesus said,* ¹⁸ If thy brother shall trespass against thee, go and tell him his fault between thee and him alone: if he shall hear thee, thou hast gained thy brother. ¹⁹ But if he will not hear thee, then take with thee one or two more. ¹⁷ And if he shall neglect to hear them, tell it unto the church.—MAT., ch. 18.

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3754. GUARD, A terrifying. *Cherubim.* ²⁴ He drove out the man: and he placed at the east of the garden of Eden cherubim, and a flaming sword which turned every way, to keep the way of the tree of life.—GEN., ch. 3.

3755. GUARDIANS, Destructive. *Of Ahab's Children.* ⁶ He wrote a letter the second time to them, saying, If ye be mine..take ye the heads of the men your master's sons, and come to me to Jezreel by to morrow this time. Now the king's sons, being seventy persons, were with the great men of the city, which brought them up. ⁷..they took the king's sons, and slew seventy persons.—2 KINGS, ch. 10.

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3756. GUESTS, Mercy's. Poor. ¹³ When thou makest a dinner or a supper, call not thy friends, nor thy brethren, neither thy kinsmen, nor thy rich neighbours; lest they also bid thee again, and a recompense be made thee. ¹³ But when thou makest a feast, call the poor, the maimed, the lame, the blind: ¹⁴ And thou shalt be blessed. —LXX, ch. 14.

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3757. GUIDE, A divine. Pillar. ²¹ The Lord went before them by day in a pillar of a cloud, to lead them the way; and by night in a pillar of fire, to give them light; to go by day and night.—Ex., ch. 13.

3758. — A human. Eyes. [Moses to Jethro.] ³¹ Leave us not, I pray thee; forasmuch as thou knowest how we are to encamp in the wilderness, and thou mayest be to us instead of eyes.—NUM., ch. 10.

3759. — necessary, A. Spiritual. ³⁰ Understandest thou what thou readest? ³¹ And he said, How can I, except some man should guide me? And he desired Philip that he would come up and sit with him.—ACTS, ch. 8.

3760. GUIDES, Blind. Pharisees. ¹⁶ Woe unto you, ye blind guides! which say, Whosoever shall swear by the temple, it is nothing; but whosoever shall swear by the gold of the temple, he is a debtor. ¹⁷ for whether is greater, the gold, or the temple that sanctifieth the gold?—MAT., ch. 23.

3761. GUIDANCE, Divine. Kine. ¹⁰ Took two milch kine, and tied them to the cart, and shut up their calves at home: ¹¹ And they laid the ark of the Lord upon the cart. ¹² And the kine took the straight way to the way of Beth-shemesh..lowing as they went, and turned not aside to the right hand or to the left.—1 SAM., ch. 6.

3762. — explained. Circuitous. ¹⁷ God led them not through the way of the land of the Philistines, although that was near: for God said, Lest peradventure the people repent when they see war, and they return to Egypt: ¹⁸ But..through the way of the wilderness.—EX., ch. 13.

3763. — Gentle. Eye. ⁸ I will instruct thee and teach thee in the way which thou shalt go: I will guide thee with mine eye. ⁹ Be ye not as the horse, or as the mule, which have no understanding: whose mouth must be held in with bit and bridle.—PS. 32.

3764. — promised. Solomon. ⁵ Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. ⁶ In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths.—PROV., ch. 3.

3765. — Waiting for. Cloud. ²¹ If the cloud were not taken up, then they journeyed not till the day that it was taken up.—EX., ch. 40.

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3766. GUILT, Accumulated. Jews. ³⁵ That upon you may come all the righteous blood shed upon the earth, from the blood of righteous Abel unto the blood of Zacharias..whom ye slew between the temple and the altar.—MAT., ch. 23.

3767. — Cowardice of. Garden. ⁸ They heard the voice of the Lord God walking in the garden in the cool of the day: and Adam and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the Lord God amongst the trees of the garden.—GEN., ch. 3.

3768. — Degrees in. Debtors. ⁴¹ There was a certain creditor, which had two debtors: the one owed five hundred pence, and the other fifty.

⁴ And when they had nothing to pay he frankly forgave them both.—*LUKE*, ch. 7.

3769. — *Panic from Egyptians.* ³⁴ The Lord looked unto the host of the Egyptians through the pillar of fire and of the cloud, and troubled the host of the Egyptians, ³⁵ And took off their chariot wheels, that they drove them heavily : so that the Egyptians said, Let us flee from the face of Israel.—*EX.*, ch. 14.

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3770. HABIT of Prayer. *Cornelius.* ² A devout man, and one that feared God with all his house, which gave much alms to the people, and prayed to God always.—*ACTS*, ch. 10.

3771. — *Daniel.* ¹⁰ When Daniel knew that the writing was signed, he went into his house ; and, his windows being open in his chamber toward Jerusalem, he kneeled upon his knees three times a day, and prayed, and gave thanks before his God, as he did aforetime.—*DAN.*, ch. 6.

3772. — *David.* ¹⁶ As for me.. ¹⁷ Evening, and morning, and at noon, will I pray, and cry aloud : and he shall hear my voice.—*PS.* 55.

3773. HABITS, Bondage to. *Bad.* [Like Egyptian bondage.] ¹⁴ They made their lives bitter with hard bondage, in mortar, and in brick, and in all manner of service in the field : all their service, wherein they made them serve, was with rigour.—*EX.*, ch. 1.

3774. — *differ. Animals.* ²⁰ Thou makest darkness, and it is night : wherein all the beasts of the forest do creep forth. ²¹ The young lions roar after their prey, and seek their meat from God. ²² The sun ariseth, they gather themselves together, and lay them down in their dens. ²³ Man goeth forth unto his work and to his labour until the evening.—*PS.* 104.

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3775. HAIL, Plague of. *Seventh.* ³³ The Lord sent thunder and hail, and the fire ran along upon the ground. ³⁴..and fire mingled with the hail, very grievous, such as there was none like it in all the land of Egypt since it became a nation. ³⁵ And the hail smote..all that was in the field, both man and beast ; and..every herb of the field, and brake every tree.—*EX.*, ch. 9.

3776. HAIR, Appropriate. *Paul.* ¹⁴ Doth not even nature itself teach you, that, if a man have long hair, it is a shame unto him? ¹⁵ But if a woman have long hair, it is a glory to her : for her hair is given her for a covering.—*1 COR.*, ch. 11.

3777. — *of Age.* *Jacob.* ³³ My son shall not go down with you ; for his brother is dead and he is left alone : if mischief befall him..then shall ye bring down my gray hairs with sorrow to the grave.—*GEN.*, ch. 42.

3778. — *Loss of.* *"Clean."* ⁴⁰ The man whose hair is fallen off his head, he is bald ; yet is he clean.—*LEV.*, ch. 13.

3779. — *Luxuriant.* *Absalom's.* ³⁶ It..at every year's end..he polled it ; because the hair was heavy on him, therefore he polled it, he weighed the hair of his head at two hundred shekels.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 14.

3780. — *pulled.* *Nehemiah.* ²⁵ I contended with them, and cursed them, and smote certain of them, and plucked off their hair, and made them swear by God, saying, Ye shall not give your daughters unto their sons, nor take their daughters unto your sons, or for your yourselves.—*NEH.*, ch. 13.

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3781. HAND, Cure of the. Withered. ⁵ Stretch forth thine hand. And he stretched it out : and his hand was restored whole as the other. ⁶ And the Pharisees went forth, and straightway took counsel with the Herodians against him, how they might destroy him.—**MARK**, ch. 3.

3782. — Consecrated. Blood. ²⁴ He brought Aaron's sons, and Moses put of the blood upon the tip of their right ear, and upon the thumbs of their right hands, and upon the great toes of their right feet.—**LEV.**, ch. 8.

3783. — A mysterious. Belshazzar. ⁴ They drank wine, and praised the gods of gold, and of silver, of brass, of iron, of wood, and of stone. ⁵ In the same hour came forth fingers of a man's hand, and wrote over against the candlestick upon the plaster of the wall of the king's palace.—**DAN.**, ch. 5.

3784. HANDS, Equality in. David's Soldiers. ³ They were armed with bows, and could use both the right hand and the left in hurling stones and shooting arrows out of a bow, even of Saul's brethren of Benjamin.—**1 CHRON.**, ch. 12.

3785. — Laying on of. Sick. ⁴⁰ When the sun was setting, all they that had any sick with divers diseases brought them unto him ; and he laid his hands on every one of them, and healed them.—**LUKE**, ch. 4.

3786. — less than Heart. Pharisees. ⁶ Why walk not thy disciples according to the tradition of the elders, but eat bread with unwashed hands ? ⁶ He answered.. Well hath Esaias prophesied of you hypocrites, as it is written, This people honoureth me with their lips, but their heart is far from me.—**MARK**, ch. 7.

3787. HANGING deserved. Haman. ¹⁴ Then said Zeresh his wife and all his friends.. Let a gallows be made of fifty cubits high, and to morrow speak thou unto the king that Mordecai may be hanged thereon.. ¹⁰ So they hanged Haman on the gallows that he had prepared for Mordecai. Then was the king's wrath pacified.. ¹⁴ And they hanged Haman's ten sons.—**ESTHER**, chs. 5 and 7.

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3788. HAPPINESS, Failure of. "Many Sorrows." ¹⁰ The love of money is the root of all evil : which while some coveted after, they have erred from the faith, and pierced themselves through with many sorrows.—**1 TIM.**, ch. 6.

3789. — Possessors of. "Blessed are." [See Sermon on the Mount, **MAT.** 5 : 1, 12.]

3790. — of Pardon. "Blessed." ¹ Blessed

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3791. — postponed. Rich Fool. [See No. 3796.]

3792. — present. Earthly. ¹⁸ It is good and comely for one to eat and to drink, and to enjoy the good of all his labour that he taketh under the sun all the days of his life, which God giveth him : for it is his portion.—**ECCL.**, ch. 5.

3793. — poisoned. Pride. ¹³ Haman said.. Esther the queen did let no man come in with the king unto the banquet.. but myself ; and to morrow am I invited.. ¹² Yet all this availeth me nothing, so long as I see Mordecai the Jew sitting at the king's gate.—**ESTHER**, ch. 5.

3794. — Perfect. Heaven. ¹⁶ They shall hunger no more, neither thirst any more ; neither shall the sun light on them, nor any heat. ¹¹ For the Lamb which is in the midst of the throne shall feed them, and shall lead them unto living fountains of waters : and God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes.—**REV.**, ch. 7.

3795. — Rule for. Piety. ¹⁰ He that will love life, and see good days, let him refrain his tongue from evil, and his lips that they speak no guile : ¹¹ Let him eschew evil, and do good ; let him seek peace, and ensue it.—**1 PETER**, ch. 3.

3796. — in Riches. No. Rich Fool. ¹⁷ What shall I do, because I have no room where to bestow my fruits ? ¹⁸.. I will pull down my barns, and build greater.. ¹⁰ And I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years ; take thine ease, eat, drink, and be merry.—**LUKE**, ch. 12.

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3798. — of Heart. *Pharisees*. 9 They watched him, whether he would heal him on the sabbath day ; that they might accuse him.. 5 And when he had looked round about on them with anger, being grieved for the hardness of their hearts, he saith unto the man, Stretch forth thy hand..And his hand was restored.—MARK, ch. 3.

3799. — Spiritual. *Jews in Egypt*. 17 We will certainly..burn incense unto the queen of heaven, and to pour out drink offerings unto her, as we have done, we, and our fathers..in the streets of Jerusalem : for then had we plenty of victuals, and were well, and saw no evil.—JER., ch. 44.

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3801. HARLET described. "Impudent face."¹¹ She is loud and stubborn; her feet abide not in her house: ¹² Now is she without, now in the streets, and lieth in wait at every corner. ¹⁴ I have peace offerings with me.—Prov., ch. 7.**3802. — Feril of. Hell.** ²⁶ For she hath cast down many wounded: yea, many strong men have been slain by her. ²⁷ Her house is the way to hell, going down to the chambers of death.—Prov., ch. 7.

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mer and winter, and day and night shall not cease.—Gen., ch. 8.

3809. — The Poor Man's. Gleanings.²² When ye reap the harvest of your land, thou shalt not make clean riddance of the corners of thy field when thou reapest, neither shalt thou gather any gleanings of thy harvest: thou shalt leave them unto the poor, and to the stranger.—Lev., ch. 23.**3810. — Sowing for. Grain.** ²⁴ Doth the ploughman plough all day to sow? doth he open and break the clods of his ground? ²⁵ When he hath made plain the face thereof, doth he not cast abroad the fitches, and scatter the cummin, and cast in the principal wheat and the appointed barley and the rye in their place?—Isa., ch. 28.**3811. — Secret of the. Measure.** ⁴ He which soweth sparingly shall reap also sparingly; and he which soweth bountifully shall reap also bountifully.—2 Cor., ch. 9.**3812. HARVEST-TIME, Spiritual. Now.** ²² Say not ye, There are yet four months, and then cometh harvest?..Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest. ²⁶ And he that reapeth receiveth wages, and gathereth fruit unto life eternal: that both he that soweth and he that reapeth may rejoice together.—John, ch. 4.

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3813. HASTE, Attack in. Counselling. ¹ Ahithophel said unto Absalom, Let me now choose out twelve thousand men, and I will arise and pursue after David this night: ² While he is weary and weak handed and will make him afraid.—2 Sam., ch. 17.**3814. — Anxious. Darius.** ¹⁸ His sleep went from him. ¹⁹ Then the king arose very early in the morning, and went in haste unto the den of lions. ²⁰ And when he came to the den, he cried with a lamentable voice unto Daniel.—Dan., ch. 6.**3815. — in Alarm. Mary.** ¹ Cometh Mary Magdalene early, when it was yet dark, unto the sepulchre, and seeth the stone taken away from the sepulchre. ² Then she runneth, and cometh to Simon Peter, and to the other disciple.—John, ch. 20.**3816. — A careful. Passover.** ¹¹ Thus shall ye eat it; with your loins girded, your shoes on your feet, and your staff in your hand: and ye shall eat it in haste; it is the Lord's passover. ¹² For I will pass through the land of Egypt this night, and will smite all the firstborn...both man and beast.—Ex., ch. 12.

3817. — *Departure in. Israelites.* ³³ The Egyptians were urgent upon the people, that they might send them out of the land in haste; for they said, We be all dead men.—EX., ch. 12.

3818. — *Escape in. Destruction.* ¹⁶ Then let them which be in Judea flee into the mountains: ¹⁷ Let him which is on the housetop not come down to take any thing out of his house: ¹⁸ Neither let him which is in the field return back to take his clothes.—MAT., ch. 24.

3819. — *for Help. Shunammite.* ²⁴ She said, and said to her servant, Drive, and go forward; slack not thy riding for me, except I bid thee.—2 KINGS, ch. 4. [Elisha restored her child.]

3820. — *Joyful. From a Tree.* ⁵ Jesus.. looked up, and saw him, and said.. Zaccheus, make haste, and come down; for to day I must abide at thy house. ⁶ And he made haste, and came down, and received him joyfully.—LUKE, ch. 19.

3821. — *Manoah's Wife.* ⁹ The angel of God came again unto the woman as she sat in the field: but Manoah her husband was not with her. ¹⁰ And the woman made haste, and ran, and shewed her husband, and said.. Behold, the man hath appeared unto me.—JUDGES, ch. 13.

3822. — *to Jesus. Peter.* ¹ That disciple whom Jesus loved saith unto Peter, It is the Lord. Now when Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he girt his fisher's coat unto him, (for he was naked,) and did cast himself into the sea.—JOHN, ch. 21.

3823. — *for Riches. Proverb.* ²⁰ He that maketh haste to be rich shall not be innocent.. ²¹ He that hasteth to be rich hath an evil eye, and considereth not that poverty shall come upon him.—PROV., ch. 28.

3824. — *A strange. Syrians.* [Four lepers approached them.] ⁶ The kings of the Egyptians.. come upon us. ⁷ Wherefore they arose and fled in the twilight, and left their tents, and their horses, and their asses, even the camp as it was, and fled for their life.—2 KINGS, ch. 7.

3825. — *A stealthy. Jacob.* ²⁰ Jacob stole away unawares to Laban the Syrian, in that he told him not that he fled.—GEN., ch. 31.

3826. — *to Save. Plague.* ⁴⁶ Take a censor, and put fire therein from off the altar, and put on incense, and go quickly unto the congregation, and make an atonement for them: for there is wrath gone out from the Lord; the plague is begun. ⁴⁷ And Aaron.. ran into the midst of the congregation.—NUM., ch. 16.

3827. — *to be Saved. Lot.* ¹¹ When they had brought them forth abroad, he said, Escape for thy life; look not behind thee, neither stay thou in all the plain; escape to the mountain, lest thou be consumed.—GEN., ch. 19.

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3828. HATRED of a Brother. Unchristian. ²⁰ If a man say, I love God, and hateth his brother, he is a liar: for he that loveth not his

brother whom he hath seen, how can he love God whom he hath not seen?—1 JOHN, ch. 4.

3829. — *Bitter. Religious.* ¹⁸ The brother shall betray the brother to death, and the father the son; and children shall rise up against their parents, and shall cause them to be put to death. ¹⁹ And ye shall be hated of all men for my name's sake.—MARK, ch. 13.

3830. — *A commendable. Ephesians.* ⁴ Nevertheless I have somewhat against thee, because thou hast left thy first love. ⁵..repent, and do the first works; or else I.. will remove thy candlestick.. ⁶ But this thou hast, that thou hatest the deeds of the Nicolaitans, which I also hate.—REV., ch. 2.

3831. — *changed. Saul the Persecutor.* ¹³ Paul answered, What mean ye to weep and to break mine heart? for I am ready not to be bound only, but also to die at Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus.—ACTS, ch. 21.

3832. — *brings Darkness. Spiritual.* ⁹ He that saith he is in the light, and hateth his brother, is in darkness even until now.—1 JOHN, ch. 2.

3833. — *Divine. Seven Things.* ¹⁶ These six things doth the Lord hate; yea, seven are an abomination unto him: ¹⁷ A proud look, a lying tongue, and hands that shed innocent blood, ¹⁸ A heart that deviseth wicked imaginations, feet that be swift in running to mischief, ¹⁹ A false witness that speaketh lies, and he that soweth discord among brethren.—PROV., ch. 6.

3834. — *Evil of. Proverb.* ¹⁷ Better is a dinner of herbs where love is, than a stalled ox and hatred therewith.—PROV., ch. 15.

3835. — *of the Good. Joseph.* ³ Israel loved Joseph more than all his children, because he was the son of his old age: and he made him a coat of many colours. ⁴ And when his brethren saw that their father loved him more.. they hated him, and could not speak peaceably unto him.—GEN., ch. 37.

3836. — *of Light. Evil-doer's.* ²⁰ For every one that doeth evil hateth the light, neither cometh to the light, lest his deeds should be reproved. ²¹ But he that doeth truth cometh to the light, that his deeds may be made manifest, that they are wrought in God.—JOHN, ch. 3.

3837. — *Manifested. Dust.* ¹² As David and his men went by the way, Shimei went along on the hill's side over against him, and cursed as he went, and threw stones at him, and cast dust.—2 SAM., ch. 16.

3838. — *Merited. Esau's.* ⁴¹ Esau hated Jacob because of the blessing wherewith his father blessed him: and Esau said in his heart, The days of mourning for my father are at hand; then will I slay my brother Jacob.—GEN., ch. 27.

3839. — *Proud. Haman.* ⁸ When Haman saw that Mordecai bowed not, nor did him reverence, then was Haman full of wrath. ⁹ And he thought scorn to lay hands on Mordecai alone.. sought to destroy all the Jews that were throughout the whole kingdom.—ESTHER, ch. 3.

3840. — *Silent. Absalom.* ²² Absalom spake unto his brother Amnon neither good nor bad: for Absalom hated Amnon, because he had forced his sister Tamar.—2 SAM., ch. 13.

3841. — Sinner's. Ahab. ⁸ The king of Israel said unto Jehoshaphat, *There is yet one man, Micaiah, by whom we may inquire of the Lord: but I hate him; for he doth not prophesy good concerning me, but evil.*—1 KINGS, ch. 22.

3842. — by the World. Disciples. ¹⁸ If the world hate you, ye know that it hated me before it hated you. ¹⁹ If ye were of the world, the world would love his own; but because ye are not of the world, but I have chosen you out of the world, therefore the world hateth you.—JOHN, ch. 15.

3843. — Watchful. Herodias. ¹⁸ John had said unto Herod, It is not lawful for thee to have thy brother's wife. ¹⁹ Therefore Herodias had a quarrel against him, and would have killed him; but she could not.—MARK, ch. 6.

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Jealous. Saul became David's enemy continually 2647
Routed. [Leper's] Camp of the Syrians..no man 2648
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QUARREL.

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Domestic. Sarah saw the son of Hagar mocking 6818
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Test. Say now Shibboleth, and he said, Sibboleth 6826
War from. We have no part in David..To your t. 6827

RETALIATION...

Cowardly. Joab took Abner aside..smote him 7289
Disallowed. Been said, An eye for an eye 7290
Jewish. Life shall go for life, eye for eye 7291

REVENGE.

Avoided. Flee thou to Laban..brother's fury turn 7304
Brother's. When I say, Smite Amnon, then kill 7305
" Joab smote Abner..for the blood of 7306
Best. If thine enemy be hungry, give him bread 7307
Frustrated. Haman was come..Hang Mordecai 7308
Ignored. Spake against Moses..M. cried unto the 7309
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STRIFE.

Avoided. Go from us..mightier than we..Isaac 8876
Absence of. Isaac removed..and digged another 8879
Beginning. As when one letteth out water 8880
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VENGEANCE.

Averted. Let not my lord regard..Nabal 9160
" Kept me..from coming to shed blood 9170
Blood. Cain said..every one that findeth me..stay 9171
Call. Stoned [Zachariah]..in house of the L. 9172
Divine. To me belongeth vengeance and r. 9173
" If I whet my glittering sword 9174
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3844. HAUGHTINESS, Cruel. Haman. ⁵ Saw that Mordecai bowed not, nor did him reverence, then was Haman full of wrath. ⁶ And he thought scorn to lay hands on Mordecai alone..sought to destroy all the Jews.—ESTHER, ch. 3.

3845. — humbled. Zion. ¹⁶ Because the daughters of Zion are haughty, and walk with stretched forth necks and wanton eyes, walking and mincing as they go, and making a tinkling with their feet: ¹⁷ Therefore the Lord will smite with a scab the crown of the head..²⁴..instead of sweet smell there shall be stink; and instead of a girdle a rent; and instead of well set hair baldness; and instead of a stomacher a girding of sackcloth; and burning instead of beauty.—ISA., ch. 3.

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BOASTING.

Glorious. Are they Hebrews? So am I 860
Inoffensive. Our boasting..is found a truth 870
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3846. HEALER, The great. *Jesus.* ⁴⁰ Now when the sun was setting, all they that had any sick with divers diseases brought them unto him; and he laid his hands on every one of them, and healed them.—*LUKE*, ch. 4.

3847. HEALTH, Care for. *Shipwrecked.* ²³ This day is the fourteenth day that ye have tarried and continued fasting, having taken nothing. ²⁴ Wherefore I pray you to take some meat; for this is for your health.—*ACTS*, ch. 27.

3848. — Temperance promotes. *Rechabites.* ¹ Jonadab the son of Rechab our father commanded us, saying, Ye shall drink no wine, neither ye, nor your sons for ever: that ye may live many days.—*JER.*, ch. 35.

3849. — diet. *Young Hebrews.* ¹⁵ At the end of ten days their countenances appeared fairer and fatter in flesh than all the children which did eat the portion of the king's meat. ¹⁶ Thus Melzar took away . . . their meat, and the wine . . . and gave them pulse.—*DAN.*, ch. 1.

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CURE.

All Persons. Laid his hands on every one and heal 1867
All Diseases. Stepped in, was made whole of what 1868
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3850. HEART, Altar of the. *Fire.* ¹⁸ The fire upon the altar shall be burning in it; it shall not be put out: and the priest shall burn wood on it every morning, and lay the burnt offering in order upon it.—*LEV.*, ch. 6.

3851. — a Book, The. *Epistles.* ³ Ye are manifestly declared to be . . . the epistle of Christ ministered by us, written not with ink, but with the Spirit of the living God; not in tables of stone, but in fleshy tables of the heart.—*2 COR.*, ch. 3.

3852. — in Bereavement. *Cry of.* [One dead in every house.] ²³ The Egyptians were urgent . . . that they might send them out of the land in haste; for they said, We be all dead men.—*EX.*, ch. 12.

3853. — Change of. *Saul.* ⁹ When he had turned his back to go from Samuel, God gave him another heart. . . ¹⁰ And when they came thither to the hill, behold, a company of prophets met him; and the Spirit of God came upon him, and he prophesied among them.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 10.

3854. — Chosen by the. *David.* ¹ The Lord said unto Samuel, Look not on his countenance, or on the height of his stature; because I have refused him: for the Lord seeth not as man seeth; for man looketh on the outward appearance, but the Lord looketh on the heart. [Eliab was passed by and David chosen.]—*1 SAM.*, ch. 16.

3855. — to be cleansed. *Platter.* ²⁰ Now do ye Pharisees make clean the outside of the

cup and the platter; but your inward part is full of ravening and wickedness.—*LUKE*, ch. 11.

3856. — Convicting. *David's.* ⁵ David's heart smote him, because he had cut off Saul's skirt. ⁶ And he said unto his men, The Lord forbid that I should do this thing unto my master, the Lord's anointed, to stretch forth mine hand against him.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 24.

3857. — Controlling. *Keep Words.* ²² If a man love me, he will keep my words: and my Father will love him, and we will come unto him, and make our abode with him.—*JOHN*, ch. 14.

3858. — Deceitfulness of. *Ruler.* ²⁰ Master, all these have I observed from my youth. ²¹ Then Jesus . . . loved him, and said . . . One thing thou lackest: go thy way, sell whatsoever thou hast, and give to the poor . . . and come, take up the cross, and follow me. ²² And he was sad at that saying, and went away grieved: for he had great possessions.—*MARK*, ch. 10.

3859. — Deception of the. *Solomon says,* ²⁶ He that trusteth in his own heart is a fool: but whoso walketh wisely, he shall be delivered.—*PROV.*, ch. 28.

3860. — Divided. *"Looking Back."* ⁴¹ Lord, I will follow thee; but let me first go bid them farewell, which are at home at my house. ⁴² And Jesus said . . . No man, having put his hand to the plough, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God.—*LUKE*, ch. 9.

3861. — Evil. *From Youth.* ²¹ And the Lord smelled a sweet savour; and the Lord said in his heart, I will not again curse the ground any more for man's sake; for the imagination of man's heart is evil from his youth: neither will I again smite any more every thing living, as I have done.—*GEN.*, ch. 8.

3862. — — Fountain. ²¹ From within, out of the heart of men, proceed evil thoughts, adulteries, fornications, murders, ²² Thefts, covetousness, wickedness, deceit, lasciviousness, an evil eye, blasphemy, pride, foolishness.—*MARK*, ch. 7.

3863. — Hardness of. *Spies.* ³ They watched him, whether he would heal him on the sabbath day; that they might accuse him. ⁴ And when he had looked . . . with anger, being grieved for the hardness of their hearts, he saith unto the man, Stretch forth thine hand.—*MARK*, ch. 3.

3864. — Largeness of. *Gift.* ²⁹ God gave Solomon wisdom and understanding exceeding much, and largeness of heart, even as the sand that is on the sea shore.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 4.

3865. — misleads the Head. *Simon Magus.* ¹⁹ Give me also this power, that on whomsoever I lay hands, he may receive the Holy Ghost. ²⁰ But Peter said . . . Thy money perish with thee, because thou hast thought that the gift of God may be purchased with money. ²¹ . . . thy heart is not right in the sight of God.—*ACTS*, ch. 8.

3866. — melted. *Water.* ⁵ The men of Ai smote . . . about thirty and six men: for they chased them from before the gate, and smote them in the going down: wherefore the hearts of the people melted, and became as water.—*JOSEPH*, ch. 7.

3867. — Obdurate. *Pharaoh's.* ¹¹ Pharaoh

also called the wise men and the sorcerers. . . they also did in like manner with their enchantments. ¹³ For they cast down every man his rod, and they became serpents : but Aaron's rod swallowed up their rods. ¹⁴ And he hardened Pharaoh's heart.—Ex., ch. 7.

3868. — Offerings. *Building Tabernacle.* ²² They . . . brought bracelets, and earrings, and rings, and tablets, all jewels of gold : and every man that offered, *offered* an offering of gold unto the Lord. ²³ The children of Israel brought a willing offering unto the Lord, every man and woman, whose heart made them willing.—Ex., ch. 35.

3869. — Prejudiced. *Vailed.* ¹⁵ Even unto this day, when Moses is read, the vail is upon their heart. ¹⁶ Nevertheless, when it shall turn to the Lord, the vail shall be taken away.—2 Cor., ch. 3.

3870. — revealed. *Countenance.* ¹³ A merry heart maketh a cheerful countenance : but by sorrow of the heart the spirit is broken.—Prov., ch. 15.

3871. — — *Nehemiah.* ¹ I had not been beforetime sad in his presence. ² Wherefore the king said unto me, Why is thy countenance sad, seeing thou art not sick? this is nothing else but sorrow of heart. Then I was very sore afraid.—NEH., ch. 2.

3872. — Divers states of. *Sower.* ⁶ Because they had no root, they withered away. ⁷ And some fell among thorns ; and the thorns sprung up, and choked them : ⁸ but others fell into good ground, and brought forth fruit, some a hundredfold, some sixtyfold, some thirtyfold.—MAT., ch. 13.

3873. — The stony. *Seed.* ⁵ Some fell on stony ground, where it had not much earth ; and immediately it sprang up, because it had no depth of earth : ⁶ But when the sun was up, it was scorched ; and because it had no root, it withered away.—MARK, ch. 4.

3874. — Seeking. *Finding.* ¹³ Ye shall seek me, and find me, when ye shall search for me with all your heart.—JER., ch. 29.

3875. — Type of. *Bitter.* ²³ When they came to Marah, they could not drink of the waters of Marah ; for they were bitter. . . and the Lord shewed him a tree, which when he had cast into the waters, the waters were made sweet.—Ex., ch. 15.

3876. — Wicked. *Vipers.* ²⁴ O generation of vipers, how can ye, being evil, speak good things? for out of the abundance of the heart, the mouth speaketh.—MAT., ch. 12.

3877. — warmed. *By the Word.* ²² Did not our heart burn within us, while he talked with us by the way, and while he opened to us the Scriptures?—LUKE, ch. 24.

3878. — Word in the. *Law.* ⁶ These words . . . shall be in thine heart : ⁷ And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up.—DEUT., ch. 6.

3879. — Worshipper without. *Jews.* ¹³ Ye said also, Behold, what a weariness is it ! and ye have snuffed at it, saith the Lord of hosts ; and

ye brought that which was torn, and the lame, and the sick ; thus ye brought an offering.—MAL., ch. 1.

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HARDNESS.

Adversity. In his distress did Ahaz trespass more ³⁷⁹¹
Heart. Looked . . . anger being grieved . . . hardness of ³⁷⁹⁵
Spiritual. We will certainly burn incense ³⁷⁹⁶

INTENTION.

Accepted. Abraham . . . offered up his only begotten ⁴⁰⁰⁴
Approved. Whereas it was in thine heart to build ⁴⁰⁰⁵
Abandoned. Pilate sought to release him ⁴⁰⁰⁶
Commended. Poor widow . . . cast more in than ⁴⁰⁰⁷
Crime. If he thrust him suddenly without enmity ⁴⁰⁰⁸
Fixes guilt. If any man hate . . . lie in wait . . . smite ⁴⁰⁰⁹
Honoured. She hath done what she could ⁴⁰¹⁰
Misjudged. All of you have conspired against me ⁴⁰¹¹
Sincere. Abraham . . . took the knife to slay his son ⁴⁰¹²
Superior. Beyond their power they were willing ⁴⁰¹³
Unexecuted. Peter having a sword . . . cut off his ear ⁴⁰¹⁴
Unprotected by. Put . . . hand to the ark . . . oxen shook ⁴⁰¹⁵

MOTIVE.

Labour. We labour . . . may be accepted of him ⁵⁵⁸⁷
Unsanctified. People spared the best . . . to sacrifice ⁵⁵⁸⁸

MOTIVES.

Inferior. Ye seek me . . . because ye did eat . . . loaves ⁵⁵⁸⁹
Suspicion. Urged him till he was ashamed, he said ⁵⁵⁹⁰
Worldly. Peter . . . thou savourest . . . things that be of ⁵⁵⁹¹

OBEDRACY.

Defiant. Who is the L. that I should obey? ⁵⁷³⁵
Final. Why have we . . . let I go from serving us ⁵⁷³⁶
Foolish. Ahaz . . . sacrificed unto the gods . . . smote ⁵⁷³⁷
Jewish. Thy neck is as an iron sinew ⁵⁷³⁸
Spiritual. Woe unto thee, Chorazin. If the mighty ⁵⁷³⁹
Self-destructive. I know that G. hath determined ⁵⁷⁴⁰
to Truth. Paul spake . . . three months . . . divers were ⁵⁷⁴¹
Unfeeling. Past feeling have given themselves ⁵⁷⁴²
Wild. Balaam . . . went with the princes of Moab ⁵⁷⁴³

OBSTINACY.

Provoking. It is a stiffnecked people . . . consume ⁵⁸⁹⁵
Rebuked. Why . . . smitten thine ass these 3 times? ⁵⁸⁹⁶
Rebellious. Nevertheless the people refused ⁵⁸⁹⁷

SINCERITY.

Consecration. Josiah made a covenant . . . burned ⁸⁰²⁵
Evil-doing. I thought I ought to . . . put to death ⁸⁰²⁶
Evidences. Brought their books . . . burned them ⁸⁰²⁷
Example. An Israelite in whom is no guile ⁸⁰²⁸
Heart. He that speaketh truth in his heart ⁸⁰²⁹
Lovable. All . . . have I kept . . . Jesus loved him ⁸⁰³⁰
Opinions. Rabbi, thou art the Son of God ⁸⁰³¹
Positive. Thou knowest . . . that I love thee ⁸⁰³²
Proof. When . . . people saw it . . . said L., he is G. ⁸⁰³³
Reformation. Speak . . . the truth . . . execute . . . truth ⁸⁰³⁴

STUBBORNNESS.

Punished. They mocked . . . despised . . . therefore ⁹³⁹³
In Sin. To obey is better than sacrifice ⁹³⁹⁴
" We will certainly . . . burn incense to thee ⁹³⁹⁵
" Took Dagon and set him in his place ⁹³⁹⁶

3880. HEARER. An eager. *Mary.* ²³ She had a sister called Mary, which also sat at Jesus' feet, and heard his word.—LUKE, ch. 10.

3881. — A listless. *Adulteress.* ¹ This they said, tempting him, that they might have to accuse him. But Jesus stooped down, and with his finger wrote on the ground, as though he heard them not. ² So when they continued asking him, he lifted up himself, and said . . . He that is without sin among you, let him first cast a stone at her.—JOHN, ch. 8.

3892. — *A prepared. Blood.* ³⁰ Take of his blood, and put it upon the tip of the right ear of Aaron, and upon the tip of the right ear of his sons.—*Ex.*, ch. 29.

3893. — *An unprofitable. Herod.* ³⁰ Herod feared John, knowing that he was a just man and an holy, and observed him: and when he heard him, he did many things, and heard him gladly.—*MARK*, ch. 6.

3894. HEARERS, Attentive. *Revival.* ³ He read therein . . . before the water gate from the morning until midday, before the men and the women, and those that could understand; and the ears of all the people were attentive unto the book of the law.—*NEH.*, ch. 8.

3895. — *Angry. Stephen's.* ³¹ Then they cried out with a loud voice, and stopped their ears, and ran upon him with one accord, ³² And cast him out of the city, and stoned him.—*ACTS*, ch. 7.

3896. — *Captious. Critics.* ²² Is not this Joseph's son? ²³ And he said, Ye will surely say unto me this proverb, Physician, heal thyself: whatsoever we have heard done in Capernaum, do also here in thy country. ²⁴ No prophet is accepted in his own country.—*LUKE*, ch. 4.

3897. — *Divided. Opinions.* ¹⁹ There was a division therefore again among the Jews for these sayings. ²⁰ And many of them said, He hath a devil, and is mad; why hear ye him? ²¹ Others said, These are not the words of him that hath a devil. Can a devil open the eyes of the blind?—*JOHN*, ch. 10.

3898. — *Eager. Jesus.* ³³ They departed into a desert place by ship privately. ³⁴ And the people saw them departing, and ran afoot thither out of all cities, and outwent them, and came together unto him.—*MARK*, ch. 6.

3899. — *Good. At Cornelius' House.* ²³ Now therefore are we all here present before God, to hear all things that are commanded thee of God.—*ACTS*, ch. 10.

3900. — *Good and Bad. Athenians.* ²³ Some mocked: and others said, We will hear thee again of this matter. ²⁴ Howbeit certain men clave unto him, and believed: among the which was Dionysius the Areopagite, and a woman named Damaris.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

3901. — *Investigating. Bereans.* ¹¹ These were more noble than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness of mind, and searched the Scriptures daily, whether those things were so. ¹² Therefore many of them believed.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

3902. — *Quality of. Chief Men.* ⁴¹ Then answered them the Pharisees, Are ye also deceived? ⁴² Have any of the rulers or of the Pharisees believed on him?—*JOHN*, ch. 7. [See No. 3893.]

3903. — *Spellbound. Officers.* ⁴⁴ Some of them would have taken him; but no man laid hands on him. ⁴⁵ Then came the officers to the chief priests and Pharisees; and they said unto them, Why have ye not brought him? ⁴⁶ The officers answered, Never man spake like this man.—*JOHN*, ch. 7.

3904. — *Unwilling. "Ringing Ears."* ³ The time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts shall they

heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears; ⁴ And they shall turn away their ears from the truth, and shall be turned unto fables.—*2 TIM.*, ch. 4.

3895. — *Various. Sower.* ⁴ Some seeds fell by the wayside, and the fowls came and devoured them up: ⁵ Some fell upon stony places, where they had not much earth. ⁶ . . . they withered away. ⁷ And some fell among thorns. . . choked them: ⁸ But others fell into good ground, and brought forth fruit, some an hundredfold, some sixtyfold, some thirtyfold.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

3896. — *Work for. St. James.* ²³ If any be a hearer of the word, and not a doer, he is like unto a man beholding his natural face in a glass: ²⁴ For he beholdeth himself, and goeth his way, and straightway forgetteth what manner of man he was.—*JAMES*, ch. 1.

3897. HEARING precedes Believing. *Israelites.* ³⁰ Aaron spake all the words which the Lord had spoken unto Moses, and did the signs in the sight of the people. ³¹ And the people believed.—*Ex.*, ch. 4.

3898. — *Indifferent. Punishment.* ²⁶ Every one that heareth, . . . and doeth them not, shall be likened unto a foolish man, which built his house upon the sand: ²⁷ And the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house; and it fell: and great was the fall of it.—*MAT.*, ch. 7.

3899. — *Mistakes in. Crucifixion.* ⁴⁶ About the ninth hour Jesus cried with a loud voice, saying, Eli, Eli, lama sabachthani? . . . ⁴⁷ Some of them that stood there, when they heard that, said, This man calleth for Elias.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

3900. HEAVEN, Assurance of. "We know." ¹ We know that, if our earthly house of this tabernacle were dissolved, we have a building of God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.—*2 COR.*, ch. 5.

3901. — *Barricaded. Hypocrisy.* ¹³ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye shut up the kingdom of heaven against men: for ye neither go in yourselves, neither suffer ye them that are entering to go in.—*LUKE*, ch. 11.

3902. — *Bliss of. "Living Fountains."* ¹⁵ Therefore are they before the throne of God, and serve him day and night in his temple: and he that sitteth on the throne shall dwell among them. ¹⁶ They shall hunger no more, neither thirst any more; neither shall the sun light on them, nor any heat. ¹⁷ For the Lamb shall feed them, and shall lead them unto living fountains of waters: and God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes.—*REV.*, ch. 7.

3903. — *a Country. "Better."* ¹⁶ They desire a better country, that is, a heavenly: wherefore God is not ashamed to be called their God: for he hath prepared for them a city.—*HEB.*, ch. 11.

3904. — *a City. Jerusalem.* ²² Ye are come unto mount Zion, and unto the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem.—*HEB.*, ch. 12.

3905. — *Vision.* [See description.—*REV.*, ch. 21.]

3906. — *Conveyance to. Elijah.* ¹¹ As they still went on, and talked, that, behold, there appeared a chariot of fire, and horses of fire, and parted them both asunder; and Elijah went up by a whirlwind into heaven.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 2.

3907. — *Deliverance of. "No Crying."* ³ And they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, and be their God. ⁴ And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away.—*Rev.*, ch. 21.

3908. — *Exclusion from. "Works of the Flesh."* ¹⁹ Adultery, fornication, uncleanness, lasciviousness, ²⁰ Idolatry, witchcraft, hatred, variance, emulations, wrath, strife, seditions, heresies, ²¹ Envyings, murders, drunkenness, revellings, and such like, they which do such things shall not inherit the kingdom of God.—*GAL.*, ch. 5.

3909. — *Grandeur of. Gold.* ²¹ The twelve gates were twelve pearls; every several gate was of one pearl: and the street of the city was pure gold, as it were transparent glass.—*Rev.*, ch. 21.

3910. — *the Holy of Holies. Mount Hor.* [Aaron went up dressed to enter the Holy of Holies.] ²⁸ Moses stripped Aaron of his garments, and put them upon Eleazar his son; and Aaron died there in the top of the mount.—*NUM.*, ch. 20.

3911. — *an Inheritance. Christians.* ⁴ An inheritance incorruptible, and undefiled, and that fadeth not away, reserved in heaven for you, ⁵ Who are kept by the power of God through faith unto salvation.—*1 PETER*, ch. 1.

3912. — *Mansions in. Father's House.* ³ In my Father's house are many mansions.—*JOHN*, ch. 14.

3913. — *near by. Crucifixion.* ⁴² Lord, remember me when thou comest into thy kingdom. ⁴³ And Jesus said, Verily I say unto thee, To day shalt thou be with me in paradise.—*LUKE*, ch. 23.

3914. — *Preparation in. Place.* ³ I go to prepare a place for you. ⁵ And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also.—*JOHN*, ch. 14.

3915. — *Kingdom.* ³⁴ Then shall the King say unto them on his right hand, Come, ye blessed of my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world.—*MAT.*, ch. 25.

3916. — *Praises of. Saints.* ³ And I saw as it were a sea of glass mingled with fire: and them that had gotten the victory, stand on the sea of glass, having the harps of God. ² And they sing the song of Moses, and the song of the Lamb, saying, Great and marvellous are thy works, Lord God Almighty; just and true are thy ways, thou King of saints.—*Rev.*, ch. 15.

3917. — *Recognition in. David.* ²¹ Said his servants, thou didst fast and weep for the child, while it was alive; but when the child was dead, thou didst rise and eat bread. ²² And he said, Now he is dead, wherefore should I fast? can I bring him back again? I shall go to him, but he shall not return to me.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 12.

3918. — *seen afar. Land of Promise.* ¹³ The Lord said unto Moses, Get thee up into this mount Abarim, and see the land, ¹⁴ And

when thou hast seen it, thou also shalt be gathered unto thy people, as Aaron thy brother was gathered.—*NUM.*, ch. 27.

3919. — *Sight of. Stephen.* ⁴⁴ Being full of the Holy Ghost, looked up steadfastly into heaven, and saw the glory of God. ⁴⁵ And said, Behold, I see the heavens opened and the Son of man standing on the right hand of God.—*ACTS*, ch. 7.

3920. — *on this Side. Land of Promise.* [Two and a half tribes entered into rest "this side" of Jordan.] ¹ Reuben and Gad had a very great multitude of cattle: and when they saw the land of Jazer, and the land of Gilead, a place for cattle. ⁵ Wherefore, said they, let this land be given unto thy servants for a possession, and bring us not over Jordan.—*NUM.*, ch. 32.

3921. — *Thoughts absorbed in. Ascension.* ¹⁰ Men stood by them in white apparel. ¹¹ Which also said, Ye men of Galilee, why stand ye gazing up into heaven?—*ACTS*, ch. 1.

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3922. *HELL, Affection in. Dives.* ²¹ I pray thee, therefore, father, that thou wouldest send him to my father's house. ²² For I have five brethren; that he may testify unto them, lest they also come into this place of torment.—*LUKE*, ch. 16.

3923. — *Bottomless. Pit.* ³ He opened the bottomless pit; and there arose a smoke out of the pit, as the smoke of a great furnace; and the sun and the air were darkened by reason of the smoke of the pit.—*Rev.*, ch. 9.

3924. — *Preparation of. For Devils.* ⁴¹ Then shall he say also unto them on the left hand, Depart from me, ye cursed, into everlasting fire, prepared for the devil and his angels.—*MAT.*, ch. 25.

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Torment. In hell he lifted up his eyes, being 8832

3925. *HELP, Appeal for. Macedonia.* ⁹ A vision appeared to Paul in the night; There stood a man of Macedonia, and prayed him, saying, Come over into Macedonia, and help us.—*ACTS*, ch. 16.

3926. — *Cry for. Siege of Samaria.* ²⁸ And as the king of Israel was passing by upon the wall, there cried a woman unto him, saying, Help, my lord, O king. ²⁹ This woman said unto me, Give thy son, that we may eat him to day, and we will eat my son to morrow. ³⁰ So we boiled my son, and did eat him: and I said unto her on the next day, Give thy son, that we may eat him: and she hath hid her son.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 6.

3927. — *Fraternal. Two and a half Tribes.* ¹⁴ Your wives, your little ones, and your cattle, shall remain in the land which Moses gave you on this side Jordan; but ye shall pass before your brethren armed, all the mighty men of valor, and help them.—*JOSEPH*, ch. 1.

3928. — *from God. Moses.* ¹⁰ Moses said, O my Lord, I am not eloquent, but I am slow of speech, and of a slow tongue. ¹¹ And the Lord said, Who hath made man's mouth?

or who maketh the dumb, or deaf, or the seeing, or the blind? have not I the Lord? ¹³ Now therefore go, and I will be with thy mouth, and teach thee what thou shalt say.—*Ex.*, ch. 4.

3929. — — *Red Sea.* ²⁴ The Lord looked . . . through the pillar of fire . . . and troubled the host of the Egyptians, ²⁵ And took off their chariot wheels, that they drave them heavily: so that the Egyptians said, Let us flee from the face of Israel; for the Lord fighteth for them.—*Ex.*, ch. 14.

3930. — — *Gideon.* ¹⁵ O my Lord, wherewith shall I serve Israel? behold, my family is poor in Manasseh, and I am the least in my father's house. ¹⁶ And the Lord said. . . Surely I will be with thee, and thou shalt smite the Midianites as one man.—*JUDGES*, ch. 6.

3931. — — *Judah.* ¹ Be not afraid nor dismayed for the king of Assyria, nor for all the multitude that is with him: for there be more with us than with him. ² With him is an arm of flesh; but with us is the Lord our God to help us, and to fight our battles. And the people rested themselves upon the words of Hezekiah.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 32.

3932. — — *Hurtful. Ahaz.* ²⁰ Tilgath-pileser king of Assyria came unto him, and distressed him, but strengthened him not. ²¹ For Ahaz took away a portion out of the house of the Lord, and out of . . . of the king, and of the princes, and gave it. . . but he helped him not.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 28.

3933. — — *an Injury. Uzziah.* ¹⁶ When he was strong, his heart was lifted up to his destruction: for he transgressed. . . and went into the temple of the Lord to burn incense upon the altar of incense.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 26.

3934. — — *needed. Reproach.* ¹ And Nabash. answered them, On this condition will I make a covenant with you, that I may thrust out all your right eyes, and lay it for a reproach upon all Israel. ² And the elders of Jabeah said. . . Give us seven days' respite. . . and then, if there be no man to save us, we will come out to thee. [Saul became a deliverer.]—*1 SAM.*, ch. 11.

3935. — — *reserved. Angels.* ⁵¹ Smote off his ear. ⁵² Then said Jesus. . . Put up again thy sword into his place. . . ⁵³ Thinkest thou that I cannot now pray to my Father, and he shall presently give me more than twelve legions of angels?—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

3936. — — *earnestly sought. "Help me."* [Canaanite woman. Daughter sick.] ²² He answered her not a word. And his disciples. . . saying, Send her away; for she crieth after us. ²⁴ But he answered. . . I am not sent but unto the lost sheep of the house of Israel. ²⁵ Then came she and worshipped him, saying, Lord, help me.—*MAT.*, ch. 15.

3937. HELPER, An angelic. *Garden.* ² There appeared an angel unto him from heaven, strengthening him. ⁴⁴ And being in an agony he prayed more earnestly: and his sweat was as it were great drops of blood.—*LUKE*, ch. 22.

3938. — — *The Lord our. Eben-ezer.* ¹¹ The men of Israel went out of Mizpeh, and pursued the Philistines, and smote them. ¹² Then Samuel took a stone, . . . and called the name of it

Eben-ezer, saying, Hitherto hath the Lord helped us.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 7.

3939. — — *provided, A. Jeroboam.* ²⁶ The Lord saw the affliction of Israel, that it was very bitter: for there was not any shut up, nor any left, nor any helper. . . ²⁷ And the Lord said not that he would blot out the name of Israel. . . he saved them by the hand of Jeroboam.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 14.

3940. — — *Want of a. At Bethesda.* [Thirty-eight years' waiting.] ¹ The impotent man answered him, Sir, I have no man, when the water is troubled, to put me into the pool: but while I am coming, another steppeth down before me.—*JOHN*, ch. 5.

3941. — — *Woman, A. Eve.* ¹⁸ The Lord God said, It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a help meet for him.—*GEN.*, ch. 2.

3942. HELPERS in Building. Temple. ⁴ Whosoever remaineth. . . let the men of his place help him with silver, and with gold, and with goods, and with beasts, besides the freewill offering for the house of God that is in Jerusalem.—*EZRA*, ch. 1.

3943. — — *Dependence on. Against Amalek.* ¹¹ When Moses held up his hand. . . Israel prevailed: and when he let down his hand, Amalek prevailed. ¹² But Moses' hands were heavy. . . and Aaron and Hur stayed up his hands, the one on the one side, and the other on the other side. . . until the going down of the sun. ¹³ And Joshua discomfited Amalek.—*Ex.*, ch. 17.

3944. HELPLESS spared, The. Syrians. ²¹ The king of Israel said unto Elisha, when he saw them, My father, shall I smite them? . . . ²² And he answered. . . wouldst thou smite those whom thou hast taken captive with thy sword and with thy bow? set bread and water before them. . . ²³. . . and they went to their master. So the bands of Syria came no more into the land of Israel.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 6.

3945. — — *welcomed, All. By David.* ² Every one that was in distress, and . . . in debt, and . . . discontented, gathered themselves unto him; and he became a captain over. . . about four hundred men.—*1 SAM.* ch. 22.

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3946. HERESY, Test of. Word. ¹⁹ When they shall say unto you, Seek unto them that have familiar spirits, and unto wizards that peep and that mutter: should not a people seek unto their God? . . . ²⁰ to the law and to the testimony: if they speak not according to this word, it is because there is no light in them.—*ISA.*, ch. 8.

3947. — — *Tested by. Corinthians.* ¹⁸ When ye come together in the church, I hear that there be divisions among you; and I partly believe it. ¹⁹ For there must be also heresies among you, that they which are approved may be made manifest among you.—*1 COE.*, ch. 11.

3948. HERESIES from Corruption. Primitive. ⁵ Perverse disputings of men of corrupt minds, and destitute of the truth, supposing that gain is godliness: from such withdraw thyself.—*1 TIM.*, ch. 6.

3949. — — *from Pride. Primitive.* ² If any man teach otherwise, and consent not to wholesome words, even the words of our Lord Jesus

Christ, and to the doctrine which is according to godliness; ⁴ He is proud, knowing nothing, but doting about questions and strifes of words, whereof cometh envy, strife, railings, evil surmising.—1 Tim., ch. 6.

3950. — Teachers of. Primitive. ¹ There shall be false teachers among you, who privily shall bring in damnable heresies, even denying the Lord that brought them, and bring upon themselves swift destruction. ² And many shall follow their pernicious ways; by reason of whom the way of truth shall be evil spoken of.—2 Peter, ch. 2.

3951. HERETIC, Rejection of. Paul. ¹⁰ A man that is a heretic, after the first and second admonition, reject; ¹¹ Knowing that he that is such is subverted, and sinneth, being condemned of himself.—Titus, ch. 3.

3952. — So-called. Paul. ¹⁴ I confess unto thee, that after the way which they call heresy, so worship I the God of my fathers, believing all things which are written in the law and in the prophets.—Acts, ch. 24.

3953. HERETICS, Errors of. Hymeneus. ¹¹ Hymeneus and Philetus; ¹⁸ Who concerning the truth have erred, saying that the resurrection is past already; and overthrow the faith of some.—2 Tim., ch. 2.

3954. — Primitive. Sadducees. ²⁰ Now there were seven brethren: and the first took a wife. ²¹ And the second took her. . . and the third likewise. ²² And the seven had her. . . last of all the woman died also. ²³ In the resurrection therefore. . . whose wife shall she be?—MARK, ch. 12.

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3955. HERO, Christian. Paul. ¹⁹ We and they of that place, besought him not to go up to Jerusalem. ¹³ Then Paul answered, What mean ye to weep, and to break my heart? for I am ready not to be bound only, but also to die at Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus.—Acts, ch. 21.

3956. HEROES, Chosen. David's mighty Men. [See 2 Sam., ch. 23.]

3957. HEROINE, A patriotic. Sisera Hidden. ²¹ Then Jael Heber's wife took a nail in the tent, and took a hammer in her hand, and went softly unto him, and smote the nail into his temples, and fastened it into the ground: for he was fast asleep and weary.—JUDGES, ch. 4.

3958. — — Abimelech. ²⁹ Abimelech came unto the tower and fought against it, and went hard unto the door of the tower to burn it with fire. ³² And a certain woman cast a piece of a millstone upon Abimelech's head, and all to brake his skull.—JUDGES, ch. 9.

3959. HEROISM, Christian. Paul's. ²³ The Holy Ghost witnesseth in every city, saying, that bonds and afflictions abide me. ²⁴ But none of these things move me, neither count I my life dear unto myself, so that I might finish my course with joy, and the ministry which I have received of the Lord Jesus.—Acts, ch. 20.

3960. — Daring. Jonathan. ¹⁸ Jonathan

climbed up upon his hands and upon his feet, and his armour-bearer after him: and they fell before Jonathan; and his armour-bearer slew after him.—1 SAM., ch. 14.

3961. — Needless. Mighty Men. ¹⁵ David longed, and said, Oh that one would give me drink of the water of the well of Beth-lehem. . . ¹⁶ And the three mighty men brake through the host of the Philistines. . . took it, and brought it to David. . . poured it out unto the Lord.—2 SAM., ch. 23.

3962. — against Numbers. Shamgar. ²¹ Shamgar the son of Anath, which slew of the Philistines six hundred men with an oxgoad: and he also delivered Israel.—JUDGES, ch. 3.

3963. — Youthful. David. ²³ David said to Saul, Let no man's heart fail because of him; thy servant will go and fight with this Philistine. ²⁴ And Saul said, Thou art not able. . . to fight with him: for thou art but a youth, and he a man of war from his youth.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

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3964. HESITATION in Duty. "Looking Back." ⁶¹ Lord, I will follow thee; but let me first go bid them farewell, which are at home at my house, ⁶² And Jesus said. . . No man, having put

his hand to the plough, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God.—*LUKE*, ch. 9.

3965. — punished. *The Hindermost.* ¹ When the people complained, it displeased the Lord, and his anger was kindled; and the fire of the Lord burnt among them, and consumed them that were in the uttermost parts of the camp.—*NUM.*, ch. 11.

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3966. HIDDEN in a Cave. *Prophets.* ⁴ When Jezebel cut off the prophets of the Lord...Obadiah took a hundred prophets, and hid them by fifty in a cave, and fed them with bread and water.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 18.

3967. — in the Field. *David.* ¹⁴ David hid himself in the field: and when the new moon was come, the king sat him down to eat meat.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 20. [Saul sought to kill him.]

3968. — Gradually. *Baruch.* ¹⁶ The king commanded Jerahmeel...and Seraiah...and Jeremiah the prophet: but the Lord hid them.—*JER.*, ch. 36.

3969. — in the House of God. *Joash.* ¹¹ Jehoshabeath...took Joash...and stole him from among the king's sons that were slain, and put him and his nurse in a bedchamber. ¹² And he was with them hid in the house of God six years.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 22.

3970. — on the Housetop. *Two Spies.* ⁶ Rahab had brought them up to the roof of the house, and hid them with the stalks of flax, which she had laid in order upon the roof.—*JOSEPH*, ch. 2.

3971. — An Infant. *Moses.* ² He was a goodly child. ³ And when she could not longer hide him, she took for him an ark of bulrushes, and daubed it with slime and with pitch, and put the child therein; and she laid it in the flags by the river's brink.—*EX.*, ch. 2.

3972. — Strangely. *Jesus.* ¹⁸ Before Abraham was, I am. ¹⁹ Then took they up stones to cast at him: but Jesus hid himself, and went out of the temple, going through the midst of them, and so passed by.—*JOHN*, ch. 8.

3973. — in the Wilderness. *Elijah.* ³ Hide thyself by the brook Cherith, that is before Jordan. ⁴ Thou shalt drink of the brook; and I have commanded the ravens to feed thee there.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 17.

3974. HIDING, A difficult. *Manslaughter.* ¹³ Wherefore smitest thou thy fellow? ¹⁴ And he said, Who made thee a prince and a judge over us? intendest thou to kill me, as thou killedst the Egyptian? And Moses feared, and said, Surely this thing is known.—*EX.*, ch. 2.

3975. — of Sinners. *Adam.* ⁹ The Lord God called unto Adam...Where art thou? ¹⁰ And he said, I heard thy voice in the garden, and I was afraid because I was naked; and I hid myself.—*GEN.*, ch. 3.

3976. — Sin with Sin. *David.* ¹⁴ David wrote a letter to Joab, and sent it by the hand of Uriah. ¹⁵ Saying, Set ye Uriah in the forefront of the hottest battle, and retire ye from him, that he may be smitten, and die.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 11.

3977. — Talent. *One.* ¹⁸ He that had received one went and digged in the earth, and hid his lord's money. ¹⁹ After a long time the lord of those servants cometh, and reckoneth with them.—*MAT.*, ch. 25.

3978. — Unsuccessful. *Five Kings.* ²² Then said Joshua, Open the mouth of the cave, and bring out these five kings. ²³ And they did so...the king of Jerusalem, the king of Hebron, the king of Jarmuth, the king of Lachish, and the king of Eglon.—*JOSEPH*, ch. 10.

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3979. HINDERANCE, Disobedience a. Leper.

" He straitly charged him. " See thou say nothing to any man. " But he went out, and began to publish it much, and to blaze abroad the matter, insomuch that Jesus could no more openly enter into the city, but was without in desert places.—MARK, ch. 1.

3980. — Natural. Elisha. " He left the oxen and ran after Elijah, and said, Let me, I pray thee, kiss my father and my mother, and then I will follow thee.—1 KINGS, ch. 19.

3981. — Provoking. King of Edom. " Let us pass, I pray thee, through the country : we will not pass through the fields, or through the vineyards, neither will we drink of the water of the wells : we will go by the king's high way, we will not turn to the right hand nor to the left, until we have passed thy borders. " And Edom said : " Thou shalt not pass by me, lest I come out against thee with the sword.—NUM., ch. 20. [On Canaan route.]

3982. — removed. " Stone. " " As it began to dawn toward the first day of the week, came Mary Magdalene and the other Mary to see the sepulchre. " And behold, there was a great earthquake ; for the angel of the Lord descended from heaven, and came and rolled back the stone from the door.—MAT., ch. 28.

3983. — Riches a. " Thorns. " " These are they which are sown among thorns ; such as hear the word, " And the cares of this world, and the deceitfulness of riches, and the lusts of other things entering in choke the word, and it becometh unfruitful.—MARK, ch. 4.

3984. — Young Ruler. " How hardly shall they that have riches enter into the kingdom of God ! " For it is easier for a camel to go through a needle's eye than for a rich man to enter into the kingdom of God.—LUKE, ch. 18.

3985. HINDERANCES, Cause of. Eating. " Meat commendeth us not to God : for neither, if we eat, are we the better ; neither, if we eat not, are we the worse. " But take heed lest by any means this liberty of yours become a stumbling-block to them that are weak.—1 COR., ch. 8.

3986. — Malicious. Rebuilding Temple. " The people of the land weakened the hands of the people of Judah, and troubled them in building, " And hired counsellors against them, to frustrate their purposes.—EZRA, ch. 4.

3987. — Removal of. Eating. " If meat make my brother to offend, I will eat no flesh while the world standeth, lest I make my brother to offend.—1 COR., ch. 8.

3988. — Secular. Great Supper. " I have bought a piece of ground, and I must needs go and see it : I pray thee have me excused. " " I have bought five yoke of oxen, and I go to prove them : I pray thee have me excused. " " I have married a wife, and therefore I cannot come.—LUKE, ch. 14.

3989. — Social. Disciple. " Lord, I will follow thee ; but let me first go bid them farewell which are at home at my house.—LUKE, ch. 9.

3990. — Selfish. Pharisees. " Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites ! for ye shut up the kingdom of heaven against men ; for ye neither go in yourselves, neither suffer ye them that are entering to go in.—MAT., ch. 23.

3991. — by Fear. Enemies. " It is reported among the heathen, and Gashmu saith it, that thou and the Jews think to rebel ; for which cause thou buidest the wall, that thou mayest be their king.—NEH., ch. 6.

3992. — by Intrigue. Enemies. " Sanballat and Geshem sent unto me, saying, Come, let us meet together in some one of the villages in the plain of Ono. But they thought to do me mischief. " And I sent, saying, I am doing a great work, so that I cannot come down.—NEH., ch. 6.

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3993. HIRELING, Selfishness of a. "Fleeth."

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3994. HISTORY, Unwritten. Of Jesus.

"There are also many other things which Jesus did, the which, if they should be written every one, I suppose that even the world itself could not contain the books that should be written.—JOHN, ch. 21.

3995. — Warning of. *Israelites*. "Neither murmur ye, as some of them also murmured, and were destroyed... Now all these things happened unto them for ensamples; and they are written for our admonition—1 Cor., ch. 10.

3996. HOLINESS, Acknowledgment of. "Shoes." "God called unto him out of the midst of the bush, and said, Moses, Moses. And he said, Here am I. " And he said, Draw not nigh hither: put off thy shoes from off thy feet, for the place whereon thou standest is holy ground.—Ex., ch. 4.

3997. — — Shoes. "The captain of the Lord's host said unto Joshua, Loose thy shoe from off thy foot; for the place whereon thou standest is holy. And Joshua did so.—JOHN, ch. 5.

3998. — Alarming. *Philistines*. "He smote the men of Beth-shemesh, because they had looked into the ark of the Lord, even...fifty thousand and threescore and ten men: and the

people lamented... "And the men of Beth-shemesh said, Who is able to stand before this holy Lord God?—1 SAM., ch. 6.

3999. — Celebration of. *Cherubim*. "Above it stood the seraphim: each one had six wings; with twain he covered his face, and with twain he covered his feet, and with twain he did fly. " And one cried unto another. Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts: the whole earth is full of his glory.—ISA., ch. 6.

4000. — Conspicuous. *Mitre*. "Thou shalt make a plate of pure gold, and grave upon it... HOLINESS TO THE LORD. " And thou shalt put it on a blue lace, that it may be...upon the forefront of the mitre... " And it shall be upon Aaron's forehead.—Ex., ch. 28.

4001. — Chosen for. *The Church*. "If ye will obey my voice indeed, and keep my covenant, then ye shall be a peculiar treasure unto me above all people... " And ye shall be unto me a kingdom of priests, and an holy nation.—Ex., ch. 19.

4002. — of the Church. "Glorious." "Christ also loved the church, and gave himself for it; " That he might sanctify and cleanse it with the washing of water by the word, " That he might present it to himself a glorious church, not having spot, or wrinkle, or any such thing; but that it should be holy and without blemish.—Eph., ch. 5.

4003. — Prayer for. *Paul*. "That ye, being rooted and grounded in love, " May be able to comprehend with all saints what is the breadth, and length, and depth, and height; " And to know the love of Christ, which passeth knowledge, that ye might be filled with all the fulness of God.—Eph., ch. 3.

4004. — Perfect. *Jesus*. "Because I tell you the truth, ye believe me not. " Which of you convinceth me of sin? And if I say the truth, why do ye not believe me?—JOHN, ch. 8.

4005. — Unapproachable. *Sinai*. "Moses said unto the Lord, The people cannot come up to mount Sinai: for thou chargedst us, saying, Set bounds about the mount, and sanctify it.—Ex., ch. 19.

4006. — Universal. "Bells." "In that day shall there be upon the bells of the horses, HOLINESS UNTO THE LORD; and the pots in the Lord's house shall be like the bowls before the altar. " Yea, every pot in Jerusalem and in Judah shall be holiness unto the Lord.—ZECH., ch. 14.

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4007. HOLY SPIRIT, Changes. *Saul.* ¹⁰ A company of prophets met him; and the Spirit of God came upon him, and he prophesied among them. ¹¹..when all that knew him beforetime saw that..then the people said one to another, What is this that is come unto the son of Kish? *Is Saul also among the prophets?*—1 SAM., ch. 10.

4008. — dishonoured. *Simon Magus.* ¹⁸ And when Simon saw that through laying on of the apostles' hands the Holy Ghost was given, he offered them money, ¹⁹ Saying, Give me also this power, that on whomsoever I lay hands, he may receive the Holy Ghost.—ACTS, ch. 8.

4009. — Evidence by. *Discipleship.* ¹³ If we love one another, God dwelleth in us, and his love is perfected in us. ¹² Hereby know we that we dwell in him, and he in us, because he hath given us of his Spirit.—1 JOHN, ch. 4.

4010. — Freedom of. *Jesus said.* ¹³ If ye then, being evil, know how to give good gifts unto your children; how much more shall your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to them that ask him?—LUKE, ch. 11.

4011. — Gift of. *Jesus.* ²¹ Peace be unto you: as my Father hath sent me, even so send I you. ²² And when he had said this, he breathed on them, and saith unto them, Receive ye the Holy Ghost.—JOHN, ch. 20.

4012. — grieved. *Antediluvians.* ¹ God saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every imagination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually. ⁶ And it repented the Lord that he had made man..and it grieved him at his heart.—GEN., ch. 6.

4013. — Ignorance of. *At Ephesus.* ¹ Finding certain disciples, ² He said unto them, Have ye received the Holy Ghost since ye believed? And they said..We have not so much as heard whether there be any Holy Ghost.—ACTS, ch. 19.

4014. — Light by. *Paul.* ¹⁷ Brother Saul, the Lord, even Jesus, that appeared unto thee..hath sent me, that thou mightest receive thy sight, and be filled with the Holy Ghost. ¹⁸ And immediately there fell from his eyes as it had scales: and he received sight forthwith.—ACTS, ch. 9.

4015. — Mystery of. *New Birth.* ¹ Marvel not that I said unto thee, Ye must be born again. ⁸ The wind bloweth where it listeth, and thou hearest the sound thereof, but canst not tell whence it cometh, and whither it goeth: so

is every one that is born of the Spirit. ⁹ Nicodemus answered..How can these things be?—JOHN, ch. 3.

4016. — Prayer for. *Jesus.* ¹⁶ I will pray the Father, and he shall give you another Comforter, that he may abide with you for ever; ¹⁷ Even the Spirit of truth..know him; for he dwelleth with you, and shall be in you.—JOHN, ch. 14.

4017. — Promise of. *Pentecost.* ⁴ Commanded them that they should not depart from Jerusalem, but wait for the promise of the Father.. ⁵ For John truly baptized with water: but ye shall be baptized with the Holy Ghost not many days hence.—ACTS, ch. 1.

4018. — Symbol of. *Dove.* ²¹ Jesus also being baptized, and praying, the heaven was opened, ²² And the Holy Ghost descended in a bodily shape like a dove upon him.—LUKE, ch. 3.

4019. — Speech by. *Moses.* ¹⁰ O my Lord, I am not eloquent..I am slow of speech, and of a slow tongue. ¹¹ And the Lord said..Who hath made man's mouth? or who maketh the dumb, or deaf, or the seeing, or the blind? have not I the Lord? ¹² Now therefore go, and I will be with thy mouth, and teach thee what thou shalt say.—EX., ch. 4.

4020. — Taught by the. *Moses.* [See No. 4019.]

4021. — Temple of. *Body.* ¹⁶ Know ye not that ye are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwelleth in you? ¹⁷ If any man defile the temple of God, him shall God destroy; for the temple of God is holy, which temple ye are.—1 COR., ch. 3.

4022. — unexpected. *Mystery.* [See No. 4007.]

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4023. HOME, in Age. *Eighty Years Old.* ²² He was a very great man. ²³..Come thou over with me, and I will feed thee with me in Jerusalem. ²⁴ And Barzillai said unto the king, How long have I to live, that I should go up with the king unto Jerusalem?—2 SAM., ch. 19.

4024. — Piety blesses the. *Poliphar.* ¹ From the time that he had made him overseer in his house, and over all that he had..the Lord blessed the Egyptian's house for Joseph's sake.—GEN., ch. 39.

4025. — Bible in the. *Law.* ⁶ And these words..shall be in thine heart: ⁷ And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up.. ⁸ And thou shalt write them upon the posts of thy house, and on thy gates.—DEUT., ch. 6.

4026. — A dismal. *Cave.* ¹ David..escaped to the cave Adullam: and when his brethren and all his father's house heard it, they went down thither.—1 SAM., ch. 22.

4027. — A dangerous. *"Looking back."* ⁶¹ Lord, I will follow thee; but let me first go bid them farewell, which are at home at my house. ⁶² And Jesus said..No man, having put his hand to the plough, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God.—LUKE, ch. 9.

4028. — Godly. *Joshua said.* ¹⁵ Choose

you this day whom ye will serve; whether the gods, that were on the other side of the flood, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land ye dwell: but as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord.—**JOSHUA**, ch. 24.

4029. — **Heavenly. Mansions.** ¹ In my Father's house are many mansions: if *it* were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. ² And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also.—**JOHN**, ch. 14.

4030. — **Influence of. Prodigal.** ¹¹ When he came to himself, he said, How many hired servants of my father's have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger! ¹² I will arise and go to my father.—**LUKE**, ch. 15.

4031. — **Longing for. Jacob and Laban.** ² Jacob said unto Laban, Send me away, that I may go unto mine own place, and to my country. ³ Give me my wives and my children, for whom I have served thee, and let me go.—**GEN.**, ch. 30.

4032. — **Not at. Peter.** ³⁴ Brought him into the high priest's house. And Peter followed afar off. ³⁵ And when they had kindled a fire in the midst of the hall, and were set down together, Peter sat down among them.—**LUKE**, ch. 22.

4033. — **Providence in the. Widow of Zarephath.** ¹⁵ Did according to the saying of Elijah: and she, and he, and her house, did eat many days. ¹⁶ And the barrel of meal wasted not, neither did the cruse of oil fail, according to the word of the Lord.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 17.

4034. — **protected. The Passover.** ²² And ye shall take a bunch of hyssop, and dip *it* in the blood that is in the basin, and strike the lintel and the two side posts with the blood. ²³ For the Lord will pass through to smite the Egyptians; and when he seeth the blood, the Lord will pass over the door, and will not suffer the destroyer to come in unto your houses to smite you.—**EX.**, ch. 12.

4035. — **A pious. Andrews.** ⁴ He first findeth his own brother Simon, and saith, We have found the Messiah, which is, being interpreted, the Christ. ⁵ And he brought him to Jesus.—**JOHN**, ch. 1.

4036. — **Reformation at. Asa.** ¹² Maachab his mother, he removed from being queen, because she had made an idol in a grove; and Asa destroyed her idol, and burnt *it* by the brook Kidron.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 15.

4037. — **A religious. Cornelius.** ¹ Cornelius, a centurion. ² A devout man, and one that feared God with all his house, which gave much alms to the people, and prayed to God always.—**ACTS**, ch. 10.

4038. — **Sanctity of. David said.** ¹⁰ Told me, saying, Behold, Saul is dead, thinking to have brought good tidings, I... slew him in Ziklag, who thought that I would have given him a reward for his tidings: ¹¹ How much more, when wicked men have slain a righteous person in his own house upon his bed?—**2 SAM.**, ch. 4.

4039. — **Testimony at. The Delivered.** ¹² He that had been possessed with the devil prayed him that he might be with him. ¹³ Howbeit Jesus suffered him not, but saith, Go home to

thy friends, and tell them how great things the Lord hath done for thee.—**MATTH.**, ch. 5.

4040. — **Weaned of. Joseph.** ¹ Joseph called the name of the firstborn Manasseh: For God, said he, hath made me forget all my toil, and all my father's house. ² And the name of the second called he Ephraim: For God hath caused me to be fruitful in the land of my affliction.—**GEN.**, ch. 41. [High honours, yet land of affliction.]

4041. HOME-SICKNESS, A Foreigner's. Hadad. ¹ Hadad said to Pharaoh, Let me depart, that I may go to mine own country. ² Then Pharaoh said, But what hast thou lacked with me, that, behold, thou seekest to go to thine own country? And he answered, Nothing: howbeit let me go in any wise.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 11.

4042. HOMES, Bad. Lot's Daughters. ³⁰ And Lot went up out of Zoar, and dwelt in the mountains, and his two daughters with him; for he feared to dwell in Zoar: and he dwelt in a cave, he and his two daughters.—**See GEN.**, ch. 19, 30-36.

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4043. HONESTY, Accredited. Joseph. ⁸ Said unto his master's wife, Behold, my master woteth not what is with me in the house, and he hath committed all that he hath to my hand; ⁹ There is none greater in this house than I; neither hath he kept back any thing from me but thee.—**GEN.**, ch. 39.

4044. — acknowledged. *Samuel said*, "Whose ox have I taken? or whose ass have I taken? or whom have I defrauded? whom have I oppressed? or of whose hand have I received any bribe to blind mine eyes therewith? and I will restore it you." "And they said, Thou hast not defrauded us, neither hast thou taken aught of any man's hand.—1 Sam., ch. 12.

4045. — commended. "Just." "Hath not oppressed any, hath spoiled none by violence, hath given his bread to the hungry, and hath covered the naked with a garment; "He that hath not given forth upon usury, that hath withdrawn his hand from iniquity, hath executed true judgment between man and man, "Hath walked in my statutes, and hath kept my judgments, to deal truly; he is just, he shall surely live, saith the Lord God.—Ezek., ch. 18.

4046. — Happiness from. *Proverb*. "When a man's ways please the Lord, he maketh even his enemies to be at peace with him. "Better is a little with righteousness, than great revenues without right.—Prov., ch. 16.

4047. — ignored. *Deception*. "It is naught, it is naught, saith the buyer: but when he is gone his way, then he boasteth.—Prov., ch. 20.

4048. — Official. *Jewish Officers*. "Thou shalt not wrest judgment; thou shalt not respect persons, neither take a gift: for a gift doth blind the eyes of the wise, and pervert the words of the righteous.—Deut., ch. 16.

4049. — in Payment. *Widow's Oil*. "My husband is dead; and thy servant did fear the Lord; and the creditor is come to take, my two sons to be bondmen. "There is not a vessel more. And the oil stayed. "The man of God said, Go, sell the oil, and pay thy debt, and live thou and thy children of the rest.—2 Kings, ch. 4.

4050. — rare. *In Jerusalem*. "Run ye to and fro through the streets of Jerusalem, and seek in the broad places thereof, if ye can find a man, if there be any that executeth judgment, that seeketh the truth; and I will pardon it.—Jer., ch. 5.

4051. — Reward of. "Dwell on high." "He that walketh righteously, and speaketh uprightly; he that despiseth the gain of oppressions, that shaketh his hands from holding of bribes, that stoppeth his ears from hearing of blood, and shutteth his eyes from seeing evil; "He shall dwell on high; his place of defence shall be the munitions of rocks: bread shall be given him; his waters shall be sure.—Isa., ch. 33.

4052. — by Restitution. *Zaccheus*. "Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor; and if I have taken any thing from any man by false accusation, I restore him fourfold.—Luke, ch. 19.

4053. — Trained to. *Young Ruler*. "Thou knowest the commandments, Do not commit adultery, Do not kill, Do not steal, Do not bear false witness, Defraud not, Honour thy father and mother. "And he answered, Master, all these have I observed from my youth.—Mark, ch. 10.

4054. — Test of. *Joseph's Brethren*. "The money that was brought again in the mouth of

your sacks, carry it again in your hand; peradventure it was an oversight.—Gen., ch. 43.

4055. — in Trade. *Law*. "Thou shalt not have in thy bag divers weights, a great and a small; "in thine house divers measures, a great and a small: "But thou shalt have a perfect and just weight, a perfect and just measure shalt thou have.—Deut., ch. 25.

4056. — — *Proverb*. "Divers weights, and divers measures, both of them are alike abomination to the Lord.—Prov., ch. 20.

4057. — Trusted. *Builders*. "They reckoned not with the men, into whose hand they delivered the money to be bestowed on workmen: for they dealt faithfully. [Repairing the temple.]—2 Kings, ch. 12.

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4058. HONOUR to Age. *Jacob*. "Joseph brought in Jacob his father, and set him before Pharaoh: and Jacob blessed Pharaoh.—Gen., ch. 47.

4059. — Appeal to. *Moses said*, "If thou shalt kill all this people as one man, then the nations, will speak, saying, "Because the Lord was not able to bring this people into the land which he swore unto them, therefore he hath slain them in the wilderness.—Num., ch. 14.

4060. — and Dishonour. *Haman*. "Haman arrayed Mordecai, and brought him on horseback through the street of the city, and proclaimed before him, Thus shall it be done unto the man whom the king delighteth to honour.—Esther, ch. 6.

4061. — for Elders. *Elihu*. "Elihu had waited till Job had spoken, because they were elder than he.—Job, ch. 32.

4062. — not a Gift. *James and John.* "Grant unto us that we may sit, one on thy right hand, and the other on thy left hand, in thy glory. ⁴⁰...not mine to give; but *it shall be given to them for whom it is prepared.*—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

4063. — honourably given. *To Mephibosheth.* ¹ David said, Is there yet any that is left of the house of Saul, that I may shew him kindness for Jonathan's sake?... ² And Ziba said... Jonathan hath yet a son, *which is lame on his feet...he shall eat at my table as one of the king's sons.*—*2 SAM.*, ch. 9.

4064. — protected, Divine. *Moses said,* ¹³ Wherefore should the Egyptians... say, For mischief did he bring them out, to slay them in the mountains, and to consume them... ¹⁴ And the Lord repented of the evil which he thought to do unto his people.—*EX.*, ch. 32.

4065. — regarded, Divine. *Ezra said,* ² I was ashamed to require of the king a band of soldiers and horsemen to help us against the enemy in the way: because we had spoken unto the king, saying, The hand of our God is upon all them for good that seek him.—*EZRA*, ch. 8.

4066. — Sale of. *Judas.* ¹⁵ What will ye give me, and I will deliver him unto you? And they covenanted with him for thirty pieces of silver.—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

4067. — Surprising. *Joseph.* ⁴¹ See, I have set thee over all the land of Egypt. ⁴² And Pharaoh took off his ring from his hand, and put it upon Joseph's hand, and arrayed him in vestures of fine linen, and put a gold chain about his neck; ⁴³ And he made him to ride in the second chariot... and they cried before him, Bow the knee.—*GEN.*, ch. 41.

4068. — Seeking. *Jesus.* *Jesus said,* ⁴⁴ How can ye believe, which receive honour one of another, and seek not the honour that cometh from God only?—*JOHN*, ch. 5.

4069. — of Service. *Olive-tree.* ⁸ The trees went forth on a time to anoint the king over them; and they said unto the olive tree, Reign thou over us. ⁹ But the olive tree said... Should I leave my fatness, wherewith by me they honour God and man, and go to be promoted over the trees?—*JUDGES*, ch. 9.

4070. — Special. *Haman.* ¹¹ How he had advanced him above the princes... ¹²...Yea, Esther the queen did let no man come in with the king unto the banquet that she had prepared but myself.—*ESTHER*, ch. 5.

4071. — Unexpected. *Mordecai.* ¹⁵ Mordecai went out from the presence of the king in royal apparel of blue and white, and with a great crown of gold, and with a garment of fine linen and purple: and the city of Shushan rejoiced.—*ESTHER*, ch. 8.

4072. — won by Merit. *Abishai.* ²⁰ Abishai... he was chief of the three: for lifting up his spear against three hundred, he slew them... ²¹ Of the three, he was more honourable than the two; for he was their captain: howbeit he attained not to the first three.—*1 CHRON.*, ch. 11.

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4073. HONOURS from Abroad. *"Own Country."* ²² Ye will surely say unto me this proverb, Physician, heal thyself: whatsoever we have heard done in Capernaum, do also here in thy country. ²⁴ And he said... No prophet is accepted in his own country.—*LUKE*, ch. 4.

4074. — to the Brave. *Of Goliath.* ²⁵ The man who killeth him, the king will enrich him with great riches, and will give him his daughter, and make his father's house free in Israel.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 7.

4075. — Too many. *Haman.* ¹⁰ He sent... for his friends, and Zeresh his wife. ¹¹ And Haman told them of the glory of his riches, and the multitude of his children, and all the things wherein the king had promoted him... above the princes.—*ESTHER*, ch. 5.

4076. — Posthumous. *Dorcas.* ²⁰ Then Peter arose... they brought him into the upper chamber: and all the widows stood by him weeping, and shewing the coats and garments which Dorcas made, while she was with them.—*ACTS*, ch. 9.

4077. — by Service. *Royal.* [Saul delivered Israel from the Ammonites.] ¹⁵ All the people... made Saul king before the Lord in Gilgal... they sacrificed... before the Lord; and there Saul and all the men of Israel rejoiced greatly.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 11.

4078. — bring Trials. *King David.* [Lately crowned.] ²⁰ So Joab and Abishai... slew Abner, because he had slain their brother Asahel at Gibeon in the battle... ²³...I am this day weak, though anointed king... the sons of Zeruiah be too hard for me: the Lord shall reward the doer of evil according to his wickedness.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 3.

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orites, in whose land ye dwell : but as for me			
and my house, we will serve the Lord.—JOSH.,			
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4080. — — First of All. ² Zerubbabel			
..and his brethren..built the altar..to offer			
burnt offerings thereon.—EZRA., ch. 3. [They			
built the altar before building the walls of Je-			
rusalem.]			
4081. — — In Every Place. [At Sichem.]			
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appeared unto him. ⁸ And he removed..unto a			
mountain on the east of Beth-el, and pitched			
his tent..and here he builded an altar.—GEN.,			
ch. 12.			
4082. — — By Gifts. ³⁰ Jacob vowed a			
vow, saying, If God will be with me, and will			
keep me in this way that I go. ³¹ ..then shall the			
Lord be my God : ³² ..of all that thou shalt give			
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4093. HORSES forbidden. *Israelites.* ¹⁶ He shall not multiply horses . . . nor cause the people to return to Egypt, to the end that he should multiply horses. Ye shall henceforth return no more that way.—*DEUT.*, ch. 17.

4094. — of Fire. *Elijah.* ¹¹ Behold, there appeared a chariot of fire, and horses of fire, and parted them both asunder; and Elijah went up by a whirlwind into heaven.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 2.

4095. — Many. *Solomon's.* ²⁶ Solomon had forty thousand stalls of horses for his chariots, and twelve thousand horsemen. ²⁸ Barley also and straw for the horses and dromedaries brought they.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 4.

4096. — Sacred. *Josiah.* ¹¹ He took away the horses that the kings of Judah had given to the sun, at the entering in of the house of the Lord . . . burned the chariots of the sun with fire.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 23.

4097. — White. *Heaven.* ¹³ His name is called The Word of God. ¹⁴ And the armies which were in heaven followed him upon white horses, clothed in fine linen, white and clean.—*REV.*, ch. 19.

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4098. HOSPITALITY, Christian. *Paul.* ¹ Entered into a certain man's house, named Justus, one that worshipped God, whose house joined hard to the synagogue.—*ACTS*, ch. 18.

4099. — Dangerous. *Lying Prophet.* ¹⁵ Come home with me, and eat bread. ¹⁶ And he said, I may not . . . go in with thee . . . ¹⁷ For it was said to me by the word of the Lord, Thou shalt eat no bread nor drink water there, nor turn again to go by the way that thou camest.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 13. [He accepted and was slain.]

4100. — forbidden. *Diotrephes.* ⁹ Diotrephes, who loveth to have the preeminence among them, receiveth us not. ¹⁰ . . . Neither doth he himself receive the brethren, and forbiddeth them that would, and casteth them out of the church.—*JOHN*, ch. 3.

4101. — Grateful. *David.* ¹ David said, Is there yet any that is left of the house of Saul, that I may shew him kindness for Jonathan's sake? ¹¹ Then said Ziba unto the king, According to all that my lord the king hath commanded his servant, so shall thy servant do. As for Mephibosheth, said the king, he shall eat at my table, as one of the king's sons.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 9.

4102. — Increase by. *To Elisha.* ⁴³ A man from Baal-shali-sha . . . brought the man of God . . . twenty loaves of barley, and full ears of corn in the husk thereof. And he said, Give unto the people. . . ⁴⁴ And his servitor said, What, should I set this before a hundred men? . . . ⁴⁵ So he set it before them, and they did eat, and left thereof.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 4.

4103. — Joyful. *To Jesus.* ⁵ Zaccheus, make haste, and come down; for to day I must abide at thy house. ⁶ And he made haste . . . and received him joyfully.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

4104. — Odious. *To Paul.* [At Thessalonica.] ⁵ The Jews . . . took unto them certain lewd fellows of the baser sort, and gathered a company, and set all the city on an uproar, and assaulted the house of Jason, and sought to bring them out to the people.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

4105. — Preservation by. *Lot.* [See No. 4112.]

4106. — of the Poor. *Widow.* ¹⁵ And she went and did according to the saying of Elijah. . . ¹⁶ And the barrel of meal wasted not, neither did the cruse of oil fail, according to the word of the Lord.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 17.

4107. — Pagan. *To Paul after Shipwreck.* ¹ The island was called Melita. ² And the barbarous people shewed us no little kindness: for they kindled a fire, and received us every one, because of the present rain, and because of the cold.—*ACTS*, ch. 28.

4108. — refused. *Jesus.* ⁵⁸ Sent messengers . . . entered into a village of the Samaritans, to make ready for him. ⁴³ And they did not receive him, because his face was as though he would go to Jerusalem.—*LUKE*, ch. 9.

4109. — repaid. *Shunammite.* ¹⁰ Let us make a little chamber, I pray thee, on the wall; and let us set for him there a bed, and a table, and a stool, and a candlestick . . . he shall turn in thither.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 4. [When her only son was dead, Elisha restored him . . . alive.]

4110. — Reward of. *Abraham.* ¹ He sat in the tent door in the heat of the day; ² . . . and, lo,

three men stood by him : and . . he ran to meet them . . and bowed himself toward the ground, ² And said, My Lord, if now I have found favour in thy sight, pass not away, I pray thee, from thy servant.—GEN., ch. 18. ["Angels un-awares."]

4111. — Treacherous. *Pharisees.* ²⁷ A certain Pharisee besought him to dine with him . . ³³ And . . the scribes and the Pharisees began to urge him vehemently, and to provoke him to speak of many things : ³⁴ Laying wait for him, and seeking to catch something out of his mouth, that they might accuse him.—LUKE, ch. 11.

4112. — Unjust. *Nathan said,* ⁴ There came a traveller unto the rich man, and he spared to take of his own flock and of his own herd, to dress for the wayfaring man that was come unto him ; but took the poor man's lamb.—2 SAM., ch. 12.

4113. — Urgent. *Lot's.* ⁹ Behold now, my lords, turn in . . and tarry all night, and wash your feet, and ye shall rise up early, and go on your ways. And they said, Nay ; but we will abide in the street all night. ³ And he pressed upon them greatly ; and they . . entered into his house ; and he made them a feast.—GEN., ch. 19.

4114. — — *Behlehemite.* ¹ When the man rose up to depart, his father in law urged him : therefore he lodged there again. ⁸ And he arose early in the morning on the fifth day to depart : and the damsel's father said, Comfort thine heart, I pray thee. And they tarried until afternoon, and they did eat.—JUDGES, ch. 19.

4115. — — *At Emmaus.* ³⁸ He made as though he would have gone further. ³⁹ But they constrained him, saying, Abide with us ; for it is toward evening, and the day is far spent. . . ³⁰ . . as he sat at meat with them, he took bread, and blessed it, and brake, and gave to them. ³¹ And their eyes were opened, and they knew him.—LUKE, ch. 24.

4116. — A Woman's. *Lydia.* ¹⁸ When she was baptized . . she besought us, saying, If ye have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come into my house, and abide there. And she constrained us.—ACTS, ch. 16.

4117. — Willing. *Laban's.* ³² He ungirded his camels, and gave straw and provender . . and water to wash his feet. . . ³³ And there was set meat before him to eat.—GEN., ch. 24.

4118. — Wanting. *Pharisee's.* ⁴⁴ Simon, Seest thou this woman ? I entered into thine house, thou gavest me no water for my feet : but she hath washed my feet with tears, and wiped them with the hairs of her head. ⁴⁵ Thou gavest me no kiss : but this woman, since the time I came in, hath not ceased to kiss my feet. ⁴⁶ My head with oil thou didst not anoint : but this woman hath anointed my feet with ointment.—LUKE, ch. 7.

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4119. HOSTAGE, A Brother for. *Simeon.* ¹⁸ Joseph said . . the third day, This do, and live ; for I fear God : ¹⁹ If ye be true men, let one of your brethren be bound in the house of your prison : go ye, carry corn for the famine of your houses.—GEN., ch. 42.

4120. HOSTAGES, Sons for. *Reuben's.* ²⁷ Reuben spake unto his father, saying, Slay my two sons, if I bring him not to thee : deliver him into my hand, and I will bring him to thee again.—GEN., ch. 42.

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SURETY.

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4121. HOUSE of Ivory. *Ahab's.* ²⁸ The acts of Ahab, and all that he did, and the ivory house which he made, and all the cities that he built, are they not written in . . the Chronicles ?—1 KINGS, ch. 22.

4122. — An illfounded. *Sand.* ²⁶ A foolish man, which built his house upon the sand : ²⁷ And the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house ; and it fell : and great was the fall of it.—MAT., ch. 7.

4123. — Mansion. *Father's.* ⁹ In my Father's house are many mansions : if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you.—JOHN, ch. 14.

4124. — necessary. *New. Prophet's Sons.* ¹ Said unto Elisha, Behold now, the place where we dwell with thee is too strait for us. ³ Let us go . . unto Jordan, and take thence every man a beam, and let us make us a place there, where we may dwell. And he answered, Go ye.—2 KINGS, ch. 6.

4125. — Temporary. *Booth.* ⁴ Jonah went out of the city, and sat on the east side of the city, and there made him a booth, and sat under it in the shadow, till he might see what would become of the city.—JONAH, ch. 4.

4126. — of God. *Abandoned.* ¹ The Lord hath cast off his altar, he hath abhorred his sanctuary, he hath given up into the hand of the enemy the walls of her palaces ; they have made a noise in the house of the Lord, as in the day of a solemn feast.—LAM., ch. 2.

4127. — — *Discovered.* ¹⁶ Jacob awaked out of his sleep, and he said, Surely the Lord is in this place ; and I knew it not. ¹⁷ And he was afraid, and said, How dreadful is this place !

this is none other but the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.—GEN., ch. 28.

4128. — — — *Despoiled.* [By Nebuchadnezzar.] ¹³ The pillars of brass . . . and the bases, and the brazen sea . . . did the Chaldees break in pieces, and carried the brass of them to Babylon. ¹⁴ And the pots . . . shovels . . . snuffers . . . spoons, and all the vessels of brass wherewith they ministered, took they away. ¹⁵ And the firepans, and the bowls, and such things as were of gold.—2 KINGS, ch. 25.

4129. — — — *Destroyed.* ¹ A man was famous according as he had lifted up axes upon the thick trees. ² But now they break down the carved work thereof at once with axes and hammers. ³ They have cast fire into thy sanctuary. . . . they have burned up all the synagogues of God in the land.—PS., 14.

4130. — — — *Expensive.* [Costing £939,907,687, or \$4,699,538,435.—JAMIESON.]

4131. — — — *Gifts for.* ²² Both men and women, as many as were willing hearted . . . brought bracelets, and earrings, and rings, and tablets, all jewels of gold: and every man that offered offered an offering of gold unto the Lord. ²³ And every man, with whom was found blue, and purple, and scarlet, and fine linen, and goats' hair, and red skins of rams, and badgers' skins, brought them.—EX., ch. 35.

4132. — — — *Given in Bribery.* ²⁰ Tilgath-pileser, king of Assyria, came unto him, and distressed him, but strengthened him not. ²¹ For Ahaz took away a portion out of the house of the Lord . . . and gave it . . . but he helped him not.—2 CHRON., ch. 28.

4133. — — — *Grandeur of Temple.* ⁵ David said, Solomon my son is young and tender, and the house that is to be builded for the Lord must be exceeding magnifical, of fame and of glory throughout all countries. So David prepared abundantly before his death.—1 CHRON., ch. 22.

4134. — — — *Neglected.* ¹ This people say, The time is not come, the time that the Lord's house should be built. ² Then came the word of the Lord by Haggai the prophet, saying, ⁴ Is it time for you, O ye, to dwell in your ceiled houses, and this house lie waste?—HAGGAI, ch. 1.

4135. — — — *Polluted.* ⁵ Manasseh built altars for all the host of heaven in the two courts of the house of the Lord. . . . And he set a graven image of the grove that he had made in the house.—2 KINGS, ch. 21.

4136. — — — *Refuge in.* ²⁰ Adonijah feared because of Solomon, and arose, and went, and caught hold of the horns of the altar.—1 KINGS, ch. 1.

4137. — — — *Residence in.* ²⁸ There was one Anna, a prophetess. . . . a widow of about fourscore and four years, which departed not from the temple, but served God with fastings and prayers night and day.—LUKE, ch. 2.

4138. — — — *Robbed.* ²⁵ Shishak king of Egypt came up against Jerusalem: ²⁶ And he took away the treasures of the house of the Lord . . . and he took away all the shields of gold which Solomon had made.—1 KINGS, ch. 14.

4139. — — — *Robbed for Idols.* ²⁴ Ahaz gathered together the vessels . . . and cut in pieces the vessels . . . and shut up the doors of the house

of the Lord, and he made him altars in every corner of Jerusalem. ²⁵ And in every several city of Judah he made high places to burn incense unto other gods.—2 CHRON., ch. 28.

4140. — — — *Repairing.* ⁹ Jehoiada the priest took a chest, and bored a hole in the lid of it, and set it beside the altar . . . and the priests that kept the door put therein all the money that was brought into the house of the Lord. ¹¹ And they gave the money, being told into the hands of them that did the work.—2 KINGS, ch. 12.

4141. HOUSES, Prohibited. *Rechabites.* ⁹ Our father . . . hath charged us, to drink no wine all our days, we, our wives, our sons, nor our daughters; ¹⁰ Nor to build houses for us to dwell in. . . . But we have dwelt in tents.—JER., ch. 35.

4142. HOUSEHOLD, A converted. *Lydia.* ¹⁸ When she was baptized, and her household, she besought us, saying, If ye have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come into my house, and abide there. And she constrained us.—ACTS, ch. 16.

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4143. HUMILITY, in Adversity. *Conspiracy of Absalom.* ²⁰ David went up by the ascent of

mount Olivet, and wept. .and had his head covered, and he went barefoot : and all the people . . covered every man his head, and they went up, weeping.—2 SAM., ch. 15.

4144. — Apostolical. *Peter.* ²⁸ Cornelius met him, and fell down at his feet, and worshipped him. ²⁹ But Peter took him up, saying, Stand up; I myself also am a man.—ACTS, ch. 10.

4145. — — *Peter said,* ¹² Ye men of Israel, why marvel ye at this? or why look ye so earnestly on us, as though by our own power or holiness we had made this man to walk?—ACTS, ch. 3.

4146. — — *Paul.* ¹¹ When the people saw what Paul had done, they lifted up their voices, saying. .The gods are come down to us in the likeness of men. ¹² Then the priest of Jupiter. .brought oxen and garlands unto the gates, and would have done sacrifice with the people. ¹⁴ . .Barnabas and Paul rent their clothes, and ran in among the people, crying out, ¹⁵ And saying, Sirs, why do ye these things? We also are men of like passions with you.—ACTS, ch. 14.

4147. — — *Paul.* ⁶ Unto me, who am less than the least of all saints, is this grace given, that I should preach among the Gentiles the unsearchable riches of Christ.—EPA., ch. 3.

4148. — in Adversity. *Manasseh.* ¹¹ The king of Assyria, which took Manasseh. .bound him with fetters, and carried him to Babylon. ¹² And when he was in affliction, he besought the Lord his God, and humbled himself greatly before the God of his fathers. ¹³ . .he was entreated of him.—2 CHRON., ch. 33.

4149. — Acceptable. "Contrite." ¹ To this man will I look, even to him that is poor and of a contrite spirit, and trembleth at my word.—ISA., ch. 66.

4150. — assists Faith. *Centurion.* ⁶ When he was now not far from the house, the centurion sent friends to him, saying. .Lord, trouble not thyself; for I am not worthy that thou shouldst enter under my roof: ⁷ Wherefore neither thought I myself worthy to come unto thee: but say in a word, and my servant shall be healed.—LUKE, ch. 7.

4151. — Angelic. *Manoah said,* ¹⁵ I pray thee, let us. .ready a kid for thee. ¹⁶ The angel of the Lord said unto Manoah, Though thou detain me, I will not eat of thy bread: and if thou wilt offer a burnt offering, thou must offer it unto the Lord.—JUDGES, ch. 13.

4152. — Absence of. "Thou art." ²⁰ Another came, saying, Lord, behold, here is thy pound, which I have kept laid up in a napkin: ²¹ For I feared thee, because thou art an austere man.—LUKE, ch. 19.

4153. — — *Scribes.* ⁴⁶ Beware of the scribes, which desire to walk in long robes, and love greetings in the markets, and the highest seats in the synagogues, and the chief rooms at feasts.—LUKE, ch. 20.

4154. — Additional. *David.* ¹¹ David said to Abishai. .Behold, my son. .seeketh my life: how much more now may this Benjamite do it? let him alone, and let him curse. ¹² . .Shimei went along on the hill's side over against him,

and cursed as he went, and threw stones at him, and cast dust.—2 SAM., ch. 16.

4155. — Childlike. *Jeremiah.* ¹ I ordained thee a prophet unto the nations. ² Then said I, Ah, Lord God! behold, I cannot speak: for I am a child. ³ But the Lord said. .Say not, I am a child: for thou shalt go to all that I shall send thee, and whatsoever I command thee thou shalt speak.—JER., ch. 1.

4156. — Conspicuous. *Baptist.* ¹⁶ I indeed baptize you with water; but one mightier than I cometh, the latchet of whose shoes I am not worthy to unloose: he shall baptize you with the Holy Ghost and with fire.—LUKE, ch. 3.

4157. — Confession of. *Baptist.* ²⁸ I am not the Christ, but that I am sent before him. ²⁹ He that hath the bride is the bridegroom: but the friend of the bridegroom. .rejoiceth greatly because of the bridegroom's voice: this my joy therefore is fulfilled. ³⁰ He must increase, but I must decrease.—JOHN, ch. 3.

4158. — Condescending. *Divine.* ¹¹ The angel of God called to Hagar out of heaven, and said. .What aileth thee, Hagar? fear not; for God hath heard the voice of the lad where he is.—GEN., ch. 21. [The first appearance of the angel of the Lord was to an outcast female slave.]

4159. — Devotional. *Publican.* ¹³ The publican, standing afar off, would not lift up so much as his eyes unto heaven, but smote upon his breast, saying, God be merciful to me a sinner. ¹⁴ . .this man went down to his house justified rather than the other.—LUKE, ch. 18.

4160. — Complete. *Canaanite woman.* ²² Lord, help me. ²³ But he answered and said, It is not meet to take the children's bread and to cast it to dogs. ²⁴ And she said, Truth, Lord: yet the dogs eat of the crumbs which fall from their masters' table.—MAT., ch. 15.

4161. — Display of. *Peter.* ⁸ Peter saith. .Thou shalt never wash my feet. Jesus answered him, If I wash thee not, thou hast no part with me.—JOHN, ch. 13.

4162. — Example of. *Jesus.* ⁴ Took a towel, and girded himself. ⁶ After that he poured water into a basin, and began to wash the disciples' feet, and to wipe them. .the towel.—JOHN, ch. 13.

4163. — Greatness by. *Child.* ¹ Jesus called a little child. .and set him in the midst of them, ² And said. .Except ye be converted, and become as little children, ye shall not enter into the kingdom of heaven. ⁴ Whosoever. .shall humble himself as this little child, the same is greatest in the kingdom of heaven.—MAT., ch. 18.

4164. — Honoured. *Abram.* ³ Abram fell on his face: and God talked with him, saying, ⁴ . .my covenant is with thee, and thou shalt be a father of many nations.—GEN., ch. 17.

4165. — before Honour. *Proverb.* ¹⁹ Before destruction the heart of man is haughty; and before honour is humility.—PROV., ch. 18.

4166. — in Heaven. "Covered Face." ³ The seraphim: each one had six wings; with twain he covered his face, and with twain. .his feet, and with twain he did fly.—ISA., ch. 6.

4167. — Incarnate. *Jesus.* ¹ She brought forth her firstborn son, and wrapped him in

swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger.—*LUKE*, ch. 2.

4168. — *Intellectual. David.* ¹ Lord, my heart is not haughty, nor mine eyes lofty: neither do I exercise myself in great matters, or in things too high for me. ² Surely I have behaved and quieted myself, as a child that is weaned of his mother.—*PS.* 131.

4169. — *Impulsive. Peter.* ³ He fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, Depart from me; for I am a sinful man, O Lord. ⁴ For he was astonished, and all that were with him, at the draught of the fishes.—*LUKE*, ch. 5.

4170. — *Joyful. Apostles.* ⁴⁰ And when they had beaten them, they commanded that they should not speak in the name of Jesus, and let them go. ⁴¹ And they departed from the presence of the council, rejoicing that they were counted worthy to suffer for his name.—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

4171. — *for Leadership. Gideon.* ¹⁴ Thou shalt save Israel from the hand of the Midianites: have not I sent thee? ¹⁵ And he said. . . O my Lord, wherewith shall I save Israel? behold, my family is poor in Manasseh, and I am the least in my father's house. ¹⁶ And the Lord said. . . Surely I will be with thee.—*JUDGES*, ch. 6.

4172. — *manifested. Baptist.* ¹³ Then cometh Jesus. . . unto John, to be baptized of him. ¹⁴ But John forbade him, saying, I have need to be baptized of thee, and comest thou to me?—*MAT.*, ch. 3.

4173. — *mitigates Punishment. Rehoboam.* ⁵ Ye have forsaken me, and therefore have I also left you in the hand of Shishak. ⁶ Whereupon the princes of Israel and the king humbled themselves; and they said, The Lord is righteous.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 12. [God gave "some deliverance."]]

4174. — *Ministerial. Paul.* ¹ Neither is he that planteth any thing, neither he that watereth; but God that giveth the increase.—*1 COR.*, ch. 3.

4175. — *in Prayer. Abraham.* ²⁷ Abraham. . . said, Behold now, I have taken upon me to speak unto the Lord, which am but dust and ashes: ²⁸ Peradventure there shall lack five of the fifty righteous.—*GEN.*, ch. 18.

4176. — *Jacob.* ⁹ Jacob said, O God of my father Abraham, and God of my father Isaac. . . ¹⁰ I am not worthy of the least of all the mercies, and of all the truth, which thou hast shewed unto thy servant; for with my staff I passed over this Jordan: and now I am become two bands.—*GEN.*, ch. 32.

4177. — *Penitential. Pardon.* ¹⁴ If my people. . . shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 7.

4178. — *Preservation by. From Darkness.* ¹⁴ Give glory to the Lord your God, before he cause darkness, and before your feet stumble upon the dark mountains, and, while ye look for light, he turn it into the shadow of death, and make it gross darkness. ¹⁷ But if ye will not hear it, my soul shall weep in secret places for your pride.—*JER.*, ch. 13.

4179. — *Captain.* ¹³ The third captain. . . fell on his knees before Elijah, and be-

sought him. . . O man of God, I pray thee, let my life, and the life of these fifty thy servants, be precious in thy sight. ¹⁴ Behold, there came fire down from heaven, and burnt up the two captains of the former fifties with their fifties.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 1.

4180. — *Public. Young Ruler.* ¹⁷ Into the way, there came one running, and kneeled to him, and asked him, Good Master, what shall I do that I may inherit eternal life?—*MARK*, ch. 5.

4181. — *Royal. Solomon.* In Gibeon the Lord appeared to Solomon in a dream by night. . . said, Ask what I shall give thee. ¹ And now, O Lord my God, thou hast made thy servant king. . . and I am but a little child: I know not how to go out or come in. ² Give therefore thy servant an understanding heart to judge thy people, that I may discern between good and bad.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 3.

4182. — *required. "Walk Humbly."* ¹ Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, or with ten thousands of rivers of oil? shall I give. . . the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul? ² . . . what doth the Lord require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God?—*MICAH*, ch. 6.

4183. — *regarded. Josiah.* ²¹ Because thine heart was tender, and thou didst humble thyself before God, when thou heardest his words against this place. . . and didst rend thy clothes, and weep before me; I have even heard thee also, saith the Lord.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 34.

4184. — *Surpassing. Jesus.* ⁶ Thought it not robbery to be equal with God: ⁷ But made himself of no reputation, and took upon him the form of a servant, and was made in the likeness of men: ⁸ . . . He humbled himself, and became obedient unto death, even the death of the cross.—*PHILIP.*, ch. 2.

4185. — *Surprise of. Saul.* ²⁰ On whom is all the desire of Israel? Is it not on thee. . . ²¹ And Saul answered. . . Am not I a Benjamite, of the smallest of the tribes of Israel? and my family the least of all the families of the tribe of Benjamin? wherefore then speakest thou so to me?—*1 SAM.*, ch. 9.

4186. — *Saved by. Ahab.* ²⁶ The word of the Lord came to Elijah. . . ²⁷ Seest thou how Ahab humbleth himself before me? because he humbleth himself before me, I will not bring the evil in his days: but in his son's days.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 21.

4187. — *Hezekiah.* ²⁶ Hezekiah humbled himself for the pride of his heart, both he and the inhabitants of Jerusalem, so that the wrath of the Lord came not upon them in the days of Hezekiah. ²⁷ And Hezekiah had exceeding much riches and honour: and he made himself treasures for silver, and for gold, and for precious stones, and for spices, and for shields, and for all manner of pleasant jewels; ²⁸ Storehouses also for the increase.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 32.

4188. — *in Social Life. Feast.* ¹⁰ When thou art bidden, go and sit down in the lowest room; that when he that bade thee cometh, he may say. . . Friend, go up higher: then shalt thou have worship in the presence of them that sit at meat with thee.—*LUKE*, ch. 14.

4189. — *Self-aborring.* *Job.* "I have heard of thee by the hearing of the ear; but now mine eye seeth thee: 'Wherefore I abhor myself, and repent in dust and ashes.—*JOB*, ch. 42.

4190. — *in Service.* "*Thy Pound.*" "He commanded these servants to be called...to whom he had given the money, that he might know how much every man had gained by trading. "Then came the first, saying, Lord, thy pound hath gained ten pounds.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

4191. — *Suitable.* *Prodigal.* "I will arise and go to my father, and will say, 'Father, I have sinned against heaven, and before thee, "And am no more worthy to be called thy son: make me as one of thy hired servants.—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

4192. — *in Supplication.* "*Kneeled.*" "There came a leper...beseeching him, and kneeling down...and saying...If thou wilt, thou canst make me clean. "And Jesus, moved with compassion, put forth his hand, and touched him.—*MAT.*, ch. 1.

4193. — *in Self-judgment.* "*Unprofitable.*" "Doth he thank that servant because he did the things that were commanded him? I trow not. "So likewise ye, when ye shall have done all those things which are commanded you, say, We are unprofitable servants: we have done that which was our duty to do.—*LUKE*, ch. 17.

4194. — *Teachable.* *Mary.* "She had a sister called Mary, which also sat at Jesus' feet, and heard his word.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

4195. — *Unambitious.* *Saul.* "The Lord answered, Behold, he hath hid himself among the stuff. "And they ran and fetched him thence: and...he was higher than any...from his shoulders and upward. "And Samuel said to all the people, See ye him whom the Lord hath chosen, that there is none like him among all the people? And all the people shouted...God save the king.—1 *SAM.*, ch. 10.

4196. — *of Worth.* *Olive Tree Parable.* "The trees went forth on a time to anoint a king over them; and they said unto the olive tree, Reign thou over us. "But the olive...unto them, Should I leave my fatness, wherewith by me they honour God and man, and go to be promoted over the trees?—*JUDGES*, ch. 9.

4197. — *Want of.* *Bramble.* "The bramble said unto the trees, If in truth ye anoint me king over you, then come and put your trust in my shadow; and if not, let fire come out of the bramble, and devour the cedars of Lebanon.—*JUDGES*, ch. 9.

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Womanly. Bring Vashti...show her beauty	5502

Christian. I made myself servant to all...gain the 1681

4198. *HUMILIATION accepted.* *Nineveh.* "Published through Nineveh by the decree of the king...Let neither man nor beast, herd nor flock, taste any thing: let them not feed, nor drink water: "But let man and beast be cov-

ered with sackcloth, and cry mightily unto God: yea, let them turn every one from his evil way... "Who can tell if God will turn and repent.—*JONAH*, ch. 3.

4199. — *confessed.* *Ezra.* "Said, O my God, I am ashamed and blush to lift up my face to thee, my God: for our iniquities are increased over our head, and our trespass is grown up unto the heavens. "Since the days of our fathers have we been in a great trespass unto this day.—*EZRA*, ch. 9.

4200. — *from Defeat.* *Joshua.* [Israel fled from the men of Ai.] "O Lord, what shall I say, when Israel turneth their backs before their enemies! "For the Canaanites and all the inhabitants of the land shall hear of it.—*JOSEPH*, ch. 7.

4201. — *exhibited.* *Job.* "He took him a potsherd to scrape himself withal; and he sat down among the ashes. "Then said his wife...Dost thou still retain thine integrity? curse God, and die.—*JOB*, ch. 2.

4202. — *National.* "*No Smith.*" "There was no smith found throughout all the land of Israel: for the Philistines said, Lest the Hebrews make them swords or spears: "But all...went down to the Philistines, to sharpen every man his share, and his coultter, and his axe, and his mattock.—1 *SAM.*, ch. 13.

4203. — *of Pride.* *Haman.* "Then took Haman the apparel and the horse, and arrayed Mordecai, and brought him on horseback through the street of the city, and proclaimed before him, Thus shall it be done unto the man whom the king delighteth to honour.—*ESTHER*, ch. 6.

4204. — *A painful.* *Wedding.* "When...to a wedding, sit not down in the highest room, lest a more honourable man than thou be bidden of him; "And he that bade thee and him...say to thee, Give this man place; and thou begin with shame to take the lowest room.—*LUKE*, ch. 14.

4205. — *Sincerity in.* *Warning.* "When ye fast, be not, as the hypocrites, of a sad countenance: for they disfigure their faces, that they may appear unto men to fast. "But...when thou fastest, anoint thine head, and wash thy face; "That thou appear not unto men to fast, but unto thy Father.—*MAT.*, ch. 6.

4206. — *by Sin.* *Prodigal.* "He sent him into his fields to feed swine. "And he would fain have filled his belly with the husks that the swine did eat: and no man gave... "he said, How many hired servants of my father's have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger!—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

4207. — *Use of.* *Paul.* "Lest I should be exalted above measure through the abundance of the revelations, there was given to me a thorn in the flesh, the messenger of Satan to buffet me, lest I should be exalted above measure.—2 *COR.*, ch. 12.

4208. — *by Weakness.* *Ezra.* "For I was ashamed to require of the king a band of soldiers and horsemen to help us against the enemy in the way: because we had spoken unto the king, saying, The hand of our God is upon all them for good that seek him; but his power and his wrath is against all them that forsake

him. ²² So we fasted, and besought our God for this : and he was entreated of us.—*Ezra*, ch. 8.

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4209. HUNGER, Appetizing. *Proverb.* ¹ The full soul loatheth an honeycomb ; but to the hungry soul every bitter thing is sweet.—*Prov.*, ch. 27.

4210. — demoralises. *Siege of Samaria.* ²⁰ So we boiled my son, and did eat him : and I said unto her on the next day, Give thy son, that we may eat him : and she hath hid her son.—*2 Kings*, ch. 6.

4211. — Disappointment in. *Jesus.* ¹⁸ In the morning, as he returned into the city, he hungered. ¹⁹ And when he saw a fig tree in the way, he came to it, and found nothing thereon but leaves.—*Mat.*, ch. 21.

4212. — from Fasting. *Jesus.* ² When he had fasted forty days and forty nights, he was afterward ahungered.—*Mat.*, ch. 4.

4213. — Inconsiderate. *"Blood."* ²¹ They smote the Philistines that day from Michmash to Aijalon : and the people were very faint. ²² And the people flew upon the spoil, and took sheep, and oxen, and calves, and slew them on the ground : and the people did eat them with the blood.—*1 Sam.*, ch. 14.

4214. — Impatience from. *Esau.* ²⁰ Esau said..Feed me..with that same red pottage ; for I am faint. ²¹ And Jacob said, Sell me this day thy birthright. ²² And Esau said, Behold, I am at the point to die : and what profit shall this birthright do to me? ²³..and he sold his birthright unto Jacob.—*Gen.*, ch. 25.

4215. — Lawful to appease. *Sabbath.* ¹ Jesus went on the sabbath day through the corn : and his disciples were ahungered, and began to pluck the ears of corn, and to eat.—*Mat.*, ch. 12.

4216. — Murmuring from. *Wilderness.* ³ Would to God we had died by the hand of the Lord in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the flesh pots, and when we did eat bread to the full ; for ye have brought us forth into this wilderness, to kill this whole assembly with hunger.—*Ex.*, ch. 16.

4217. — overcome. *Zeal.* [Disciples returned to Jacob's well with food.] ²¹ His disciples prayed him, saying, Master, eat. ²² But he said, I have meat to eat that ye know not of.—*John*, ch. 4.

4218. — removed. *Bread of Life.* ²² Jesus said..I am the bread of life : he that cometh to me shall never hunger ; and he that believeth on me shall never thirst.—*John*, ch. 6.

4219. — Subdued by. *Prodigal.* ¹⁶ And he would fain have filled his belly with the husks that the swine did eat : and no man gave unto him. ¹⁷ And when he came to himself, he said, How many hired servants of my father's have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger ! ¹⁸ I will arise and go to my father.—*Luke*, ch. 15.

4220. — Temptation with. *Jesus.* [See above.] ³ When the tempter came to him, he said, If thou be the Son of God, command that these stones be made bread.—*Mat.* ch. 4.

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4221. HUSBAND, An accusing. Adam. ¹² The man said, The woman whom thou gavest to be with me, she gave me of the tree, and I did eat.—GEN., ch. 3.

4222. — Agreement with. Jacob. ¹⁴ Rachel and Leah answered..Is there yet any portion or inheritance for us in our father's house? ¹⁵ Are we not counted of him strangers? for he hath sold us.. ¹⁶..all the riches which God hath taken from our father, that is ours, and our children's: now then, whatsoever God hath said unto thee, do.—GEN., ch. 31.

4223. — betrayed. Samson. ¹⁶ Samson's wife wept before him, and said, Thou dost but hate me, and lovest me not: thou hast put forth a riddle unto..my people, and hast not told it me. And he said..Behold, I have not told it my father nor my mother, and shall I tell it thee? ¹⁷ And she wept before him the seven days, while their feast lasted: and..on the seventh day..he told her, because she lay sore upon him, and she told the riddle.—JUDGES, ch. 14.

4224. — Claim upon. Wife. ²² Adam said, This is now bone of my bones, and flesh of my flesh: she shall be called Woman, because she was taken out of man. ²⁴ Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and cleave unto his wife: and they shall be one flesh.—GEN., ch. 2.

4225. — corrupted. Joram. ¹⁸ He walked..as did the house of Ahab; for the daughter of Ahab was his wife: and he did evil in the sight of the Lord.—2 KINGS, ch. 8.

4226. — badly counselled. Haman. ¹⁴ Said Zeresh his wife and all his friends..Let a gallows be made of fifty cubits high, and to-morrow speak thou unto the king that Mordecai may be hanged thereon..and he caused the gallows to be made.—ESTHER, ch. 5.

4227. — counselled to Sin. Job. ⁹ Then said his wife unto him, Dost thou still retain thine integrity? curse God, and die. ¹⁰ But he said unto her, Thou speakest as one of the foolish women speaketh. What? shall we receive good at the hand of God, and shall we not re-

ceive evil? In all this did not Job sin with his lips.—JOB, ch. 2.

4228. — Grief of. Michal. ¹⁶ Ishbosheth..took her from her husband, even from Phaltiel.. ¹⁶ And her husband went with her along weeping behind her to Bahurim. Then said Abner unto him, Go, return. And he returned.—2 SAM., ch. 3.

4229. — A noble. Elkanah. ⁸ Said Elkanah her husband to her, Hannah, why weepest thou? and why eatest thou not? and why is thy heart grieved? am not I better to thee than ten sons?—1 SAM., ch. 1.

4230. — Rule of. Adam. ¹⁶ Unto the woman he said..in sorrow thou shalt bring forth children; and thy desire shall be to thy husband, and he shall rule over thee.—GEN., ch. 3.

4231. — — Persians. [Vashti rebelled against her royal husband.] ²² He sent letters into all the king's provinces..that every man should bear rule in his own house, and that it should be published.—ESTHER, ch. 1.

4232. — ridiculed. David. ²⁰ David returned to bless his household. And Michal..came out to meet David, and said, How glorious was the king of Israel to day, who uncovered himself..in the eyes of the handmaids of his servants, as one of the vain fellows shamelessly uncovereth himself.—2 SAM., ch. 6.

4233. — saved. David. ¹¹ Saul also sent messengers..to watch him, and to slay him in the morning: and Michal David's wife told him, saying, If thou save not thy life to night, to-morrow thou shalt be slain. ¹² So Michal let David down through a window: and he went, and fled, and escaped. ¹³ And Michal took an image, and laid it in the bed.—1 SAM., ch. 19.

4234. — An unworthy. Nabal. ³ The name of the man was Nabal, and the name of his wife Abigail; and she was a woman of good understanding, and of a beautiful countenance: but the man was churlish and evil in his doings.—1 SAM., ch. 25.

4235. HUSBANDS, Five. At Jacob's Well. ¹⁷ Jesus said, Thou hast well said, I have no husband: ¹⁸ For thou hast had five husbands, and he whom thou now hast, is not thy husband.—JOHN, ch. 4.

4236. — Two. Saul's Daughter. ¹⁴ David sent messengers to Ish-bosheth Saul's son, saying, Deliver me my wife Michal, which I espoused to me for a hundred foreskins of the Philistines. ¹⁵ And Ish-bosheth sent, and took her from her husband, even from Phaltiel.—2 SAM., ch. 3.

4237. HYPOCRITE, An expert. Jacob. ¹⁹ Jacob said unto his father, I am Esau thy first-born; I have done according as thou badeest me: arise, I pray thee, sit and eat of my venison, that thy soul may bless me.—GEN., ch. 27.

4238. — Hope of. "Spider's Web." ¹¹ Can the rush grow up without mire? can the flag grow without water? ¹² Whilst it is yet in his greenness, and not cut down, it withereth before any other herb. ¹³ So are the paths of all that forget God; and the hypocrite's hope shall perish: ¹⁴ Whose hope shall be cut off, and whose trust shall be a spider's web.—JOB, ch. 8.

4239. HYPOCRITES characterised. Pharisees. ²³ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees,

hypocrites ! for ye pay tithe of mint and anise and cummin, and have omitted the weightier matters of the law, judgment, mercy, and faith.—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

4240. — in the Church. *Tares*. ³⁰ The field is the world, the tares are the children of the wicked one; ³¹ The enemy that sowed them is the devil; the harvest is the end of the world; and the reapers are the angels. ⁴⁰ As therefore the tares are gathered and burned in the fire.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

4241. — The Chief of. *Judas*. ⁴¹ Judas, one of the twelve, went before them, and drew near unto Jesus to kiss him. ⁴⁶ But Jesus said . . . Judas, betrayest thou the Son of man with a kiss?—*LUKE*, ch. 22.

4242. — cut off. *Israelites*. ³⁰ Ye dissembled in your hearts, when ye sent me unto the Lord, saying, Pray for us unto the Lord our God. . . ³³ Now therefore know certainly that ye shall die by the sword, by the famine, and by the pestilence, in the place whither ye desire to go.—*JER.*, ch. 42.

4243. — Condemnation of. *Harlots*. ³¹ The publicans and the harlots go into the kingdom of God before you. ³² For John came unto you in the way of righteousness, and ye believed him not; but the publicans and the harlots believed him; and ye, when ye had seen *it*, repented not afterward, ye might believe him.—*MAT.*, ch. 21.

4244. — Disguised. *Wolves*. ¹⁵ Beware of false prophets, which come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ravening wolves. ¹⁶ Ye shall know them by their fruits.—*MAT.*, ch. 7.

4245. — described. *Scribes*. ⁴⁶ Beware of the scribes, which desire to walk in long robes, and love greetings in the markets, and the highest seats in the synagogues, and the chief rooms at feasts; ⁴⁷ Which devour widows' houses, and for a shew make long prayers: the same shall receive greater damnation.—*LUKE*, ch. 20.

4246. — silenced. *Adulterers*. ¹ He that is without sin among you, let him first cast a stone at her. ² And again he stooped down, and wrote on the ground. ³ And they which heard *it*, being convicted by *their own* conscience, went out one by one, beginning at the eldest, even unto the last.—*JOHN*, ch. 8.

4247. HYPOCRISY in Benevolence. *Judas*. ¹ Why was not this ointment sold for three hundred pence, and given to the poor? ² This he said, not that he cared for the poor; but because he was a thief, and had the bag.—*JOHN*, ch. 12.

4248. — A Conspirator's. *Absalom*. ¹ Absalom said unto the king, I pray thee, let me go and pay my vow, which I have vowed unto the Lord, in Hebron. . . ¹² And the conspiracy was strong; for the people increased continually with Absalom.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 15.

4249. — Concealment of. *Graves*. ⁴⁴ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites ! for ye are as graves which appear not, and the men that walk over *them* are not aware of *them*.—*LUKE*, ch. 11.

4250. — Conservative. *Peter*. ¹⁸ Before that certain came from James, he did eat with

the Gentiles : but when they were come, he withdrew and separated himself, fearing them which were of the circumcision. ¹³ And the other Jews dissembled likewise with him. . . Barnabas also was carried away with their dissimulation.—*GAL.*, ch. 2.

4251. — despised. *Jews*. ³¹ I hate, I despise your feast days, and I will not smell in your solemn assemblies. ³² Though ye offer me burnt offerings, and your meat offerings, I will not accept *them*; neither will I regard the peace offerings of your fat beasts. ³³ Take thou away from me the noise of thy songs; for I will not hear the melody of thy viols. ³⁴ But let judgment run down as waters, and righteousness as a mighty stream.—*AMOS*, ch. 5.

4252. — denounced. *Woe*. ¹⁴ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites ! for ye devour widows' houses, and for a pretence make long prayer : therefore ye shall receive the greater damnation. ¹⁵ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites ! for ye compass sea and land to make one proselyte ; and when he is made, ye make him twofold more the child of hell than yourselves.—*MAT.*, ch. 23. [See No. 4239.]

4253. — discovered. *Ananias*. ³ Peter said, Ananias, why hath Satan filled thine heart to lie to the Holy Ghost, and to keep back *part* of the price of the land?—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

4254. — Fear of. *Paul*. ³⁸ When Saul was come to Jerusalem, he assayed to join himself to the disciples : but they were all afraid of him, and believed not that he was a disciple.—*ACTS*, ch. 9.

4255. — falsely charged. *Eliphaz to Job*. ⁵ But now it is come upon thee, and thou faintest . . . ⁶ Is not *this* thy fear, thy confidence, thy hope, and the uprightness of thy ways? ⁷ Remember, I pray thee, who *ever* perished, being innocent? or where were the righteous cut off?—*JOB*, ch. 4.

4256. — in Fault-finding. *"Mote"*. ⁴ How wilt thou say to thy brother, Let me pull out the mote out of thine eye ; and, behold, a beam is in thine own eye? ⁵ Thou hypocrite, first cast out the beam out of thine own eye ; and then shalt thou see clearly to cast out the mote out of thy brother's eye.—*MAT.*, ch. 7.

4257. — Heartless. *Pharisees*. ⁶ Well hath Esaias prophesied of you hypocrites, as it is written, This people honoureth me with *their* lips, but their heart is far from me. ⁷ Howbeit in vain do they worship me, teaching for doctrine the commandments of men.—*MAR.*, ch. 7.

4258. — Outwardness of. *Pots and Cups*. ⁶ Laying aside the commandment of God, ye hold the tradition of men, as the washing of pots and cups : and many other such like things ye do. ⁹ And he said unto them, Full well ye reject the commandment of God, that ye may keep your own tradition.—*MAR.*, ch. 7.

4259. — Official. *Pilate*. ¹⁴ When Pilate saw that he could prevail nothing, but that rather a tumult was made, he took water, and washed *his* hands before the multitude, saying, I am innocent of the blood of this just person : see ye to *it*.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

4260. — *Prevalence of. Latter Times.* ¹ The Spirit speaketh expressly, that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils; ² Speaking lies in hypocrisy; having their conscience seared with a hot iron.—1 TIM., ch. 4.

4261. — *Pharisaic. Tribute.* ¹⁵ The Pharisees..they might entangle him in his talk. ¹⁶ Sent..their disciples with the Herodians, saying, Master, we know that thou..teachest the way of God in truth, neither carest thou for any man. ¹⁷ Tell us, therefore, What thinkest thou? Is it lawful to give tribute unto Cesar, or not? ¹⁸..Why tempt ye me, ye hypocrites?—MAT., ch. 22.

4262. — *punished. Ananias.* ⁸ Peter answered..Tell me whether ye sold the land for so much? And she said, Yea, for so much. ⁹ Then Peter said..How is it that ye have agreed together to tempt the Spirit of the Lord? behold, the feet of them which have buried thy husband are at the door, and shall carry thee out. ¹⁰ Then fell she down straightway.—ACTS, ch. 5.

4263. — *Revengeful. Joab.* ⁸ Joab said to Amasa, Art thou in health, my brother? And Joab took Amasa by the beard with the right hand to kiss him. ¹⁰ Amasa took no heed to the sword that was in Joab's hand: so he smote him therewith in the fifth rib, and shed out his bowels to the ground.—2 SAM., ch. 20.

4264. — *rebuked. Sabbath.* ¹⁵ Thou hypocrite, doth not each one of you on the sabbath loose his ox or his ass from the stall, and lead him away to watering? ¹⁶ And ought not this woman, being a daughter of Abraham, whom Satan hath bound, lo, these eighteen years, be loosed from this bond on the sabbath day? ¹⁷ And..all his adversaries were ashamed.—LUKE, ch. 13.

4265. — *Royal. Herod.* ¹ Herod, when he had privily called the wise men, inquired of them diligently what time the star appeared. ² And he sent them to Bethlehem, and said, Go and search diligently for the young child; and when ye have found him, bring me word again, that I may come and worship him also.—MAT., ch. 2.

4266. — *Shameful. Jacob.* ¹⁶ She put the skins of the kids of the goats upon his hands, and upon the smooth of his neck: ¹⁷ And she gave the savoury meat. ¹⁸ And Isaac said unto his son, How is it that thou hast found it so quickly, my son? And he said, Because the Lord thy God brought it to me.—GEN., ch. 27.

4267. — *Zeal in. Children.* ¹⁶ Then answered all the people, and said, His blood be on us, and on our children. ¹⁸ Then released he Barabbas unto them: and when he had scourged Jesus, he delivered him to be crucified.—MAT., ch. 27.

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4268. *ICONOCLAST, A pious. Josiah.* [See 2 Kings, ch. 23.]

4269. *IDENTIFICATION, Spiritual. Dove.* ²⁵ I knew him not: but he that sent me to baptize with water, the same said unto me, Upon whom thou shalt see the Spirit descending and remaining on him, the same is he which baptizeth with the Holy Ghost.—JOHN, ch. 1.

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4270. *IDLENESS, Accusation of. Pharaoh.* ¹⁶ There is no straw given unto thy servants, and they say to us, Make brick: and behold, thy servants are beaten; but the fault is in thine own people. ¹⁷ But he said, Ye are idle, ye are idle: therefore ye say, Let us go, and do sacrifice to the Lord.—EX., ch. 5.

4271. — *Estatic. Ascension.* ¹⁰ While they looked steadfastly toward heaven as he went up, behold, two men stood by them in white apparel; ¹¹ Which also said, Ye men of Galilee, why stand ye gazing up into heaven?—ACTS, ch. 1.

4272. — *Needless. Eleventh Hour.* ⁶ About the eleventh hour he..found others standing idle, and saith..Why stand ye here all the day idle? ⁷ They say..Because no man hath hired us. He saith..Go ye also into the vineyard.—MAT., ch. 20.

4273. — *Perishing in. Four Lepers.* ³ Why sit we here until we die? ⁴ If we say, We will enter into the city, then the famine is in the city, and we shall die there: and if we sit still here, we die also..let us fall unto the host of the Syrians: if they save us alive, we shall live; and if they kill us, we shall but die.—2 KINGS, ch. 7.

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4274. **IDOL**, The chosen. *Young Ruler*. "One thing thou lackest: go thy way, sell whatsoever thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven: and come, take up the cross, and follow me." "And he was sad at that saying, and went away grieved: for he had great possessions.—**MARK**, ch. 10.

4275. **IDOLATRY**, Folly of. *Powerless*. "Their idols are silver and gold, the work of men's hands. 'They have mouths, but they speak not: eyes have they, but they see not: 'They have ears, but they hear not: noses have they, but they smell not: 'They have hands, but they handle not: feet have they, but they walk not: neither speak they through their throat. 'They that make them are like unto them; so is every one that trusteth in them.—**PS.** 115.

4276. ——— *Manufacture*. [See Isaiah, ch. 44: 9-17.]

4277. ——— *To Amaziah*. "He sent unto him a prophet, which said...Why hast thou sought after the gods of the people, which could not deliver their own people out of thine hand? —**2 CHRON.**, ch. 25.

4278. ——— *of Self*. *Prince of Tyrus*. "Thus saith the Lord God; Because thine heart is lifted up, and thou hast said, I am a god, I sit in the seat of God, in the midst of the seas; and yet thou art a man, and not God.—**EZEK.**, ch. 28.

4279. ——— *the State Religion*. *Jeroboam*. "The king took counsel, and made two calves of gold, and said unto them, It is too much for you to go up to Jerusalem: behold thy gods, O Israel, which brought thee up out of the land of Egypt. "And he set the one in Bethel, and the other...in Dan.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 12.

4280. ——— *in the Sanctuary*. *Manasseh*. "He set a graven image of the grove...in the house...in Jerusalem, which I have chosen out of all the tribes of Israel, will I put my name for ever.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 21.

4281. ——— *Sacrifices for*. *Calif*. "All the people brake off the golden earrings which were in their ears, and brought them unto Aaron. "And he received them at their hand, and fashioned it with a graving tool, after he had made it a molten calf.—**EX.**, ch. 32.

4282. ——— *Unreasonableness of*. *Paul said*, "In him we live, and move, and have our being; as certain also of your own poets have said, For we are also his offspring. "Forasmuch then as we are the offspring of God, we ought not to think that the Godhead is like unto gold, or silver, or stone, graven by art and man's device.—**ACTS**, ch. 17.

4283. **IDOLATER**, A strange. *Solomon*. "Then did Solomon build a high place for Chemosh, the abomination of Moab, and for Molech, the abomination of the children of Ammon. "And likewise did he for all his strange wives, which

burnt incense and sacrificed unto their gods.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 11.

4284. **IDOLATERS** punished. *At Sinai*. "Thus saith the Lord...Put every man his sword by his side, and go in and out from gate to gate throughout the camp, and slay every man his brother, and every man his companion, and every man his neighbour. "And the children of Levi did...and there fell...about three thousand men.—**EX.**, ch. 32.

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4285. **IGNORANCE**, Blind. *Gentiles*. "Gentiles walk, in the vanity of their minds, "Having the understanding darkened, being alienated from the life of God through the ignorance that is in them, because of the blindness of their heart.—**EPH.**, ch. 4.

4286. ——— *The Backslider's*. *Samson*. "She said, The Philistines be upon thee, Samson. And he awoke out of his sleep, and said, I will go out as at other times before, and shake myself. And he wist not that the Lord was departed from him.—**JUDGES**, ch. 16.

4287. ——— *Biblical*. *Sadducees*. [See No. 4295.]

4288. ——— *Conscientious*. *Persecutors*. "They shall put you out of the synagogues: yea, the time cometh, that whosoever killeth you will think that he doeth God service.—**JOHN**, ch. 16.

4289. ——— *Criminal*. *Peter said*, "I wot that through ignorance ye did it, as did also your rulers...Repent ye therefore, and be converted.—**ACTS**, ch. 3.

4290. ——— *Dangers of*. *Conspiracy*. "With Absalom went two hundred men out of Jerusalem, that were called; and they went in their simplicity, and they knew not any thing.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 15.

4291. ——— *At Thessalonica*. "The Jews...moved with envy, took unto them certain lewd fellows of the baser sort, and gathered a company, and set all the city on an uproar, and assaulted the house of Jason, and sought to bring them out to the people.—**ACTS**, ch. 17.

4292. ——— *The Doubter's*. "The Way." "Whither I go ye know, and the way ye know. "Thomas saith...Lord, we know not whither thou goest; and how can we know the way?—**JOHN**, ch. 14.

4293. ——— *Disappointment by*. *Wilderness of Zin*. "Wherefore have ye made us to come up out of Egypt, to bring us in unto this evil place? it is no place of seed, or of figs, or of vines, or of pomegranates; neither is there any water to drink.—**NUM.**, ch. 20.

4294. ——— *by Darkness*. *Hatred*. "He that hateth his brother is in darkness, and walketh in darkness, and knoweth not whither he goeth, because that darkness hath blinded his eyes.—**1 JOHN**, ch. 2.

4295. ——— *Errors from*. *Sadducees*. "Whose wife shall she be of the seven? for they all had her. "Jesus answered...Ye do err, not knowing the Scriptures, nor the power of God. "For in the resurrection they neither marry, nor are given in marriage, but are as the angels of God in heaven.—**MAT.**, ch. 22.

4296. — *False. Proverb.* ¹² If thou sayest, Behold, we knew it not; doth not he that pondereth the heart consider it? and he that keepeth thy soul, doth not he know it? and shall not he render to every man according to his works?—*PROV.*, ch. 24.

4297. — — *Peter.* ⁶⁷ When she saw Peter warming himself, she looked upon him, and said, And thou also wast with Jesus of Nazareth. ⁶⁸ But he denied, saying, I know not, neither understand I what thou sayest.—*MAR.*, ch. 14.

4298. — *Intentional. Selfish.* ¹³ Whoso stoppeth his ears at the cry of the poor, he also shall cry himself, but shall not be heard.—*PROV.*, ch. 21.

4299. — *Ignorant of. Pharisees.* ⁴⁰ Some of the Pharisees, heard these words, and said, Are we blind also? ⁴¹ Jesus said, If ye were blind, ye should have no sin: but now ye say, We see; therefore your sin remaineth.—*JOHN*, ch. 9.

4300. — *of Jesus. Apostles.* ³ That night they caught nothing. ⁴ But when the morning was now come, Jesus stood on the shore; but the disciples knew not that it was Jesus.—*JOHN*, ch. 20.

4301. — *Justification of. Ahimelech.* [He helped David when escaping from Saul.] ¹⁴ Ahimelech answered the king, who is so faithful, as David, which is the king's son in law, and goeth at thy bidding, and is honourable in thine house? ¹⁵ Did I then begin to inquire of God for him? be it far from me: let not the king impute any thing unto his servant, for thy servant knew nothing of all this, less or more.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 22.

4302. — *and Knowledge. Ox.* ²² But if the ox were wont to push with his horn in time past, and it hath been testified to his owner, and he hath not kept him in, but that he hath killed a man or a woman; the ox shall be stoned, and his owner also shall be put to death.—*EX.*, ch. 21.

4303. — *Loss by. Word.* ¹⁹ When any one heareth the word of the kingdom, and understandeth it not, then cometh the wicked one, and catcheth away that which was sown in his heart. This is he which received seed by the way-side.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

4304. — *manifested. At Jacob's Well.* ¹⁰ Jesus answered and said unto her, If thou knewest the gift of God, and who it is that saith to thee, Give me to drink; thou wouldst have asked of him, and he would have given thee living water. ¹¹ The woman saith unto him, Sir, thou hast nothing to draw with, and the well is deep: from whence then hast thou that living water?—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

4305. — *Mitigation of. Paul.* ¹⁸ I thank Christ Jesus our Lord, that he counted me faithful, putting me into the ministry; ¹⁹ Who was before a blasphemer, and a persecutor, and injurious: but I obtained mercy, because I did it ignorantly in unbelief.—*1 TIM.*, ch. 1.

4306. — — *Gentiles.* ²⁸ And the times of this ignorance God winked at; but now commandeth all men every where to repent: ²⁹ Because he hath appointed a day, judge the world.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

4307. — *of Opportunity. Jerusalem.* ⁴² Thine enemies shall cast a trench, and compass thee round, and keep thee in on every side, ⁴³ And shall lay thee even with the ground, and thy children within thee; and they shall not leave in thee one stone upon another; because thou knewest not the time of thy visitation.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

4308. — *Poisoned through. "Gourds."* ²⁹ One went out into the field to gather herbs, and found a wild vine, and gathered thereof wild gourds his lap full, and came and shred them into the pot of pottage: for they knew them not. ³⁰ As they were eating of the pottage, they cried out, and said, There is death in the pot.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 4.

4309. — *of Privilege. Woman of Samaria.* ¹⁰ Jesus said, If thou knewest the gift of God, and who it is that saith to thee, Give me to drink, thou wouldst have asked of him, and he would have given thee living water. ¹¹ The woman saith, Sir, thou hast nothing to draw with, and the well is deep: from whence then hast thou that living water?—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

4310. — *A pretended. Joseph's Coat.* ²³ They sent the coat of many colours, to their father; and said, This have we found: know now whether it be thy son's coat or no. ²⁴ And he knew it, and said, It is my son's coat; an evil beast hath devoured him.—*GEN.*, ch. 37.

4311. — *in Prayer. Mother of John and James.* ²¹ Grant that these my two sons may sit, the one on thy right hand, and the other on the left, in thy kingdom. ²² But Jesus answered, Ye know not what ye ask. Are ye able to drink of the cup that I shall drink of?—*MAT.*, ch. 20.

4312. — *Sorrow from. Two Angels.* ¹³ Woman, why weepest thou? She saith unto them, Because they have taken away my Lord, and I know not where they have laid him.—*JOHN*, ch. 20.

4313. — *Spiritual. At Ephesus.* ¹ Finding certain disciples, ² He said, Have ye received the Holy Ghost since ye believed? And they said, We have not so much as heard whether there be any Holy Ghost. ³ And he said, Unto what then were ye baptized? And they said, Unto John's baptism.—*ACTS*, ch. 19.

4314. — *Superstitious. Heathen.* ⁴ When the barbarians saw the venomous beast hang on his hand, they said, No doubt this man is a murderer, whom, though he hath escaped the sea, yet vengeance suffereth not to live.—*ACTS*, ch. 28.

4315. — *Sins of. Sacrifice.* ²¹ If any one of the common people sin through ignorance, while he doeth somewhat against any of the commandments of the Lord, and be guilty; ²² Or if his sin come to his knowledge; then he shall bring his offering, a kid of the goats, a female without blemish.—*LEV.*, ch. 4.

4316. — *of Transgression. Robbery.* ⁷ Ye are gone away from mine ordinances, and have not kept them. Return unto me, and I will return unto you, saith the Lord of hosts. But ye said, Wherein shall we return? ⁸ Will a man rob God? Yet ye have robbed me. But ye say, Wherein have we robbed thee? In tithes and offerings.—*MAL.*, ch. 3.

4317. — A temporary. *Disciples.* ³³ They shall scourge him, and put him to death; and the third day he shall rise again. ³⁴ And they understood none of these things: and this saying was hid from them.—*LUKE*, ch. 18.

4318. — Unrelieved. *Ascension.* ⁶ They asked, Lord, wilt thou at this time restore again the kingdom to Israel? ⁷ And he said, It is not for you to know the times or the seasons, which the Father hath put in his own power.—*ACTS*, ch. 1.

4319. — in Worship. *At Athens.* [See No. 4320.]

4320. — of the Wise. *Athenians.* ²² Then Paul stood in the midst of Mars' hill, and said, Ye men of Athens, I perceive that in all things ye are too superstitious. ²³ For as I passed by, and beheld your devotions, I found an altar with this inscription, TO THE UNKNOWN GOD. Whom therefore ye ignorantly worship, him declare I unto you.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

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4321. ILLUSTRATION by Allegory. *Paul.* ²² Abraham had two sons, the one by a bond-maid, the other by a free woman. ²³ But he who was of the bondwoman was born after the flesh; but he of the free woman was by promise. ²⁴ Which things are an allegory: for these are the two covenants.—*GAL.*, ch. 4.

4322. — Effective. *Pharisees.* ³ Certain Pharisees besought him to dine with him: and he.. sat down to meat. ³⁸.. the Pharisee.. marvelled that he had not first washed before dinner. ³⁹ And the Lord said.. Now do ye Pharisees make clean the outside of the cup and the platter; but your inward part is full of ravening and wickedness.—*LUKE*, ch. 11.

4323. — from Nature. *Jesus.* ²⁰ Whereunto shall we liken the kingdom of God?... ³¹ It is like a grain of mustard seed, which.. is less than all the seeds that be in the earth: ³² But when it is sown, it groweth up, and becometh greater than all herbs, and shooteth out great branches; so that the fowls of the air may lodge under the shadow of it.—*MAT.*, ch. 4.

4324. — A striking. *Good Samaritan.* ²⁹ He, willing to justify himself, said.. And who is my neighbour? ³⁰ And Jesus.. said, A certain man went down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell among thieves, which stripped him of his raiment, and wounded him, and departed, leaving him half dead.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

4325 IMAGE, A golden. *Idol.* ¹ Nebuchadnezzar the king made an image of gold, whose height was threescore cubits, and the breadth thereof six cubits: he set it up.. in the province of Babylon.—*DAN.*, ch. 3.

4326. — God's. *Man.* ²⁶ Let us make man in our image, after our likeness: and let them have dominion.. over all the earth.. ²⁷ So God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him.—*GEN.*, ch. 1.

4327. — A mysterious. *Dream.* ³¹ This great image, whose brightness was excellent, stood before thee; and the form thereof was terrible. ³² This image's head was of fine gold, his breast and his arms of silver, his belly and his thighs of brass, ³³ His legs of iron, his feet part of iron and part of clay.—*DAN.*, ch. 2.

4328. — in the Temple. *Manasseh.* ⁷ He set a graven image of the grove that he had made in the house.. in Jerusalem, which I have chosen out of all the tribes of Israel, will I put my name for ever.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 21.

4329. IMAGES, Broken. *By Josiah.* ¹³ And the high places that were before Jerusalem.. which Solomon.. had builded for Ashtoreth.. and for Chemosh.. and for Milcom.. did the king defile. ¹⁴ And he brake in pieces the images, and cut down the groves, and filled their places with the bones of men.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 23.

4330. — Destruction of. *Canaanites.* ²² Then ye shall drive out all the inhabitants of the land from before you, and destroy all their pictures, and destroy all their molten images.—*NUM.*, ch. 33.

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4331. IMAGERY, Grand. David. ² The Lord is my rock, and my fortress, and my deliverer ; ³ The God of my rock ; in him will I trust : he is my shield, and the horn of my salvation, my high tower, and my refuge, my saviour.—2 SAM., ch. 22.

4332. IMAGINATION, Wicked. Antediluvians. ¹ God saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every imagination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually.—GEN., ch. 6.

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4333. IMITATION in Benevolence. "Do Likewise." ²³ A certain Samaritan..when he saw him, he had compassion on him, ²⁴ And went to him, and bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine..Then said Jesus..Go, and do thou likewise.—LUKE, ch. 10. [Also see No. 4324.]

4334. — of Childhood. "Greatest." ⁴ Who-soever therefore shall humble himself as this little child, the same is greatest in the kingdom of heaven.—MAT., ch. 18.

4335. — Sacrilegious. Incense. ²¹ As for the perfume which thou shalt make, ye shall not make to yourselves according to the composition thereof : it shall be unto thee holy for the Lord. ²² Whosoever shall make like unto that, to smell thereto, shall even be cut off from his people.—EX., ch. 30.

4336. — Unholy. Exorcists. ¹² The evil spirits went out of them. ¹³ Then certain of the vagabond Jews, exorcists, took upon them to call over them which had evil spirits the name of the Lord Jesus, saying, We adjure you by Jesus whom Paul preacheth.—ACTS, ch. 19.

4337. — Vicious. Lying. ⁴⁴ Ye are of your father the devil, and the lusts of your father ye will do : he was a murderer from the beginning, and abode not in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When he speaketh a lie, he speaketh of his own : for he is a liar, and the father of it.—JOHN, ch. 8

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4338. IMPATIENCE, Advice of. Jesus' Brethren. ² The Jews' feast of tabernacles was at hand. ³ His brethren therefore said..Depart hence, and go into Judea, that thy disciples also may see the works.. ⁵ For neither did his brethren believe in him.—JOHN, ch. 7.

4339. — Counsels of. Job's Wife. ⁹ Dost thou still retain thine integrity? curse God, and die. ¹⁰ But he said..Thou speakest as one of the foolish women speaketh.—JOB, ch. 2.

4340. — Foolish. Golden Calf. ¹ When the people saw that Moses delayed to come down out of the mount..Up, make us gods, which shall go before us ; for as for this Moses, the man that brought us up out of the land of Egypt, we wot not what is become of him. ² And Aaron said unto them, Break off the golden earrings.—EX., ch. 32. [Three thousand executed.]

4341. — from Hunger. Esau. ²² Esau said, Behold, I am at the point to die : and what profit shall this birthright do to me? ²³..and he sold his birthright unto Jacob. ²⁴ Then Jacob gave Esau bread and pottage of lentiles.—GEN., ch. 25.

4342. — and Patience. David. ⁶ He cast stones at David, and at all the servants, and all the mighty men were on his right hand and on his left. ⁷ And thus said Shimei when he cursed, Come out, come out, thou bloody man, and thou man of Belial.. ⁹ Then said Abishai..Why should this dead dog curse my lord the king? let me go over, I pray thee, and take off his head.. ¹¹ And David said..Behold, my son..seeketh my life : how much more now may this Benjamite do it? let him alone, and let him curse.—2 SAM., ch. 16.

4343. — punished. Moses. ¹⁰ Hear now, ye rebels ; must we fetch you water out of this rock? ¹¹ And Moses..smote the rock twice : and the water came out abundantly.. ¹² And the Lord spake..Because ye believed me not, to sanctify me in the eyes of the children of Israel, therefore ye shall not bring this congregation into the land which I have given them.—NUM., ch. 20.

4344. — leads to Sin. Saul.—1 SAM., ch. 13. [The Lord took the kingdom from him.]

4345. — Unwise. Rachel. ¹ She bare Jacob no children, Rachel envied her sister :

and said unto Jacob, Give me children, or else I die. ¹⁸..as her soul was in departing, (for she died,)..she called his name Ben-oni: but his father called him Benjamin.—GEN., ch. 30.

4346. — from Weariness. Moses. ¹³ They weep unto me, saying, Give us flesh, that we may eat. ¹⁴ I am not able to bear all this people alone, because it is too heavy for me. ¹⁵ And if thou deal thus with me, kill me, I pray thee, out of hand, if I have found favour in thy sight; and let me not see my wretchedness.—NUM., ch. 11.

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4347. IMPENITENCE in Affliction. Ahaziah. Ahaziah fell down through a lattice in his upper chamber..and was sick: and he sent messengers, and said unto them, Go, inquire of Baal-zebub the god of Ekron whether I shall recover of this disease.—2 KINGS, ch. 1.

4348. — Hardened. Ahaziah. [See above.] Thus saith the Lord, Is it not because there is not a God in Israel, that thou sendest to inquire of Baal-zebub the god of Ekron? therefore thou shalt surely die. And he said..What manner of man was he which came up to meet you, and told you these words? And they answered him, He was a hairy man, and girt..about his loins. And he said, It is Elijah the Tishbite.—2 KINGS, ch. 1. [He sent soldiers to arrest Elijah. Fire consumed them.]

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4349. IMPERTINENCE rebuked. Peter. ¹¹ Be killed, and be raised again the third day. ¹² Then Peter..began to rebuke him, saying, Be it far from thee, Lord: this shall not be unto thee. ¹³ But he turned, and said unto Peter, Get thee behind me, Satan: thou art an offence unto me: for thou savourest not the things that be of God, but those that be of man.—JOHN, ch. 19.

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4350. IMPERFECTION overlooked. Jehu. ²⁸ From the sins of Jeroboam..Jehu departed not from them, to wit, the golden calves that were in Beth-el, and..Dan. ³⁰ And the Lord said unto Jehu, Because thou hast done well in executing that which is right in mine eyes, and hast done unto the house of Ahab according to all that was in mine heart, thy children of the fourth generation shall sit on the throne of Israel.—2 KINGS, ch. 10. [The calves were symbols of Jehovah the true God.]

4351. — rejected. Priesthood. ¹¹ That hath any blemish, let him not approach to offer the bread of his God. ¹³..a blind man, or a lame, or he that hath a flat nose, or any thing superfluous, ¹⁹ Or a man that is brokenfooted, or brokenhanded, ²⁰ Or crookbacked, or a dwarf, or that hath a blemish in his eye, or be scurvy, or scabbed.—LEV., ch. 21.

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4352. IMPOSTOR, Called an. Jesus. ¹² Some said, He is a good man : others said, Nay ; but he deceiveth the people.—JOHN, ch. 7. [At feast of the Passover.]

4353. — punished. Elymas. [At Paphos.] ⁶ Elymas the sorcerer..withstood them, seeking to turn away the deputy from the faith. ⁹ Then Saul..said.. ¹¹..the hand of the Lord is upon thee, and thou shalt be blind, not seeing the sun for a season. And immediately there fell on him a mist and a darkness ; and he went about seeking some to lead him by the hand.—ACTS, ch. 13.

4354. — Treated as an. Jesus. ¹¹ Herod with his men of war set him at nought, and mocked him, and arrayed him in a gorgeous robe, and sent him again to Pilate.—LUKE, ch. 23.

4355. IMPOSTORS exposed. Sons of Sceva. ¹⁴ There were seven sons of one Sceva..chief of the priests, which did so. ¹⁵ And the evil spirit answered..Jesus I know, and Paul I know ; but who are ye ? ¹⁶ And the man in whom the evil spirit was, leaped on them, and overcame them..so that they fled out of that house naked and wounded.—ACTS, ch. 19. [They tried to exorcise evil spirits in the name of Jesus.]

4356. — punished. Gibeonites. ²² Joshua called for them..Wherefore have ye beguiled us, saying, We are very far from you ; when ye dwell among us ? ²³..ye are cursed, and there shall none of you be freed from being bondmen, and hewers of wood and drawers of water for the house of my God.—JOSEPH, ch. 9. [They came

with old clothes and mouldy bread, as if long on the way.]

4357. IMPOSITION, A conjugal. Jacob. ²² In the morning, behold, it was Leah : and he said to Laban, What is this thou hast done unto me ? did not I serve with thee for Rachel ? wherefore then hast thou beguiled me ?—GEN., ch. 29.

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4358. IMPORTUNITY, Desperate. Jacob. ²⁵ When he saw that he prevailed not..he touched the hollow of his thigh ; and the..thigh was out of joint, as he wrestled with him. ²⁶ And he said, Let me go, for the day breaketh. And he said, I will not let thee go, except thou bless me.—GEN., ch. 32.

4359. — Power of. Prayer. ¹ Trouble me not : the door is now shut, and my children are with me in bed ; I cannot rise and give thee ? ²..Though he will not rise and give him, because he is his friend, yet because of his importunity he will rise and give him as many as he needeth.—LUKE, ch. 11.

4360. — in Prayer. "Unjust Judge." ² There was a widow in that city..saying, Avenge me of mine adversary. ⁴ And he would not for a while : but afterward he said within himself, Though I fear not God, nor regard man ; ⁵ Yet because this widow troubleth me, I will avenge her, lest by her continual coming she weary me.—LUKE, ch. 18.

4361. — tested. Canaanite. ²⁴ He answered..I am not sent but unto the lost sheep of the house of Israel. ²⁵ Then came she..saying, Lord, help me. ²⁶ But he answered..It is not meet to take the children's bread, and to cast it to dogs. ²⁷ And she said, Truth, Lord : yet the dogs eat of the crumbs which fall.. ²⁸ Then Jesus answered..her, O woman, great is thy faith : be it unto thee even as thou wilt.—MAT., ch. 15.

4362. — *undiscouraged. Blind Bartimeus.* "Sat by the highway side begging. " . . he began to cry out, and say, Jesus, thou Son of David, have mercy on me. " And many charged him that he should hold his peace : but he cried the more a great deal, Thou Son of David, have mercy on me. — *MARK*, ch. 10.

4363. — *Wearied by. Delilah.* " When she pressed him daily with her words, and urged him, so that his soul was vexed unto death ; " . . he told her all his heart. There hath not come a razor upon mine head ; for I have been a Nazirite. if I be shaven, then my strength will go from me. — *JUDGES*, ch. 16.

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4364. *IMPROVEMENT by Adversity. Jesus.* " After all that is come upon us for our evil deeds. . . seeing that thou our God hast punished us less than our iniquities deserve, and hast given us such deliverance as this ; " Should we again break thy commandments, and join in affinity with the people of these abominations ? — *EZRA*, ch. 9.

4365. — *or Loss. Jesus said.* " It is given unto you to know the mysteries of the kingdom of heaven, but to them it is not given. " For whosoever hath, to him shall be given, and he shall have more abundance : but whosoever hath not, from him shall be taken away even that he hath. — *MAT.*, ch. 13.

4366. — *necessary. Fig Tree.* " He came and sought fruit thereon, and found none. " Then said he unto the dresser. Behold, these three years I come seeking fruit on this fig tree, and find none : cut it down ; why cumbereth it the ground ? — *LUKE*, ch. 13.

4367. — *Responsibility for. Talent.* " Take therefore the talent from him, and give it unto him which hath ten talents. " . . but from him that hath not, shall be taken away even that which he hath. " And cast ye the unprofitable servant into outer darkness : there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth. — *MAT.*, ch. 25.

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4368. *IMPRUDENCE, Dangerous. Hezekiah.* " King of Babylon, sent letters and a present unto Hezekiah : for he. . . had been sick. " And Hezekiah. . . shewed them all. . . his precious things, the silver, and the gold, and the spices, and the precious ointment, and all the house of his armour, and all that was found in his treasures : there was nothing. . . in all his dominion, that Hezekiah shewed them not. — *2 KINGS*, ch. 20. [All were captured.]

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4369. *IMPURITY, Holiness reveals. The Cherubim. Vision.* " One cried unto another, and said, Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord of hosts : the whole earth is full of his glory. " " Then said I, Woe is me ! for I am undone ; because I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips : for mine eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts. — *ISA.*, ch. 6.

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4370. IMPRESSIONS, Abiding. *Early.* "By faith Moses, when he was come to years, refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter; " Choosing rather to suffer affliction with the people of God, than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season.—*HEB.*, ch. 11.

4371. — Superficial. *Stony Ground.* "These are..sown on stony ground; who, when they have heard the word, immediately receive it with gladness; " And have no root in themselves, and so endure but for a time: afterward, when affliction or persecution ariseth for the word's sake, immediately they are offended.—*MAT.*, ch. 4.

4372. — Transient. *At Sinai.* "All the people saw the thunders, and the lightnings, and the noise of the trumpet, and the mountain smoking..and stood afar off. " And they said unto Moses, Speak thou with us, and we will hear: but let not God speak with us, lest we die.—*EX.*, ch. 20. [Soon they made the golden calf.]

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4373. IMPRISONMENT of the Innocent. *Joseph.* "When his master heard the words of his wife..saying, After this manner did thy servant to me..his wrath was kindled. " ..put him into the prison.—*GEN.*, ch. 39.

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4374. IMPULSE, An affectionate. *Peter.* "Now when Simon Peter heard that it was the Lord, he girt his fisher's coat unto him, for he was naked, and did cast himself into the sea. " And the other disciples came in a little ship.—*JOHN*, ch. 21.

4375. — Dangers of. *Peter.* "Simon Peter having a sword drew it out, and smote the high priest's servant, and cut off his right ear.—*JOHN*, ch. 18.

4376. — A rash. *Disciple.* "A certain scribe..said, Master, I will follow thee whithersoever thou goest. " And Jesus saith..The foxes have holes, and the birds of the air have nests; but the Son of man hath not where to lay his head.—*MAT.*, ch. 8.

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4377. IMPUDENCE, Self-confessed. *Accusers.* [An adulteress was brought.] "When they continued asking him, he..said..He that is without sin among you, let him first cast a stone at her. " And again he stooped down, and wrote on the ground. " And they..being convicted by their own conscience, went out one by one..and Jesus was left alone, and the woman.—*JOHN*, ch. 8.

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4378. INCARNATION, Divine. *Jesus.* "Said Mary unto the angel, How shall this be, seeing I know not a man? " And the angel answered..The Holy Ghost shall come upon thee, and the power of the Highest shall overshadow thee: therefore also that holy thing that shall be born of thee shall be called the Son of God.—*LUKE*, ch. 1.

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4379. INCEST, A Brother's. *Amnon.* "Nay, my brother, do not force me; for no such thing ought to be done in Israel: do not thou this folly. " And I, whither shall I cause my shame to go? and as for thee, thou shalt be as one of the fools in Israel.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 13.

4380. — in the Church. *Corinth.* "It is reported commonly that there is fornication

among you, and such fornication as is not so much as named among the Gentiles, that one should have his father's wife . . . mourned.—1 Cor., ch. 5.

4381. — Shameful. *Lot*. ²⁶ Thus were both the daughters of Lot with child by their father.—GEN., ch. 19.

4382. INCENSE, Idolatrous. Israelites. ⁴ Hezekiah . . . brake in pieces the brazen serpent that Moses had made . . . the children of Israel did burn incense to it.—2 KINGS, ch. 18.

4383. INCENDIARY, Ingenious. Samson. ⁴ Samson . . . caught three hundred foxes . . . and put a firebrand in the midst between two tails. ⁵ And . . . he let them go into the standing corn of the Philistines, and burnt up both the shocks, and also the standing corn, with the vineyards and olives.—JUDGES, ch. 15.

4384. — A sacrilegious. *Temple*. ⁶ Nebuzar-adan, captain of the guard . . . of the king of Babylon . . . burnt the house of the Lord, and the king's house, and all the houses of Jerusalem, and every great man's house.—2 KINGS, ch. 25.

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4385. INCONGRUITY, Economic. Old Bottles. ²¹ No man putteth new wine into old bottles ; else the new wine will burst the bottles, and be spilled, and the bottles shall perish.—LUKE, ch. 5.

4386. — Remedial. *Clay*. ⁶ He spat on the ground, and made clay of the spittle, and he anointed the eyes of the blind man with the clay. ⁷ And said, Go, wash in the pool of Siloam . . . He went his way therefore, and washed, and came seeing.—JOHN, ch. 9.

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4387. INCONSISTENCY a Blot. Solomon. ⁸ Solomon loved the Lord, walking in the statutes of David his father : only he sacrificed and burnt incense in high places.—1 KINGS, ch. 3.

4388. — Hypocritical. *Gnat*. ²⁸ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites ! for ye pay tithe of mint and anise and cummin, and have omitted the weightier matters of the law, judgment, mercy, and faith. ³⁴ Ye blind guides, which strain at a gnat, and swallow a camel.—MAT., ch. 23.

4389. — Inward. *Platter*. ²⁵ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites ! for ye make clean the outside of the cup and of the platter, but within they are full of extortion and excess. ²⁶ Thou blind Pharisee, cleanse first that which is within the cup and platter.—MAT., ch. 23.

4390. — rebuked. *David's*. ⁴ The princes of the Philistines were wroth with him ; and . . . said . . . Make this fellow return . . . and let him not go down with us to battle, lest in the battle he be an adversary to us : for wherewith should he reconcile himself unto his master ? should it not be with the heads of these men ?—1 SAM., ch. 29.

4391. — Shocking. *Bones*. ²¹ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites ! for ye

are like unto whited sepulchres, which indeed appear beautiful outward, but are within full of dead men's bones, and of all uncleanness.

²² Even so ye also outwardly appear righteous unto men, but within ye are full of hypocrisy and iniquity.—MAT., ch. 23.

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4392. INCREASE, A miraculous. Five Loaves. ⁴¹ He looked up to heaven, and blessed, and brake the loaves, and gave them to his disciples to set before them ; and the two fishes divided he among them all. ⁴² And they did all eat, and were filled. ⁴³ And they took up twelve baskets full of the fragments, and of the fishes. ⁴⁴ And they . . . were about five thousand men.—MARK, ch. 6.

4393. — — Twenty Loaves. [To Elisha.] ⁴³ His servitor said, What, should I set this before a hundred men ? He said again, Give the people, that they may eat : for thus saith the Lord, They shall eat, and shall leave thereof. ⁴⁴ . . . And they did eat, and left thereof.—2 KINGS, ch. 4.

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4394. INCREDULITY, Disciples'. Resurrection. ⁹ Returned from the sepulchre, and told all these things. ¹⁰ It was Mary Magdalene, and Joanna, and Mary the mother of James, and other women that were with them, which told these things unto the Apostles. ¹¹ And their words seemed to them as idle tales, and they believed them not.—LUKE, ch. 24.

4395. — — At Emmaus. ¹² He appeared in another form unto two of them, as they walked, and went into the country. ¹³ And they went and told it unto the residue : neither believed they them.—MARK, ch. 16.

4396. — Determined. *Thomas*. ²⁵ Said . . . Except I shall see in his hands the print of the nails, and put my finger into the print of the

nails, and thrust my hand into his side, I will not believe.—JOHN, ch. 20.

4397. — with Prayer. *Disciples.* ¹³ Where many were gathered together praying. ¹⁴ And as Peter knocked, a damsel came to hearken, named Rhoda. ¹⁵ And she opened not the gate for gladness, but ran in, and told how Peter stood before the gate. ¹⁶ And they said, Thou art mad. But she constantly affirmed that it was even so. Then said they, It is his angel.—ACTS, ch. 12.

4398. — removed. *Thomas.* [Eight days after.] ²⁷ Thomas, Reach hither thy finger, and behold my hands; and reach hither thy hand, and thrust it into my side; and be not faithless, but believing. ²⁸ And Thomas answered, My Lord and my God.—JOHN, ch. 20.

4399. — of Unbelievers. *Jews.* ¹⁸ The Jews did not believe, that he had been blind, and received his sight, until they called the parents. ¹⁹ And they asked them, saying, Is this your son, who ye say was born blind? how then doth he now see?—JOHN, ch. 9.

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4400. INDEPENDENCE exhibited. *Paul.* ²⁴ Yea, these hands have ministered unto my necessities, and to them that were with me. ²⁵ I have shewed you all things, how that so labouring ye ought to support the weak.—ACTS, ch. 20.

4401. — Financial. *Abram.* ²² Abram said to the king of Sodom, I have lifted up mine hand unto the Lord. ²³ That I will not take from a thread even to a shoelatchet, and that I will not take any thing that is thine, lest thou shouldest say, I have made Abram rich.—GEN., ch. 14.

4402. — of Opinion. *Joshua.* ¹⁵ If it seem evil unto you to serve the Lord, choose you this day whom ye will serve; whether the gods, that were on the other side of the flood, or the gods of the Amorites, but as for me and my house, we will serve the Lord. ¹⁶ And the people answered and said, God forbid that we should forsake the Lord, to serve other gods.—JOSH., ch. 24.

4403. — Youthful. *Prodigal.* ¹¹ A certain man had two sons: ¹² And the younger, said to his father, Father, give me the portion of goods that falleth to me. And he divided unto them his living.—LUKE, ch. 15.

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Birthright. Abraham had two sons, by a free w. 3415
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4404. INDECISION, Loss by. *Reuben.* ²⁹ Reuben returned, and, behold, Joseph was not in the pit; and he rent his clothes. ³⁰ And he returned unto his brethren, and said, The child is not; and I, whither shall I go?—GEN., ch. 37.

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Discipleship. I will follow thee, but 3964
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4405. INDIFFERENCE in Hearing. *Sand.* ²⁴ Every one that heareth these sayings of mine, and doeth them not, shall be likened unto a foolish man, which built his house upon the sand: ²⁵ And the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house; and it fell: and great was the fall of it.—MAT., ch. 7.

4406. — Inconsiderate. *Pound.* ²⁰ Lord, behold, here is thy pound, which I have kept laid up in a napkin.—LUKE, ch. 19.

4407. — Provoking. *Josiah said,* ¹³ Great is the wrath of the Lord that is kindled against us, because our fathers have not hearkened unto the words of this book.—2 KINGS, ch. 23.

4408. — Pitiless. *Priest.* ²⁰ A certain man, fell among thieves, which stripped him of his raiment, and wounded him, and departed, leaving him half dead. ²¹ There came down a certain priest that way; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side.—LUKE, ch. 10.

4409. — to Others' Sin. *Judas.* ³ Brought again the thirty pieces of silver to the chief priests and elders, ⁴ Saying, I have sinned in that I have betrayed the innocent blood. And they said, What is that to us? see thou to that.—MAT., ch. 27.

4410. — of Sinners. *Feast.* ⁴ Tell them which are bidden, Behold, I have prepared my dinner: my oxen and my fatlings are killed, and all things are ready: come unto the marriage. ⁵ But they made light of it, and went their ways, one to his farm, another to his merchandise.—MAT., ch. 22.

4411. — *Unbelievers'. Flood.* ²⁶ As it was in the days of Noe, so shall it be also in the days of the Son of man. ²⁷ They did eat, they drank, they married wives, they were given in marriage, until the day that Noe entered into the ark, and the flood came, and destroyed them all.—*LUKE*, ch. 17.

4412. *INDIFFERENT, Curse upon.* *Deborah said,* ²² Curse ye Meroz, said the angel of the Lord, curse ye bitterly the inhabitants thereof; because they came not to the help of the Lord, to the help of the Lord against the mighty.—*JUDGES*, ch. 5.

4413. — *Woe upon the. At Ease.* ¹ Woe to them that are at ease in Zion, and trust in the mountain of Samaria, which are named chief of the nations, to whom the house of Israel came! ² Ye that put far away the evil day.—*AMOS*, ch. 6.

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4414. *INDIGNITY, Humiliating.* *Prince said,* ³ Thinkest thou that David doth honour thy father, that he hath sent comforters unto thee? hath not David rather sent his servants..to spy.. ⁴ Wherefore Hanun took David's servants, and shaved off the one half of their beards, and cut off their garments in the middle, even to their buttocks, and sent them away.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 10.

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4415. *INDIGNATION, Bigoted.* *Ruler.* ¹³ He laid his hands on her: and immediately she was made straight, and glorified God. ¹⁴ And the ruler of the synagogue answered with indignation, because that Jesus had healed on the sabbath day.—*LUKE*, ch. 13. [She was bent over for eighteen years.]

4416. — *Contemptuous.* *Eliab.* ²⁶ Eliab his eldest brother heard..and Eliab's anger was kindled against David, and he said, Why camest thou down hither? and with whom hast thou left those few sheep in the wilderness? I know thy pride, and the naughtiness of thine heart; for thou art come down that thou mightest see the battle.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 17.

4417. — *Christian.* *At Idolatry.* ¹⁶ While Paul waited for them at Athens, his spirit was stirred in him, when he saw the city wholly given to idolatry.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

4418. — *Excessive.* *At Samaritans.* ²⁴ When his disciples James and John saw this, they said, Lord, wilt thou that we command fire to come down from heaven, and consume them, even as

Elias did? ²⁵ But he turned, and rebuked them, and said, Ye know not what manner of spirit ye are of.—*LUKE*, ch. 9. [Samaritans were inhospitable.]

4419. — *Forgotten. Hazael.* ¹⁹ The evil that thou wilt do unto the children of Israel: their strong holds wilt thou set on fire, and their young men wilt thou slay with the sword, and wilt dash their children, and rip up their women with child. ²⁰ And Hazael said, But what, is thy servant a dog, that he should do this great thing?—*2 KINGS*, ch. 8. [He did it.]

4420. — *God gives. Saul.* [See No. 4431.]

4421. — *Hot. Moses.* ¹⁹ As soon as he saw the calf, and the dancing, Moses' anger waxed hot, and he cast the tables out of his hands, and brake them beneath the mount. ²⁰ And he took the calf, and burnt it in the fire, and ground it to powder, and strewed it upon the water, and made the children of Israel drink of it.—*EX.*, ch. 32.

4422. — *at Hypocrisy. Jesus.* ³ He saith unto the man which had the withered hand, Stand forth. ⁵ And when he had looked round about on them with anger, being grieved for the hardness of their hearts, he saith, Stretch forth thine hand.—*MARK*, ch. 3.

4423. — *at Injustice. Elihu.* [See No. 4432.] ³ Against his three friends was his wrath kindled, because they had found no answer, and yet had condemned Job.—*JOB*, ch. 32.

4424. — *Improper. Ointment.* ³ In the house of Simon the leper, as he sat at meat, there came a woman having an alabaster box of ointment of spikenard very precious; and she brake the box, and poured it on his head. ⁴ And there were some that had indignation within themselves, and said, Why was this waste of the ointment made?—*MARK*, ch. 14. [Equal to \$45. Judas sold his Lord for one third the amount.]

4425. — *at the Judgment. Devouring.* ²⁶ If we sin wilfully after that we have received the knowledge of the truth, there remaineth no more sacrifice for sins, ²⁷ But a certain fearful looking for of judgment and fiery indignation, which shall devour the adversaries.—*HEB.*, ch. 10.

4426. — *Murderous. At Nazareth.* ²⁷ Many lepers were in Israel in the time of Elisha, and none of them was cleansed, saving Naaman the Syrian. ²⁸ And all they in the synagogue, when they heard these things, were filled with wrath, ²⁹ And rose up, and thrust him out of the city, and led him unto the brow of the hill, whereon their city was built, that they might cast him down headlong.—*LUKE*, ch. 4.

4427. — *National. Gibeans.* [They committed a fatal outrage on a woman.] ¹ There was no such deed done nor seen, unto this day: consider of it, take advice, and speak your minds. ² And all the people arose as one man, saying, We will not any of us go to his tent, neither will we any of us turn into his house. ³ This we will do to Gibeon; we will go up by lot against it.—*JUDGES*, ch. 20.

4428. — *A natural. Mother of James and John.* ²¹ What wilt thou? She saith, Grant that these my two sons may sit, the one on thy right hand, and the other on the left, in thy kingdom. ²² And when the ten heard it, they

were moved with indignation against the two brethren.—*MAT.*, ch. 20.

4429. — *Partisan. At Jerusalem.* ¹⁷ The high priest rose up, and all, is, of the Sadducees, and were filled with indignation, ¹⁸ And laid their hands on the apostles, and put them in the common prison.—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

4430. — *of Pride. Haman.* ⁹ Then went Haman forth that day joyful and with a glad heart: but when Haman saw Mordecai in the king's gate, that he stood not up, nor moved for him, he was full of indignation against Mordecai. ¹⁰ Nevertheless Haman refrained himself.—*ESTHER*, ch. 5.

4431. — *Righteous. Saul's.* ² Nahash the Ammonite answered them, On this condition will I make a covenant with you, that I may thrust out all your right eyes, and lay it for a reproach upon all Israel. ⁶ And the Spirit of God came upon Saul when he heard those tidings, and his anger was kindled greatly.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 11.

4432. — *Religious. Elihu.* ² Against Job was his wrath kindled, because he justified himself rather than God.—*JOB*, ch. 32.

4433. — *at Others' Sins. David.* ⁵ David's anger was greatly kindled against the man; and he said to Nathan, As the Lord liveth, the man that hath done this thing shall surely die: ⁶ And he shall restore the lamb fourfold.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 12.

4434. — *at Severity. Parable.* [The merciless servant.] ²³ Shouldest not thou also have had compassion on thy fellow servant, even as I had pity on thee? ²⁴ And his lord was wroth, and delivered him to the tormentors, till he should pay all that was due unto him.—*MAT.*, ch. 18.

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4435. INDISCRIMINATION in Calamities. National. ¹ The Lord maketh the earth empty, and maketh it waste, and turneth it upside down, and scattereth abroad the inhabitants thereof. ² And it shall be, as with the people, so with the priest; as with the servant, so with his master; as with the maid, so with her mistress; as with the buyer, so with the seller; as with the lender, so with the borrower; as with the taker of usury, so with the giver of usury to him.—*ISA.*, ch. 24.

4436. INDOLENCE exhibited. Husbandman. ²⁰ I went by the field of the slothful, and by the vineyard of the man void of understanding; ²¹ And, lo, it was all grown over with thorns, and nettles had covered the face thereof, and the stone wall thereof was broken down.—*PROV.*, ch. 24.

4437. — Excuse of. Proverb. ¹² The slothful man saith, There is a lion without, I shall be slain in the streets.—*PROV.*, ch. 22.

4438. — Perfect. *Proverb.* ²⁴ A slothful man hideth his hand in his bosom, and will not so much as bring it to his mouth again.—Prov., ch. 19.

4439. — Shame from. *Poverty.* ⁴ He becometh poor that dealeth with a slack hand : but the hand of the diligent maketh rich. ⁵ He that gathereth in summer is a wise son : but he that sleepeth in harvest is a son that causeth shame.—Prov., ch. 10.

4440. — Wasteful. *Proverb.* ⁹ He also that is slothful in his work is brother to him that is a great waster.—Prov., ch. 18.

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4441. *INDULGENCE, Parental. Eli.* ¹³ Because his sons made themselves vile, and he restrained them not. ¹⁴..therefore I have sworn..that the iniquity of Eli's house shall not be purged with sacrifice nor offering for ever.—1 Sam., ch. 2.

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4442. *INDUSTRY, Active. Rebekah.* ¹⁸ She hastened, and let down her pitcher upon her hand, and gave him drink. ¹⁹ And when she had done giving him drink..²⁰..she hastened, and emptied her pitcher into the trough, and ran again unto

the well to draw water, and drew for all his camels.—Gen., ch. 24.

4443. — Benevolent. *Dorcas.* ³⁹ Peter..went with them..and all the widows stood by him weeping, and shewing the coats and garments which Dorcas made, while she was with them.—Acts, ch. 9.

4444. — commended. *Parable.* ⁶ Go to the ant, thou sluggard ; consider her ways, and be wise : ⁷ Which having no guide, overseer, or ruler, ⁸ Provideth her meat in the summer, and gathereth her food in the harvest?—Prov., ch. 6.

4445. — Domestic. *Model Woman.*—Prov., ch. 31.

4446. — Independent. *Paul.* ⁹ The barbarous people shewed us no little kindness : for they kindled a fire, and received us every one, because of the present rain, and because of the cold. ¹⁰..Paul had gathered a bundle of sticks, and laid them on the fire.—Acts, ch. 28.

4447. — Jesus'. *At Nazareth.* ⁹ What wisdom is this which is given unto him, that even such mighty works are wrought by his hands? ¹⁰ Is not this the carpenter?—Mark, ch. 6.

4448. — Promotion by. *Jeroboam.* ²⁸ Jeroboam was a mighty man of valour : and Solomon seeing the young man that he was industrious, he made him ruler over all the charge of the house of Joseph.—1 Kings, ch. 11.

4449. — required. *Christians.* ¹⁰ This we commanded you, that if any would not work, neither should he eat. ¹¹ For we hear that there are some which walk among you disorderly, working not at all, but are busybodies.—2 Thess., ch. 3.

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4450. INFANT, Accidental Death of. "Overlaid." "This woman's child died in the night; because she overlaid it.—1 KINGS, ch. 3.

4451. INFANTS for Jesus. "Touch them." [See No. 4454.]

4452. — Murder of Hebrews. "Pharaoh charged all his people, saying, Every son that is born ye shall cast into the river, and every daughter ye shall save alive.—EX., ch. 1.

4453. — Massacre of Herod. "Herod, when he saw that he was mocked of the wise men, was exceeding wroth, and sent forth, and slew all the children that were in Bethlehem, and in all the coasts thereof, from two years old and under.—MAT., ch. 2.

4454. — Regard for Jesus. "They brought..infants, that he would touch them: but when his disciples saw it, they rebuked them." "But Jesus called them unto him, and said, Suffer little children to come unto me, and forbid them not: for of such is the kingdom of God.—LUKE, ch. 18.

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4455. INFATUATION, Blind. Ahaz. "Ahaz took away a portion out of the house of the Lord, and..of the king, and of the princes, and gave it unto the king of Assyria: but he helped him not. "And in the time of his distress did he trespass yet more against the Lord.—2 CHRON., ch. 28.

4456. — reproved. Pharaoh. "Pharaoh's servant said unto him, How long shall this man be a snare unto us? let the men go, that they may serve the Lord their God: knowest thou not yet that Egypt is destroyed?—EX., ch. 10.

4457. — of the Wicked. Pharaoh. "I will let you go, and your little ones: look to it; for evil is before you." "Not so: go now ye that are men, and serve the Lord; for that ye did desire. And they were driven out from Pharaoh's presence.—EX., ch. 10. [After seven plagues.]

4458. — — Simon. "When Simon saw that through laying on of the apostles' hands the Holy Ghost was given, he offered them money.—ACTS, ch. 8

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4459. INFERENCE, A mistaken. Apostles. [After resurrection of Jesus.] "When they..were come together, they asked of him, saying, Lord, wilt thou at this time restore again the kingdom to Israel? "And he said..It is not for you to know the times or the seasons.—ACTS, ch. 1.

4460. — A wrong. Naaman. "Am I God, to kill and to make alive, that this man doth send unto me to recover a man of his leprosy? Wherefore consider, I pray you, and see how he seeketh a quarrel against me." "When Eliaha..had heard that the king of Israel had rent his clothes, that he sent to the king, saying..let him come now to me, and he shall know that there is a prophet in Israel.—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

4461. — A warranted. Miracle. "They were not able to draw it for the multitude of fishes." "Therefore that disciple whom Jesus loved saith unto Peter, It is the Lord.—JOHN, ch. 21.

4462. INFERENCES differ. At Jerusalem. "Father, glorify thy name. Then came there a voice from heaven, saying, I have both glorified it, and will glorify it again." "The people..said that it thundered: others said, An angel spake to him.—JOHN, ch. 12.

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4463. INFIRMITY overlooked. Paul's. "Ye know how through infirmity of the flesh I preached the gospel unto you at the first." "And my temptation which was in my flesh ye despised not, nor rejected; but received me as an angel of God, even as Christ Jesus.—GAL., ch. 4.

4464. INFIRMITIES of Age. Barzillai. [David asked him to go to Jerusalem and live.]

¹⁴ Can I discern between good and evil? can thy servant taste what I eat or what I drink? can I hear any more the voice of singing men and singing women? wherefore then should thy servant be yet a burden unto my lord the king?—2 SAM., ch. 19.

4465. — — — *David.* ¹ King David was old and stricken in years; and they covered him with clothes, but he gat no heat.—1 KINGS, ch. 1.

4466. — — — *Described.* ³ In the day when the keepers of the house shall tremble, and the strong men shall bow themselves, and the grinders cease because they are few, and those that look out of the windows be darkened, ⁴ And the doors shall be shut in the streets, when the sound of the grinding is low, and he shall rise up at the voice of the bird, and all the daughters of music shall be brought low; ⁵ Also when they shall be afraid of *that which is high*, and fears shall be in the way, and the almond tree shall flourish, and the grasshopper shall be a burden, and desire shall fail: because man goeth to his long home, and the mourners go about the streets.—ECC., ch. 12.

4467. — — — *Without.* ¹ Moses was a hundred and twenty years old when he died: his eye was not dim, nor his natural force abated.—DEUT., ch. 34.

See other illustrations under:

FAINT.

Pursuing. David pursued, he and 400...200 so faint 2880
Strength. Wait upon the L...run, and not be weary 2881

FAINTING.

Hunger. I. were distressed...none...tasted food 2882
Preserved. I had fainted unless I had believed 2883
" Our outward man perish, yet the 2884
Weakness. If thou faint...thy strength is small 2885

FATIGUE.

of indifference. Table of the L...Behold what a 3078
Overcome. 200 were so faint they could not go 3079
Overwork. Come...into a desert place, and rest 3080
Sleep. He cometh...disciples, and findeth them 3081
Travellers. Jesus being wearied...sat thus on the 3082

FEEBLENESS.

Ashamed. I was ashamed to require...soldiers 3188
Age. Eli was 98 years old; eyes were dim 3189

WEAK.

Care for. Offend one of these little ones...hanged 3391
" Take heed lest...a stumblingblock 3392
Help. If there be no man to save us, we will come 3393

WEAKNESS.

Believers. Fed you with milk...not able to bear it 3394
" Repent when they see war, and return 3395
Conscious. I am this day weak, though...king 3396
Flesh. Moses' hands were heavy...stayed up his h. 3397
Instruments. Loe...flies...land was corrupted 3398
Moral. Peter separated himself, fearing them 3399
Personal. Abide in me...without me...nothing 3400
Remembered. I was with you in weakness 3401
Submission. I am thine, and all that I have 3402
Spiritless. Their hearts melted, neither...any s. 3403
" Hearts...melted and became as water 3404

Care. Brethren, comfort the feeble—1 Thess. 5: 14
Destroyed. Amalekites smote all...feeble—Deut. 25: 18
Death. Abner dead, Ish-bosheth's...feeble—2 Sam. 4: 1
Despised. What do these feeble Jews? 7429
Disqualifies. Any blemish let him not approach the 818
Exempt. Not one feeble person among their tribes 8728
Fear. Angel rolled back the stone...as dead men 861

One. One thing thou lackest...sell...give...cross 4876
" When my master goeth...Himmon to worship 3083
Overlooked. Jehu...thou hast done well...in part 4351
Weariness. Thou layest the burden of all...on me 9438
Without. Absalom...from the sole...without blemish 814

4468. INFLUENCE bequeathed. *Elijah.* ¹⁴ He took the mantle of Elijah that fell from him, and smote the waters, and said, Where is the Lord God of Elijah? And...they parted hither and thither: and Elisha went over.—2 KINGS, ch. 2.

4469. — — — *Care for.* *Eating.* ³⁰ All things indeed are pure; but it is evil for that man who eateth with offence. ³¹ It is good neither to eat flesh, nor to drink wine, nor any thing whereby thy brother stumbleth, or is offended, or is made weak.—ROM., ch. 14.

4470. — — — *of Example.* *Prayer.* ¹ As he was praying in a certain place, when he ceased, one of his disciples said...Lord, teach us to pray, as John also taught his disciples.—LUKE, ch. 11.

4471. — — — *felt.* *Baptist's.* ²⁰ Herod feared John, knowing that he was a just man and a holy, and observed him; and when he heard him, he did many things, and heard him gladly.—MARK, ch. 6.

4472. — — — *of Leaders.* "Rulers." ⁴⁸ Have any of the rulers or of the Pharisees believed on him? ⁴⁹ But this people who knoweth not the law are cursed.—JOHN, ch. 7.

4473. — — — *Parental.* *Rechab.* ³ I set before the sons of the house of the Rechabites pots full of wine, and cups, and I said...Drink ye wine. ⁶ But they said, We will drink no wine: for...our father commanded us, saying, Ye shall drink no wine, neither ye, nor your sons for ever.—JER., ch. 35.

4474. — — — *Posthumous.* *Abel.* ⁴ By faith Abel offered unto God a more excellent sacrifice than Cain, by which he obtained witness that he was righteous, God testifying of his gifts: and by it he being dead yet speaketh.—HEB., ch. 11.

4475. — — — *Elisha.* ²⁰ The Moabites invaded the land...²¹...as they were burying a man...they spied a band of men; and they cast the man into the sepulchre of Elisha: and when the man...touched the bones of Elisha, he revived, and stood up on his feet.—2 KINGS, ch. 13.

4476. — — — *Pernicious.* *Pharisees.* ¹³ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye shut up the kingdom of heaven against men: for ye neither go in yourselves, neither suffer ye them that are entering to go in.—MAT., ch. 23.

4477. — — — *Personal.* *Shunammite's Child.* [The prophet's rod had failed.] ²³ Elisha...shut the door upon them twain, and prayed unto the Lord. ²⁴...and lay upon the child, and put his mouth upon his mouth, and his eyes upon his eyes, and his hands upon his hands: and he stretched himself upon the child; and the flesh of the child waxed warm.—2 KINGS, ch. 4.

4478. — — — *Responsibility for.* *Offend.* ⁶ But whoso shall offend one of these little ones which believe in me, it were better for him that a millstone were hanged about his neck, and that he were drowned in the depth of the sea.—MAT., ch. 18.

4479. — regarded. *In War.* ⁹ The officers . . . shall say, What man is there that is fearful and fainthearted? let him go and return unto his house, lest his brethren's heart faint as well as his heart.—*DEUT.*, ch. 20.

4480. — of *Bank. Vashiti.* ¹⁷ The king Ahasuerus commanded Vashti the queen to be brought in before him, but she came not. ¹⁸ Likewise shall the ladies of Persia and Media say . . . which have heard of the deed of the queen. Thus shall there arise too much contempt and wrath.—*ESTHER*, ch. 1.

4481. — *Supernatural. Kine.* ¹⁰ The men . . . took two milch-kine, and tied them to the cart, and shut up their calves at home: ¹¹ And they laid the ark of the Lord upon the cart. . . ¹² And the kine took the straight way to . . . Bethshemesh, and went along the highway, lowing as they went, and turned not aside to the right hand or to the left.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 6.

4482. — *Survival of. Dorcas.* ³⁹ Peter . . . went with them. When he was come, they brought him into the upper chamber: and all the widows stood by him weeping, and shewing the coats and garments which Dorcas made, while she was with them.—*ACTS*, ch. 9.

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DOMINION.

Dream. Your sheaves . . . made obedi-
ence to my 2489
Fear. The fear of you shall be upon every
beast 2490
Made for. Let us make . . . dominion over . . . all the 2491

LEADERSHIP.

Failure. Went ill with Moses . . . spake unadvisedly 4924
Loved. Diotrephes, who loveth to have the 4925
Rejected. Let us make a captain and return to E. 4927
Trials. People chode with Moses . . . Why have ye 4928

PERSUASION.

Excuse. Because thou hast hearkened unto . . . wife 6106
Ineffective. Paul would not be persuaded, we 6107

POWER.

Delegated. Why could we not cast him out 6312
Endowment. Filled . . . began to speak with other 6313
God gives. [Samson] L. blessed . . . Spirit began 6314
God only. [Peter] By our own power, made 6315
Loss. [Samson] Shake myself . . . wist not that the L. 6316
Might. Not by might, nor by power . . . great 6317
Promised. [Joshua] Not any able to stand 6318
Prayer. [Hezekiah] prayed Sennacherib . . . 85,000 6319
Preaching. My speech . . . demonstration of the S. 6320
Ruling. Rebuked the wind, the raging water 6321
Spiritual. [Stephen] Not able to resist the 6322
Spirit. [Samson] Cords . . . upon his arms . . . as flax 6323
Sudden. [Joseph] No man lift up his hand or 6324
Tears. [Moses] Babe wept . . . had compassion on 6327
Temptation. All these will I give thee [Satan] 6325
Waiting. Wait for the promise . . . receive power 6329
Weakness. I am weak, though anointed [David] 6328

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4483. *INGENUITY* by Inspiration. *Bezaleel.* ³⁵ Hath he filled with wisdom of heart, to work all manner of work, of the engraver, and of the cunning workman, and of the embroiderer, in blue, and in purple, in scarlet, and in fine linen, and of the weaver, even of them that do any work.—*EX.*, ch. 35.

4484. — *A Mother's. Moses'.* ³ When she could not longer hide him, she took for him an ark of bulrushes, and daubed it with slime and with pitch, and put the child therein; and

she laid it in the flags by the river's brink. ⁴ And his sister stood afar off, to wit what would be done to him.—*EX.*, ch. 2.

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ART.

Architect. [Bezaleel] Filled with the spirit . . . to 508
Music. [David] Cunning in playing . . . man of war 71
War. [Uzziah] Made engines . . . invented by 508

INVENTION.

Musical. Jubal . . . handle the harp and the organ 4643
Inspired. Bezaleel . . . filled with the spirit . . . cunning 4644

INVENTORS.

Family. Jubal . . . harp . . . Tubal-cain . . . artificer in 4645
Valuable. Uzziah made . . . engines . . . he was strong 4646

4485. *INGRATITUDE* of Beneficiaries. *Nine Lepers.* ¹⁵ One of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, and with a loud voice glorified God, ¹⁶ And fell down on his face at his feet, giving him thanks: and he was a Samaritan. ¹⁷ And Jesus . . . said, Were there not ten cleansed? but where are the nine?—*LUKE*, ch. 17.

4486. — *confessed. To Mordecai.* ¹ On that night could not the king sleep, and . . . the chronicles . . . were read before the king. ² And it was found written, that Mordecai had told of . . . two of the king's chamberlains . . . who sought to lay hand on the king Ahasuerus. ³ And the king said, What honour and dignity hath been done to Mordecai for this? . . . There is nothing done for him.—*ESTHER*, ch. 6.

4487. — *after Deliverance. Delthroned God.* ¹⁹ When ye saw that Nahash the king of the children of Ammon came against you, ye said unto me, Nay; but a king shall reign over us: when the Lord your God was your king.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 12.

4488. — *Royal. Saul.* ⁹ David said to Saul, Wherefore hearest thou men's words, saying, Behold, David seeketh thy hurt? ¹⁰ Behold . . . the Lord had delivered thee to day into mine hand in the cave: and some bade me kill thee: but mine eye spared thee.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 24.

4489. — *Vengeance for. Zechariah.* ²² Joash the king remembered not the kindness which Jehoiada his father had done to him, but slew his son. And when he died, he said, The Lord look upon it and require it.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 24.

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Confessed. I have rewarded thee evil [King Saul] 8635
Neglect. Were not ten cleansed? but where are the 304
Reminded. D. did put his life in his hand . . . slew 304

4490. *INHERITANCE, Tendency of. Proverb.* ²³ A good man leaveth an inheritance to his children's children: and the wealth of the sinner is laid up for the just.—*PROV.*, ch. 13.

4491. — *Uncertainty of. Solomon.* ¹⁹ I hated all my labour which I had taken under the sun: because I should leave it unto the man that shall be after me. ²⁰ And who knoweth whether he shall be a wise man or a fool? yet shall he have rule over all my labour wherein I have laboured.—*ECCLES.*, ch. 2.

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Renounced. Moses refused to be called the son 8801
Spiritual. The spirit of Elijah doth rest on Elisha 495

4492. *INHOSPITALITY, Provoking. Samaritans.* ²³ They did not receive him, because his face was as though he would go to Jerusalem. ²⁴ . . . James and John . . . said, Lord, wilt thou that

we command fire to come down from heaven, and consume them, even as Elias did?—**LUKE**, ch. 9.

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Fraudulent. Pharisee besought him to dine..catch 4111
 " Rich man..took the poor man's lamb 4112
Indifference. Simon, I entered thy house..no w. 4118
Malevolent. Motrephes, neither doth he receive the 4100

4493. INIQUITY, Great. *Pharisees.* " Hypocrites ! for ye are like unto whited sepulchres, which indeed appear beautiful outward, but are within full of dead men's bones, and of all uncleanness. " Even so ye also outwardly appear righteous unto men, but within ye are full of hypocrisy and iniquity.—**MAT.**, ch. 23.

4494. — Hidden. *Pharisees.* " Ye make clean the outside of the cup and of the platter, but within they are full of extortion and excess.—**MAT.**, ch. 23.

4495. INIQUITIES in the Church. *Corruption.* " Among my people are found wicked men : they lay wait, as he that setteth snares ; they set a trap, they catch men. " As a cage is full of birds, so are their houses full of deceit. " They are waxen fat, they shine : yea, they overpass the deeds of the wicked.—**JER.**, ch. 5.

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DEPRAVITY.

Ancient. Every imagination of the thoughts 2188
Bestial. [Gibeathites] beset the house, and beat at 2189
Discovered. Woe is me..unclean lips..people 2190
Heathen. Changed the glory of..G. into an image 2191
Infections. Daughters of Lot were with child 2192
Inherited. Ye are the children of them which 2193
Natural. L. looked down..all gone aside..filthy 2194

EVIL.

Appearance. Lest we should offend them..money 2752
Freedom. Pilate said..third time..What evil hath 2753
Overruled. Ye thought evil..G. meant it unto 2754
Permitted. Lest while ye gather..tares ye root up 2755
Repaid. Good. David said to Saul..mine eye spared 2756
Root. Love of money is the root of all evil 2757

GUILT.

Accumulated. Upon you may come all the 3766
Cowardice. Adam and his wife hid themselves 3767
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Impurity. Woe is me for I am..a man of unclean 4369
 See **SIN, SINNERS, WICKED.**

4496. INJURY, An insulting. *Samson.* " Samson's wife was given to his companion, whom he had used as his friend. " And her father said, I verily thought that thou hadst utterly hated her ; therefore I gave her to thy companion : is not her younger sister fairer than she ?—**JUDGES**, chs. 14 and 15.

4497. — revenged. *Firebrands.* [See No. 4583.]

4498. INJURIES, Forgiveness of. *Jesus.* " Then said Jesus, Father, forgive them ; for they know not what they do.—**LUKE**, ch. 23.

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INSULT.

Ignored. Belial said, How shall this man save us 4567

Jesus. Thrust him out of the city..cast him 4568
Reward. Hannun shaved off one half their beards 4569
Stinging. Annas commanded them to smite 4570

INSULTS.

Cruel. Mocked Jesus..blindfolded, and struck 4576
Contemptuous. They that are younger have me in 4573

MOCKERY.

Blasphemous. Crown of thorns..reed..Hall, King 5494
of Truth. When they heard of the resurrection 5493

RIDICULE.

Doctrine. Heard of the resurrection..mocked 7485
Fatal. Call for Samson..sport..house fell 7486
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Horrible. Mocking..he trusted in God..save him 7488
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Scornful. Laughed..will ye rebel against the king 7496
Spirit. Mocking, said..full of new wine 7497
Trial. Thou art his disciple, but we are Moses' 7498

SCORN.

Pride. Haman thought scorn to..alone 7618
Public. All that pass by clap their hands at thee 7619
Sinners. They made light of it, and went 7621
Unbelief. They laughed him to scorn 7620

SCOFFERS.

Malevolent. Spit in his face, and buffeted 7614
 " Mocked him..a gorgeous robe 7615

Hospitality. Lewd fellows..assaulted the house of 5453
Odium. Ye have made..to be abhorred in the eyes 5452
Religion. The L. was made a reproach unto me 2943
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4499. INJUSTICE, Indignation at. *David.* " There came a traveller unto the rich man, and he spared to take of his own flock..to dress for the wayfaring man..but took the poor man's lamb, and dressed it for the man. " And David's anger was greatly kindled, and he said to Nathan, As the Lord liveth, the man that hath done this thing shall surely die : " And..restore the lamb fourfold.—2 **SAM.**, ch. 12.

4500. — Official. *Unjust Judge.* " Yet because this widow troubleth me, I will avenge her, lest by her continual coming she weary me. " And the Lord said, Hear what the unjust judge saith.—**LUKE**, ch. 18.

4501. — Pilate. " I, having examined him, have found no fault in this man touching those things whereof ye accuse him : " No, nor yet Herod : for I sent you to him ; and, lo, nothing worthy of death is done unto him. " I will therefore chastise him, and release him.—**LUKE**, ch. 23.

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FAVORITISM.

Benied. Grant that..my two sons may sit 3096
Hurtful. Israel loved Joseph more than all his 3099

PERSECUTOR.

Arrested. Saul, Saul ; why persecutest thou me 6077
Lawless. Lewd fellows of the baser sort..assaulted 6078
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 Associated. Chief priests consulted..put Lazarus 6083
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4502. INNOCENT, Mediation of the. Benjamin. ³ Judah spake..The man did solemnly protest unto us, saying, Ye shall not see my face, except your brother be with you. ⁵..if thou wilt not send him, we will not go down.—GEN., ch. 43.

4503. — Punishment by the. Adulteress. ¹ The scribes and Pharisees brought..a woman taken in adultery: and..set her in the midst, ¹ So when they continued asking him..and said..He that is without sin among you, let him first cast a stone at her.—JOHN, ch. 8.

4504. — Punishment of the. Jesus. [See No. 4510.]

4505. INNOCENCE avenged. Ish-bosheth. ¹¹ Wicked men have slain a righteous person in his own house upon his bed? shall I not therefore now require his blood of your hand.. ¹² And David commanded his young men, and they slew them, and cut off their hands and their feet, and hanged them up over the pool in Hebron.—2 SAM., ch. 4.

4506. — Boldness of. Joseph's Brethren. ⁹ With whomsoever of thy servants it be found, both let him die, and we also will be my lord's bondmen. ¹¹ Then they speedily took down..and opened every man his sack.—GEN., ch. 44.

4507. — betrayed. Judas. ³ Repented himself, and brought again the thirty pieces of silver to the chief priests and elders, ⁴ Saying, I have sinned in that I have betrayed the innocent blood.—MAT., ch. 27.

4508. — Convincing. David. ²¹ David said to Joab, and to all the people..Rend your clothes, and gird you with sackcloth, and mourn

before Abner. And king David himself followed the bier. ²³..and the king lifted up his voice, and wept at the grave of Abner; and all the people wept. ²⁷ For all..understood that day that it was not of the king to slay Abner.—2 SAM., ch. 3.

4509. — Conduct of. David. [Saul sought to kill him.] ¹⁰ This day thine eyes have seen how that the Lord had delivered thee to day into mine hand in the cave: and some bade me kill thee: but mine eye spared thee.—1 SAM., ch. 24.

4510. — A false. Pilate. ²⁴ When Pilate saw that he could prevail nothing, but that rather a tumult was made, he took water, and washed his hands before the multitude, saying, I am innocent of the blood of this just person: see ye to it.—MAT., ch. 27.

4511. — proved. Daniel. ²² My God hath sent his angel, and hath shut the lions' mouths, that they have not hurt me: forasmuch as before him innocency was found in me; and also before thee, O king, have I done no hurt.—DAN., ch. 6.

4512. — Protected by. Nineveh. ¹¹ Should not I spare Nineveh, that great city, wherein are more than sixscore thousand persons that cannot discern between their right hand and their left hand.—JONAH, ch. 4.

4513. — vindicated. Jesus. [See No. 4510.]

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 Fixed. Till I die I will not remove mine integrity 4578
 False. Is thy servant a dog..do this? 4579
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 Official. Witness..whom have I defrauded? 4581
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 Within. First cleanse within the cup 6514

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Benefits. Prolongeth days..hope of the righteous 7444
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4514. INSANITY exhibited. Nebuchadnezzar. ²³ Nebuchadnezzar..was driven from men, and did eat grass as oxen, and his body was wet with the dew of heaven, till his hairs were grown like eagles' feathers, and his nails like birds' claws. ²⁴ And at the end of the days I Nebuchadnezzar lifted up mine eyes unto heaven, and mine understanding returned unto me, and I blessed the Most High.—DAN., ch. 4.

4515. — feigned. David. ¹³ He changed his behaviour before them, and feigned himself mad in their hands, and scrambled on the doors of the gate, and let his spittle fall down upon his beard. ¹⁴ Then said Achish..Lo, ye see the man is mad: wherefore then have ye brought him to me?—1 SAM., ch. 21.

4516. — Moral. Pharaoh. ¹¹ The Lord hardened Pharaoh's heart, and he would not let them go. ¹² And Pharaoh said . . . Get thee from me, take heed to thyself, see my face no more ; for in that day thou seest my face thou shalt die. —Ex., ch. 10.

4517. — Occasional. Saul. ¹⁰ The evil spirit from God came upon Saul, and he prophesied in the midst of the house : and David played with his hand . . . ¹¹ And Saul cast the javelin ; for he said, I will smite David even to the wall with it. And David avoided out of his presence twice.—1 SAM., ch. 18.

4518. — The Sinner's. Prodigal. ¹¹ When he came to himself, he said, How many hired servants of my father's have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger ! ¹² I will arise and go to my father.—LUKE, ch. 15.

4519. — So-called. Jesus. ¹² And they went into a house. ¹³ And the multitude cometh together again, so that they could not so much as eat bread. ¹⁴ And when his friends heard of it, they went out to lay hold on him : for they said, He is beside himself.—MARK, ch. 3.

4520. — Paul. ²⁴ Festus said with a loud voice, Paul, thou art beside thyself ; much learning doth make thee mad. ²⁵ But he said, I am not mad, most noble Festus ; but speak forth the words of truth and soberness.—ACTS, ch. 26.

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4522. — Ceremonial. Fasting. ³ Wherefore have we fasted, say they, and thou seest not ? . . . Behold, in the day of your fast ye find pleasure, and exact all your labours. ⁴ Behold, ye fast for strife and debate, and to smite with the fist of wickedness.—ISA., ch. 58.

4523. — of the Covetous. Officials. ¹¹ The heads thereof judge for reward, and the priests thereof teach for hire, and the prophets thereof divine for money : yet will they lean upon the Lord, and say, Is not the Lord among us ? none evil can come upon us.—MICAH, ch. 3.

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he will hold to the one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon.—MAT., ch. 6.

4525. — through Fear. Priests. ¹⁵ The baptism of John, whence was it ? from heaven, or of men ? And they reasoned with themselves, saying, If we shall say, From heaven ; he will say unto us, Why did ye not then believe him ? ¹⁶ But if we shall say, Of men ; we fear the people ; for all hold John as a prophet. ¹⁷ And they answered Jesus, and said, We cannot tell.—MAT., ch. 21.

4526. — proven. Fruit. ¹⁶ They profess that they know God ; but in works they deny him, being abominable, and disobedient, and unto every good work reprobate.—TRUS, ch. 1.

4527. — A Reformer's. Jehu. ¹⁷ They brake down the image of Baal, and brake down the house of Baal, and made it a draught house unto this day. ¹⁸ Howbeit, from the sins of Jeroboam . . . Jehu departed not from after them, to wit, the golden calves that were in Beth-el, and that were in Dan.—2 KINGS, ch. 10.

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4531. — Fraternal. *Eliab.* "Eliab his eldest brother heard when he spake unto the men; and Eliab's anger was kindled against David, and he said, Why camest thou down hither? and with whom hast thou left those few sheep in the wilderness?—1 SAM., ch. 17.

4532. — with Injustice. *Pharaoh.* "There is no straw given..and they say to us, Make brick: and, behold, thy servants are beaten; but the fault is in thine own people. "But he said, Ye are idle, ye are idle: therefore ye say, Let us go and do sacrifice to the Lord.—EX., ch. 5.

4533. — resented. *Ahab.* "Said, My lord, O king, according to thy saying, I am thine, and all that I have. "And the messengers came again, and said, Thus speaketh Ben-hadad, saying, Although I have sent unto thee, saying, Thou shalt deliver me thy silver, and thy gold, and thy wives, and thy children; "Yet I will send my servants unto thee to-morrow about this time, and they shall search thine house, and the houses of thy servants; and..whatsoever is pleasant in thine eyes, they shall..take it away.—1 KINGS, ch. 20. [Ahab resolved to fight.]

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4535. — forgiven. *Parable.* "A certain creditor..had two debtors: the one owed him five hundred pence, and the other fifty. "And when they had nothing to pay, he frankly forgave them both. Tell me therefore, which of them will love him most?—LUKE, ch. 7.

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4537. — for Duty. *Cyrus.* "The Lord stirred up the spirit of Cyrus king of Persia, that he made a proclamation throughout all his kingdom, "he hath charged me to build him a house at Jerusalem.—EZRA, ch. 1.

4538. — for Emergency. *Persecution.* "When they shall..deliver you up, take no thought beforehand what ye shall speak, neither do ye premeditate: but whatsoever shall be

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4541. INSTRUCTION better than Practice. Pharisees. ³ All therefore whatsoever they bid you observe, *that* observe and do; but do not ye after their works: for they say, and do not. ⁴ For they bind heavy burdens and grievous to be borne, and lay them on men's shoulders; but they themselves will not move them with one of their fingers.—**MAT.**, ch. 23.

4542. — of Children. Moses. [Farewell address.] ⁹ Only take heed to thyself, lest thou forget the things which thine eyes have seen, and lest they depart from thy heart...but teach them thy sons, and thy sons' sons; ¹⁰ *Specialty* the day that thou stoodest before the Lord...in Horeb.—**DEUT.**, ch. 4.

4543. — Course of. Hebrews. ⁴ Children in whom was no blemish, but well favoured, and skilful in all wisdom, and cunning in knowledge, and understanding science, and such as *had* ability...⁵...so nourishing them three years, that at the end thereof they might stand before the king.—**DAN.**, ch. 1.

4544. — Humble. Apollos. ²⁴ Apollos...an eloquent man, and mighty in the Scriptures, came to Ephesus. ²⁵ This man was instructed in the way of the Lord; and being fervent in the spirit, he spake and taught diligently the things of the Lord, knowing only the baptism of John. ²⁶...whom when Aquila and Priscilla had heard, they...expounded unto him the way of God more perfectly.—**ACTS**, ch. 18.

4545. — Important. Word. ¹⁹ When any one heareth the word...and understandeth it not, then cometh the wicked one, and catcheth away that which was sown in his heart. This is he which received seed by the way side.—**MAT.**, ch. 13.

4546. — Improvement by. Proverb. ⁹ My son, hear the instruction of thy father, and forsake not the law of thy mother: ¹⁰ For they shall

be an ornament of grace unto thy head, and chains about thy neck.—**PROV.**, ch. 1.

4547. — Personal. Apollos. [See No. 4544.]

4548. — Public. Israelites. ⁹ Ezra the priest brought the law before the congregation both of men and women, and all that could hear with understanding.—**NEH.**, ch. 8.

4549. — Private. Paul. ²³ There came many to him into his lodging; to whom he expounded and testified the kingdom of God, persuading them concerning Jesus, both out of the law of Moses, and out of the prophets, from morning till evening.—**ACTS**, ch. 28.

4550. — Youthful. Timothy. ¹⁵ From a child thou hast known the holy Scriptures, which are able to make thee wise unto salvation.—**2 TIM.**, ch. 3.

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4551. INSTRUMENT contemned. Jordan. ¹¹ Naaman was wroth, and went away, and said, Behold, I thought, He will surely come out to me...and call on...his God, and strike his hand over the place, and recover the leper. ¹² Are not Abana and Pharpar, rivers of Damascus, better than all the waters of Israel?—**2 KINGS**, ch. 5.

4552. — A disdained. Young David. ²⁸ Eliab his eldest brother heard when he spake unto the men; and Eliab's anger was kindled against David, and he said, Why camest thou down hither? and with whom hast thou left those few sheep in the wilderness? I know thy

pride, and the naughtiness of thine heart; for thou art come down that thou mightest see the battle.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

4553. — A destroying. Red Sea. [See No. 4557.] ³⁸ The waters returned, and covered, all the host of Pharaoh that came into the sea after them: there remained not so much as one of them.—EX., ch. 14.

4554. — A humiliating. Naaman. ¹⁰ Elisha sent a messenger unto him, saying, Go and wash in Jordan seven times, and thy flesh shall come again to thee, and thou shalt be clean.—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

4555. — Insignificant. Jaw-bone. ¹⁴ The Philistines shouted against him: and the Spirit of the Lord came mightily upon him, and the cords that were upon his arms became as flax that was burnt with fire. ¹⁵ And he found a new jawbone of an ass, and slew a thousand men therewith.—JUDGES, ch. 15.

4556. — A strange. Brazen Serpent. ⁹ Moses made a serpent of brass, and put it upon a pole, if a serpent had bitten any man when he beheld the serpent of brass, he lived.—NUM., ch. 21.

4557. — A saving. Red Sea. ²² The children of Israel went into the midst of the sea upon the dry ground: and the waters were a wall unto them on their right hand, and on their left.—EX., ch. 14.

4558. — A sinful. Woman. ⁴¹ Many more believed because of his own word; ⁴² And said unto the woman, Now we believe, not because of thy saying: for we have heard him ourselves, and know that this is indeed the Christ, the Saviour of the world.—JOHN, ch. 4.

4559. — A strange. Fish. ¹¹ The Lord had prepared a great fish to swallow up Jonah. And Jonah was in the belly of the fish three days and three nights. ¹⁰ And the Lord spake unto the fish, and it vomited out Jonah upon the dry land.—JONAH, chs. 1 and 2.

4560. INSTRUMENTS, Feeble. Four Lepers. ⁶ The Lord had made the host of the Syrians to hear a noise of chariots, and horses, even the noise of a great host: and they said, Lo, the king of Israel hath hired against us the kings of the Hittites, and of the Egyptians. ⁷ They left their tents, and their horses, and their asses, even the camp as it was, and fled for their life.—2 KINGS, ch. 7.

4561. — Men are God's. Cornelius. ¹³ An angel in his house, said, Send men to Joppa, and call for Simon, whose surname is Peter; ¹⁴ Who shall tell thee words, whereby thou and all thy house shall be saved.—ACTS, ch. 10.

4562. — Insignificant. Stones. ⁵⁰ David prevailed over the Philistine with a sling and with a stone, and smote the Philistine, and slew him; but there was no sword in the hand of David.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

4563. — only. Apostles. ¹³ Peter answered, Ye men of Israel, why marvel ye at this? or why look ye so earnestly on us, as though by our own power or holiness we had made this man to walk?—ACTS, ch. 3.

4564. — Quality of. Soldiers. ⁶ Jonathan said to the young man that bare his armour, Come, and let us go over unto, these uncircum-

cised: it may be that the Lord will work for us: for there is no restraint to the Lord to save by many or by few. ¹³ And Jonathan climbed up upon his hands and upon his feet, and his armourbearer after him: and they fell before Jonathan; and his armourbearer slew after him. ¹⁴ About twenty men.—2 SAM., ch. 14.

4565. — Weak. Plagues. ³⁰ Their land brought forth frogs in abundance, in the chambers of their kings. ³¹ He spake, and there came divers sorts of flies, and lice. ³² He gave them hail for rain, and flaming fire in their land. ³³ He smote their vines also and their fig-trees; and brake the trees. ³⁴ He spake, and the locusts came, and caterpillars, and that without number. ³⁵ And did eat up all the herbs.—PS., 105.

4566. INSTRUMENTALITY, Waiting. Moses. ²⁸ Wilt thou kill me, as thou didst the Egyptian yesterday? ²⁹ Then fled Moses at this saying, and was a stranger in the land of Madian, where he begat two sons.—ACTS, ch. 7. [Forty years God waited till his return, and then delivered Israel.]

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4567. INSULT ignored. King Saul. ²¹ The children of Belial said, How shall this man save us? And they despised him, and brought him no presents. But he held his peace. [He having conquered their national enemies, the Ammonites.] ¹² The people said, Who is he that said, Shall Saul reign over us? bring the men, that we may put them to death. ¹³ And Saul said, There shall not a man be put to death this day: for to day the Lord hath wrought salvation in Israel.—1 SAM., chs. 10 and 11.

4568. — Jesus' first. At Nazareth. ²⁸ All they in the synagogue, when they heard these things, were filled with wrath, ²⁹ And rose up, and thrust him out of the city, and led him unto the brow of the hill, (whereon their city was built,) that they might cast him down headlong.—LUKE, ch. 4.

4569. — *Rewarded by. Ammonite King.* [David's sympathizers were taken for spies.] Wherefore Hanun...and shaved off the one half of their beards, and cut off their garments in the middle, even to their buttocks, and sent them away.—2 SAM., ch. 10.

4570. — *A stinging. Paul.* ¹ The high priest Ananias commanded them...to smite him on the mouth. ² Then said Paul unto him, God shall smite thee, *thou* whited wall: for sittest thou to judge me after the law, and commandest me to be smitten contrary to the law?—ACTS, ch. 23.

4571. *INSULTS, Cruel. Trial of Jesus.* ⁴³ The men that held Jesus mocked him, and smote him. ⁴⁴ And when they had blindfolded him, they struck him on the face, and asked him, saying, Prophecy, who is it that smote thee?—LUKE, ch. 22. ⁴⁵ And some began to spit on him...and the servants did strike him with the palms of their hands.—MARK, ch. 14.

4572. — *Contemptuous. Job.* ¹ But now they that are younger than I have me in derision, whose fathers I would have disdained to have set with the dogs of my flock. ⁹ And now am I their song, yea, I am their byword. ¹⁰ They abhor me, they flee far from me, and spare not to spit in my face.—JOB, ch. 30.

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4574. — *A Soldier's. Abner.* [Being charged by Saul's son with dishonour, he said,] ⁹ So do God to Abner, and more also, except, as the Lord hath sworn to David, even so I do to him; ¹⁰ To translate the kingdom from the house of Saul, and to set up the throne of David.—2 SAM., ch. 3. [He went over to David.]

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4575. *INTEGRITY acknowledged. David's.* [See below.] ¹⁸ Saul lifted up his voice, and wept. ¹⁷ And he said to David, Thou art more righteous than I: for thou hast rewarded me good, whereas I have rewarded thee evil.—1 SAM., ch. 24.

4576. — *Conscious. David.* [Having permitted Saul to escape unharmed, he said,] ¹⁸ Wickedness proceedeth from the wicked: but mine hand shall not be upon thee. ¹⁹ The Lord therefore be judge, and judge between me and thee, and see, and plead my cause, and deliver me out of thine hand.—1 SAM., ch. 24.

4577. — *Delight in. Divine.* ¹ A false balance is abomination to the Lord: but a just weight is his delight. ² The integrity of the upright shall guide them...but the wicked shall fall by his own wickedness.—PROV., ch. 11.

4578. — *Fixed. Job.* ⁵ Till I die I will not remove mine integrity from me. ⁶ My righteousness I hold fast, and will not let it go: my heart shall not reproach me so long as I live.—JOB, ch. 27.

4579. — *False. Hazael.* ¹⁸ Their strong holds wilt thou set on fire, and their young men...slay with the sword, and wilt dash their children, and rip up their women with child. ¹⁹ And Hazael said, But what, is thy servant a dog, that he should do this great thing? ²⁰ On the morrow...he took a thick cloth, and dipped it in water, and spread it on his face, so that he died: and Hazael reigned in his stead.—2 KINGS, ch. 8.

4580. — *observed. King Abimelech.* ⁶ God said unto him in a dream, Yea, I know that thou didst this in the integrity of thy heart; for I also withheld thee from sinning against me: therefore suffered I thee not to touch her. ⁷ Now therefore restore the man his wife.—GEN., ch. 20.

4581. — *Official. Samuel the Judge.* ³ Witness against me before the Lord...whose ox have I taken? or whose ass have I taken? or whom have I defrauded? whom have I oppressed? or of whose hand have I received any bribe to blind mine eyes therewith? and I will restore it you. ⁴ And they said, Thou hast not defrauded us.—1 SAM., ch. 12.

4582. — *Steadfast. Job.* ³ The Lord said unto Satan, Hast thou considered my servant Job, that there is none like him in the earth, a perfect and an upright man, one that feareth God, and escheweth evil? and still he holdeth fast his integrity, although thou movedst me against him, to destroy him without cause.—JOB, ch. 2.

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4583. *INTELLIGENCE, Responsibility of. Blood.* ⁴ Whosoever heareth the sound of the trumpet, and taketh not warning; if the sword

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4585. — Battle lost by. *Benhadad*. ¹⁴ Benhadad was drinking himself drunk in the pavilions, he and..the thirty and two kings that helped him. ¹⁹ So these young men of the princes..came out of the city, and the army..²⁰ And they slew every one his man; and the Syrians fled.—1 **Kings**, ch. 20.

4586. — in the Church. *Corinthians*. ²⁰ When ye come together therefore into one

place, *this* is not to eat the Lord's supper. ²¹ For in eating every one taketh before *other* his own supper: and one is hungry, and another is drunken.—1 COR., ch. 11.

4587. — *Changed by.* *Nabal.* ² The man was churlish, and evil in his doings. ¹⁰ And Nabal answered David's servants, and said, Who is David? ²⁶ he held a feast in his house, like the feast of a king; and Nabal's heart was merry within him, for he was very drunken.—1 SAM., ch. 25. [His wife pacified David.]

4588. — *Cruelty of.* *Murder.* ²⁶ She came in straightway with haste. saying, I will that thou give me by and by in a charger the head of John the Baptist. ²⁶ And the king was exceedingly sorry.—MARK, ch. 6.

4589. — *Disarmed by.* *Amnon.* ²⁶ Absalom had commanded his servants, saying, Mark ye now when Amnon's heart is merry with wine, and when I say unto you, Smite Amnon; then kill him. ²⁹ And the servants of Absalom did. Then all the king's sons arose, and every man gat him up upon his mule, and fled.—2 SAM., ch. 13.

4590. — *Dangers of.* *Priests.* ⁸ The Lord spake unto Aaron, saying, ⁹ Do not drink wine nor strong drink, thou, nor thy sons with thee, when ye go into the tabernacle. lest ye die: ¹¹ *it shall be a statute for ever.*—LEV., ch. 10.

4591. — *Degradation by.* *Vashti.* [See No. 4603.]

4592. — *Drunkards.* ³ The crown of pride, the drunkards of Ephraim, shall be trodden under feet: ⁴ And the glorious beauty, which is on the head of the fat valley, shall be a fading flower, and as the hasty fruit before the summer; which *when* he that looketh upon it seeth, while it is yet in his hand he eateth it up.—ISA., ch. 28.

4593. — *Forgetfulness by.* *"Law."* [See No. 4600.]

4594. — *The first.* *Noah.* ²⁰ Noah began to be a husbandman, and he planted a vineyard: ²¹ And he drank of the wine, and was drunken; and he was uncovered within his tent.—GEN., ch. 9.

4595. — *Folly of.* *Herod.* ²¹ Herod on his birthday made a supper to his lords. of Galilee; ²² And when the daughter of. Herodias came in, and danced, and pleased Herod and them that sat with him, the king said unto the damsel, Ask of me whatsoever thou wilt, and I will give ¹¹ thee.—MARK, ch. 6.

4596. — *facilitates Crime.* *Uriah.* [To conceal his crime with Bathsheba.] ¹³ When David had called him. he made him drunk: and at even he went out to lie on his bed. but went not down to his house.—2 SAM., ch. 11.

4597. — *Injuries from.* *Proverb.* ²⁹ Who hath woe? who hath sorrow? who hath contentions? who hath babbling? who hath wounds without cause? who hath redness of eyes? ³⁰ They that tarry long at the wine; they that go to seek mixed wine.—PROV., ch. 23.

4598. — *Kingdom lost by.* *Eliab King of Judah.* ⁹ His servant Zimri, captain of half his chariots, conspired against him, as he was in Tirzah, drinking himself drunk. ¹⁰ And Zimri

went in and. killed him. and reigned in his stead.—1 KINGS, ch. 16.

4599. — *Obduracy in.* *Ahasuerus.* [The Jews were to be massacred.] ¹⁵ The posts went out, being hastened by the king's commandment, and the decree was given. And the king and Haman sat down to drink; but the city Shushan was perplexed.—ESTHER, ch. 3.

4600. — *of Officials.* *"Pervert."* ⁴ O Lemuel, ⁵ it is not for kings to drink wine; nor for princes strong drink: ⁵ Lest they drink, and forget the law, and pervert the judgment.—PROV., ch. 31.

4601. — *Poison of.* *"Stingeth."* [See No. 4584.] ²² At the last it biteth like a serpent, and stingeth like an adder.—PROV., ch. 23.

4602. — *Profanity with.* *Belshazzar.* ¹ Belshazzar. made a great feast to a thousand of his lords, and drank wine. ² while he tasted the wine, commanded to bring the golden and silver vessels which. Nebuchadnezzar had taken out of the temple which was in Jerusalem; that the king, and his princes, his wives, and his concubines, might drink therein.—DAN., ch. 5.

4603. — *Shameless.* *Ahasuerus.* ¹⁰ On the seventh day, when the heart of the king was merry with wine, he commanded. the seven chamberlains. ¹¹ To bring Vashti the queen before the king with the crown royal, to shew the people and the princes her beauty: for she was fair to look on.—ESTHER, ch. 1.

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4604. *INTENTION accepted.* *Offering Isaac.* ¹⁷ By faith Abraham, when he was tried, offered up Isaac: and he that had received the promises offered up his only begotten son.—HEB., ch. 11.

4605. — *approved.* *David's.* ¹⁵ The Lord said unto David my father, Whereas it was in thine heart to build a house unto my name, thou didst well that it was in thine heart.—1 KINGS, ch. 8.

4606. — *abandoned.* *Pilate.* ¹⁵ Pilate sought to release him: but the Jews cried out, saying, If thou let this man go, thou art not Cesar's friend. ¹⁶ Then delivered he him therefore unto them to be crucified.—JOHN, ch. 19.

4607. — *commended.* *Benevolence.* ⁴³ This poor widow hath cast more in, than all they which have cast into the treasury: ⁴⁴ For all they did cast in of their abundance; but she of her want did cast in all that she had, even all her living.—MARK, ch. 12.

4608. — *Crime from.* *Law.* ²² If he thrust him suddenly without enmity, or have cast upon

him any thing without laying of wait, ²³ Or with any stone, wherewith a man may die, seeing him not. .and was not his enemy, neither sought his harm : ²⁴ Then the congregation shall judge between the slayer and the revenger of blood.—NUM., ch. 35.

4609. — *fixes Guilt. Law.* ¹¹ If any man hate his neighbour, and lie in wait for him. . and smite him mortally. .and fleeth into one of these cities ; ¹² Thine eye shall not pity him, but thou shalt put away the guilt of innocent blood from Israel.—DEUT., ch. 19.

4610. — *honoured. "Spikenard."* ⁸ She hath done what she could : she is come aforehand to anoint my body to the burying. ⁹ .Wheresoever this gospel shall be preached throughout the whole world, this also that she hath done shall be spoken of for a memorial of her.—MARK, ch. 14.

4611. — *misjudged. King Saul.* ¹ Hear now, ye Benjamites ; will the son of Jesse give every one of you fields. .and make you all captains. . ² That all of you have conspired against me.—1 SAM., ch. 22.

4612. — *A sincere. Abraham.* ¹⁰ Abraham stretched forth his hand, and took the knife to slay his son. ¹¹ And the Angel of the Lord called unto him out of heaven.—GEN., ch. 22.

4613. — *Superior. Macedonians.* ³ For to their power. .and beyond their power they were willing of themselves ; ⁴ Praying us with much entreaty that we would receive the gift, and take upon us the fellowship of the ministering to the saints.—2 COR., ch. 8.

4614. — *unexecuted. Garden.* ¹⁰ Simon Peter having a sword drew it, and smote the high priest's servant, and cut off his right ear.—JOHN, ch. 18. [He aimed at the head.]

4615. — *Unprotected by. Disobedient.* ⁶ Uzzah put forth his hand to the ark of God, and took hold of it : for the oxen shook it. ⁷ And the anger of the Lord was kindled against Uzzah, and God smote him there for his error ; and there he died by the ark of God.—2 SAM., ch. 6.

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4616. INTERCESSION denied. Samuel. [See No. 4624.] ¹¹ I will not return with thee : for thou hast rejected the word of the Lord, and the Lord hath rejected thee from being king over Israel. ¹⁷ And as Samuel turned about to go away, he laid hold upon the skirt of his mantle, and it rent.—1 SAM., ch. 15.

4617. — *Effect of. Fig Tree.* ¹ These three years I come seeking fruit on this fig tree, and find none : cut it down ; why cumbereth it the ground ? ² .Lord, let it alone this year also, till I shall dig about it, and dung it : ³ And if it bear fruit, well : and if not, then after that thou shalt cut it down.—LUKE, ch. 13.

4618. — *Friendly. Jonathan said.* ⁵ He did put his life in his hand, and slew the Philistine, and the Lord wrought a great salvation for all Israel : thou sawest it, and didst rejoice : wherefore then wilt thou sin against innocent blood, to slay David without a cause ? ⁶ .Saul swars, As the Lord liveth, he shall not be slain.—1 SAM., ch. 19.

4619. — *Abraham.* ²² Wilt thou also destroy the righteous with the wicked ? ²⁴ Peradventure there be fifty righteous within the city : wilt thou also destroy and not spare the place for the fifty righteous that are therein ?—GEN., ch. 18.

4620. — *Limit to. Abraham* ²² said, Oh let not the Lord be angry, and I will speak yet but this once : Peradventure ten shall be found there. And he said, I will not destroy it for ten's sake. ²³ And the Lord went his way.—GEN., ch. 18.

4621. — *A needless. Joseph's Brethren.* ¹⁹ They came near to the steward of Joseph's house, and they communed with him at the door of the house, ²⁰ And said, O sir, we came indeed down at the first time to buy food.—GEN., ch. 43.

4622. — *needed. Pharaoh.* ²² Take your flocks and your herds, as ye have said, and be gone ; and bless me also.—EX., ch. 12.

4623. — *obtained. King Saul.* ²⁰ I have sinned : yet honour me now, I pray thee, before . .Israel, and turn again with me, that I may worship the Lord thy God. ²¹ So Samuel turned again after Saul. .Saul worshipped the Lord.—1 SAM., ch. 15.

4624. — *Penitential. King Saul.* ²⁴ Saul said unto Samuel, I have sinned : for I have transgressed the commandment. .because I feared the people, and obeyed their voice. ²⁵ Now therefore, I pray thee, pardon my sin, and turn again with me, that I may worship the Lord.—1 SAM., ch. 15.

4625. — *rewarded. Moses.* ²² Yet now, if thou wilt forgive their sin—; and if not, blot me, I pray thee, out of thy book. . ²³ .while my glory passeth by. .I will put thee in a cleft of the rock, and will cover thee with my hand.—EX., chs. 32, 33.

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4627. **INTEREST**, Watchful. *Stephen* ⁵⁴ said, Behold, I see the heavens opened, and the Son of man standing on the right hand of God. ⁵¹ Then they cried out with a loud voice, and stopped their ears, and ran upon him.—*Acts*, ch. 7. [A posture of readiness for action.]

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4628. **INTERFERENCE**, A strange. *Relatives*. ²⁰ The multitude cometh together again, so that they could not so much as eat bread. ²¹ And when his friends heard of it, they went out to lay hold on him : for they said, He is beside himself.—*Mark*, ch. 3.

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4629. **INTIMIDATION** attempted. *Nehemiah*. [Sanballat wrote,] 'It is reported among the heathen, and Gashmu saith it, that thou and the Jews think to rebel ; for which cause thou buildest the wall, that thou mayest be their king. . . ' And thou hast also appointed prophets to preach of thee at Jerusalem, saying, *There is a king in Judah* : and now shall it be reported to the king. Come now therefore, and let us take counsel together. ⁹ For they all made us afraid, saying, Their hands shall be weakened from the work.—*Neh.*, ch. 6.

4630. — **Boastful**. *At Samaria*. ²⁸ Rabshakeh stood and cried with a loud voice. . . Hear the word of the great king, the king of Assyria : ²⁹. . . Let not Hezekiah deceive you : for he shall not be able to deliver you out of his hand.—*2 Kings*, ch. 18.

4631. — **Fruit of**. *Peter*. ⁶⁹ A maid. . . began to say. . . This is one of them. ⁷⁰ And he denied it again. And a little after. . . Surely thou art one of them. . . ⁷¹ But he began to curse and to swear, saying, I know not this man.—*Mark*, ch. 14.

4632. — **Failure of**. *Nehemiah*. ¹⁰ Shemiah. . . said, Let us meet together in the house of God. . . and let us shut the doors. . . for they will come to slay thee ; yea, in the night. . . ¹¹ And I said, Should such a man as I flee ? and who is there, that, being as I am, would go into the temple to save his life ? I will not go in.—*Neh.*, ch. 6.

4633. — **Moved by**. *Delilah*. ¹⁵ On the seventh day. . . they said unto Samson's wife, Entice thy husband, that he may declare unto

us the riddle, lest we burn thee and thy father's house with fire.—*Judges*, ch. 14.

4634. — **Unsuccessful**. *Ahab*. ⁶ My servants. . . shall search thy house, and the houses of thy servants ; and. . . whatsoever is pleasant in thy eyes, they shall. . . take it away. ⁸ And all the elders and all the people said unto him, Hearken not unto him, nor consent.—*1 Kings*, ch. 20.

4635. — **Without**. *Peter and John*. ¹⁹ The angel of the Lord by night opened the prison doors, and brought them forth, and said, ²⁰ Go, stand and speak in the temple to the people all the words of this life.—*Acts*, ch. 5.

4636. — **A Woman's**. *Elijah*. ⁹ Jezebel sent a messenger unto Elijah, saying, So let the gods do to me, and more also, if I make not thy life as the life of one of them by to-morrow about this time. ³. . . he arose, and went for his life.—*1 Kings*, ch. 19.

4637. — **Weakness of**. *Philistines*. ¹⁴ That first slaughter, which Jonathan and his armour-bearer made, was about twenty men. . . ¹⁵ And there was trembling in the host, in the field, and among all the people : the garrison, and the spoilers, they also trembled, and the earth quaked : so it was a very great trembling.—*1 Sam.*, ch. 14.

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4638. INTRIGUE, A Mother's. *Rebekah.*
 "I heard thy father speak unto Esau thy brother, saying, 'Bring me venison.. ' And she put the skins of the kids.. upon his hands, and upon the smooth of his neck: ' And she gave the savoury meat and the bread, which she had prepared, into the hand of her son Jacob.—*GEN.*, ch. 27.

4639. — for Office. *Shechemites.* " Their hearts inclined to follow Abimelech.. " And they gave him threescore and ten pieces of silver out of the house of Baalberith, wherewith Abimelech hired vain and light persons, which followed him.—*JUDGES*, ch. 9. [He became king of Israel.]

4640. — by Signs. *Proverb.* " A naughty person, a wicked man, walketh with a froward mouth. " He winketh with his eyes, he speaketh with his feet, he teacheth with his fingers.—*PROV.*, ch. 6.

4641. — Successful. *Gibeonite Neighbours.* " This our bread we took hot.. but now, behold, it is dry, and it is mouldy: " And these bottles of wine.. were new; and, behold, they be rent: and these our garments and our shoes are become old by reason of the very long journey.—*JOSEPH*, ch. 9.

4642. — Unsuccessful. *At Jerusalem.* " That Sanballat and Geshem sent unto me, saying, Come, let us meet together in some one of the villages in the plain of Ono. But they thought to do me mischief. " And I sent.. saying, I am doing a great work, so that I cannot come down.—*NEH.*, ch. 6.

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CONSPIRACY.

Atrocious. Abimelech hired..light persons 1601
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 Defeated. Took counsel how they might entangle 1605
 Escape. Saul sent..David's house..slay 1606
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 Political. They made a conspiracy—2 Kings 14: 19
 " Shallum..conspired..smote—2 Kings 15: 10
 " Jehu conspired against Joram—2 Kings 9: 14
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4643. INVENTION, First Musical. *Jubal.*
 [See No. 4645.]

4644. — Inspiration for. *Bezaleel.* " I have filled him with the spirit of God..in all manner of workmanship, " To devise cunning works, to work in gold, and in silver, and in brass, " And in cutting of stones, to set them, and in carving of timber.—*EX.*, ch. 31.

4645. INVENTORS, Family of. *Lamech's.*
 " Jubal: he was the father of all such as handle the harp and organ. " And Zillah, she also bare Tubal-cain, an instructor of every artificer in brass and iron.—*GEN.*, ch. 4.

4646. — Value of. " *Engines.* " " Uzziah prepared..shields, and spears, and helmets, and habergeons, and bows, and slings to cast stones. " And he made in Jerusalem engines, invented by cunning men, to be on the towers and upon the bulwarks, to shoot arrows and great stones withal. And his name spread far abroad; for he was marvellously helped, till he was strong.—2 *CHRON.*, ch. 26.

Also see:

Mother's. She took for him an ark of bulrushes 484
 Protected by. Could not drive out..chariots of iron 507

4647. INVESTIGATION, A fruitless. *Daniel.*
 " The presidents and princes sought to find occasion against Daniel concerning the kingdom; but they could find none occasion nor fault; forasmuch as he was faithful.—*DAN.*, ch. 6.

4648. — Secret. *Nehemiah.* " Then went I up in the night by the brook, and viewed the wall..and so returned. " And the rulers knew not whither I went, or what I did; neither had I as yet told it to the Jews, nor to the priests.—*NEH.*, ch. 2.

See other illustrations under:

DISCOVERY.

Alarming. My money is restored..heart failed 2360
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EXAMINATION.

Brutal. Paul should be examined by scourging 2773
 Doctrines. [Bereans] searched..whether those 2774
 Self. One of you..shall betray me..Is it I 2775
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 Appalling. When saw we thee..in prison?..least 8603
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4649. INVITATION, Bountiful. *Pharaoh's.*
 " Take your father, and your households, and come unto me: and I will give you the good of the land of Egypt, and ye shall eat the fat of the land.—*GEN.*, ch. 45.

4650. — to Benevolence. *Building Tabernacle.* " Take ye from among you an offering unto the Lord: whosoever is of a willing heart..gold, and silver, and brass, " And blue, and

purple, and scarlet, and fine linen, and goats' hair, * And oil for the light, and spices for anointing oil, and for the sweet incense.—Ex., ch. 35.

4651. — *The Christian.* "Come." "We have found him, of whom Moses in the law, and the prophets, did write, Jesus of Nazareth. * And Nathanael said unto him, Can there any good thing come out of Nazareth? Philip saith unto him, Come and see.—JOHN, ch. 1.

4652. — *The Divine.* "Come." "Ho, every one that thirsteth, come ye to the waters, and he that hath no money; come ye, buy, and eat; yea, come, buy wine and milk without money and without price.—ISA., ch. 55.

4653. — *The Gospel.* "Feast." "The kingdom of heaven is like unto a certain king, which made a marriage for his son, * And sent forth his servants to call them that were bidden to the wedding: and they would not come.—MAT., ch. 22.

4654. — *of Grace.* "Say, Come." "The Spirit and the bride say, Come. And let him that heareth say, Come. And let him that is athirst come. And whosoever will, let him take the water of life freely.—REV., ch. 22.

4655. — *Heavenward.* *Moses'.* "Moses said unto Hobab, Moses' father in law, We are journeying unto the place of which the Lord said, I will give it you: come thou with us, and we will do thee good: for the Lord hath spoken good concerning Israel. * And he said, I will not go.—NUM., ch. 10.

4656. — *A pressing.* "Knock." "Behold, I stand at the door, and knock: if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me.—REV., ch. 3.

4657. — *solicited.* *Peter.* "It is I; be not afraid. * And Peter answered him and said, Lord, if it be thou, bid me come unto thee on the water. * And he said, Come.—MAT., ch. 14.

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CALL.

Apostleship. Follow me. [Levi] left all	1007
Children. L. called Samuel. here am I	1008
Dishonoured. Follow me. bury my father	1009
Earnestness. No man. looking back. is fit	1010
Instrumental. Take thee Joshua. give him a	1011
Ministerial. Dwell with me. a priest. 10 shekels	1012
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Response. Whom shall I send. here am I	1015
Spirit. Thine ears. hear a word behind thee	1016
Sacrifice. He called. they left their father	1017
Vision. Come over into Macedonia. help	1018

PROMISE.

Great. I send the promise of my Father upon you	6639
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" Whatsoever thou shalt ask. give it thee	6641
Regretted. King was. sorry; yet for his oath's sake	6642

4658. *IRON, First Use of.* *Lamech's.* "Zillah, she. bare Tubal-cain, an instructor of every artificer in brass and iron. * And Lamech said unto his wives, Adah and Zillah. I have slain a man to my wounding, and a young man to my hurt. * If Cain shall be avenged sevenfold, truly Lamech seventy and sevenfold.—GEN., ch. 4. [These verses have been rendered thus:

I can slay a man for my hurt, when he hurts me, or even a vigorous young man for my wound when he wounds me. If Cain shall be avenged of God sevenfold, I will avenge myself more—seventy times seven. Lamech rejoiced over the invention of arms.]

4659. *IRONY, Horrible.* "King." "Over his head his accusation written, THIS IS JESUS THE KING OF THE JEWS. * He saved others; himself he cannot save.—MAT., ch. 27.

4660. — *Rebuke of.* *Elijah's.* "Elijah mocked them, and said, Cry aloud: for he is a god; either he is talking, or he is pursuing, or he is in a journey, or peradventure he sleepeth, and must be awaked. * And they cried aloud, and cut themselves. with knives and lancets, till the blood gushed out.—1 KINGS, ch. 18.

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" If a fox go up. break down their wall	7433
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Malevolent. Spit in his face, and buffeted	7614
" Mocked him. a gorgeous robe	7615

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Pride. Haman thought scorn to. alone	7618
Public. All that pass by clap their hands at thee	7619
Sinners. They made light of it, and went	7621
Unbelief. They laughed him to scorn	7620

4661. *IRRESOLUTION in Religion.* "Farewell." "Lord, I will follow thee; but let me first go bid them farewell, which are at home. * And Jesus said. No man, having put his hand to the plough, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God.—LUKE, ch. 9.

4662. — *A sad.* *Pilate.* "Pilate sought to release him: but the Jews cried out, saying, If thou let this man go, thou art not Cesar's friend. * Then delivered he him therefore unto them to be crucified.—JOHN, ch. 19.

See HESITATION and references.

4663. *IRREVERENCE from Curiosity.* *Ark.* "He smote the men of Beth-shemesh, because they had looked into the ark of the Lord. fifty thousand and threescore and ten men.—1 SAM., ch. 6.

4664. — *Headless.* *Uzzah.* "Uzzah put forth his hand to the ark of God, and took hold of it; for the oxen shook it. * And the anger of the Lord was kindled against Uzzah; and God smote him there for his error; and there he died.—2 SAM., ch. 6.

4665. — *punished.* *Nadab and Abihu.* "Took either of them his censer, and put fire

therein, and put incense thereon, and offered strange fire before the Lord, which he commanded them not. ²...fire from the Lord...devoured them.—LEV., ch. 10.

4666. — Presumptuous. *King Saul* ⁸ Tarried seven days, according to the set time that Samuel had appointed: but Samuel came not to Gilgal; and the people were scattered from him. ⁹ And Saul said, Bring hither a burnt offering to me, and peace offerings. And he offered the burnt offering.—1 SAM., ch. 13. [It cost him his kingdom.]

4667. — reproved. *Saul's Destroyer* ¹³ Answered, I am...an Amalekite. ¹⁴ And David said...How wast thou not afraid to stretch forth thine hand to destroy the Lord's anointed? ¹⁵ And David called one of the young men, and said, Go near, and fall upon him...he died.—2 SAM., ch. 1.

4668. — Rebellious. *Sinners*. ²⁷ They will reverence my son. ²⁸...the husbandmen...said among themselves, This is the heir; come, let us kill him, and let us seize on his inheritance. ²⁹ And they caught him, and cast him out of the vineyard, and slew him.—MAT., ch. 21.

See other illustrations under:

BLASPHEMY.

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Greatest. Word against the Son of man...be forgiven 804
Heedless. As the L. liveth, I will...take something 805
Habit. Stephen ceaseth not to speak blasphemous 806
Murdered. He ought to die...made himself the Son 807
No. Why...speak blasphemies?...Who can forgive 808
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Presumptuous. They brought the golden vessels 7544
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4669. IRRITATION by Disappointment. *Israelites*. ¹² Is not this the word that we did tell thee in Egypt, saying, Let us alone, that we may serve the Egyptians? For it had been better for us to serve the Egyptians, than that we should die in the wilderness.—EX., ch. 14.

4670. IRRITABILITY, A Drunkard's. *Nabal*. ³ The man was churlish and evil in his doings...²⁴ And Abigail came to Nabal; and, behold, he held a feast in his house, like the feast of a king; and Nabal's heart was merry within him, for he was very drunken.—1 SAM., ch. 25.

See IMPATIENCE and references.

4671. JEALOUSY, Crucified by. *Jesus*. ¹⁷ Pilate said...Whom will ye that I release unto you? Barabbas, or Jesus which is called Christ? ¹⁸ For he knew that for envy they had delivered him.—MAT., ch. 27.

4672. — Disunion by. *Israel*. ¹ There hap-

pened to be there a man of Belial, whose name was Sheba...he blew a trumpet, and said, We have no part in David...every man to his tents, O Israel. ² So every man of Israel went up from after David, and followed Sheba...but the men of Judah clave unto their king.—2 SAM., ch. 20.

4673. — Free from. *Moses*. ²⁸ Joshua...said, My lord Moses, forbid them. ²⁹ And Moses said...Enviest thou for my sake? would God that all the Lord's people were prophets, and that the Lord would put his Spirit upon them.—NUM., ch. 11.

4674. — Fraternal. *Elder Son*. ²⁸ He was angry, and would not go in: therefore came his father out, and entreated him. ²⁹ And he answering said...Lo, these many years do I serve thee, neither transgressed I at any time thy commandment; and yet thou never gavest me a kid, that I might make merry with my friends.—LUKE, ch. 15.

4675. — Implacable. *Proverb*. ²⁴ Jealousy is the rage of a man: therefore he will not spare in the day of vengeance. ²⁵ He will not regard any ransom; neither will he rest content, though thou givest many gifts.—PROV., ch. 6.

4676. — Local. *Samaritans*. ²² Jesus sent messengers before his face: and they went, and entered into a village of the Samaritans, to make ready for him. ²³ And they did not receive him, because his face was as though he would go to Jerusalem.—LUKE, ch. 9.

4677. — National. *Naaman*. ¹² Are not Abana and Pharpar, rivers of Damascus, better than all the waters of Israel? may I not wash in them, and be clean? So he turned and went away in a rage.—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

4678. — Polygamous. *Rachel*. ¹ When Rachel saw that she bare Jacob no children, Rachel envied her sister; and said unto Jacob, Give me children, or else I die.—GEN., ch. 30.

4679. — Incites Strife. *Advice*. [After the overthrow of Absalom.] ⁴² The men of Israel answered the men of Judah...We have ten parts in the king, and we have also more right in David than ye: why then did ye despise us, that our advice should not be first had in bringing back our king? And the words of the men of Judah were fiercer than the words of the men of Israel.—2 SAM., ch. 19.

4680. — of Success. *Ephraimites*. ¹ Why hast thou served us thus, that thou calledst us not, when thou wentest to fight with the Midianites? And they did chide with him sharply. ² And he said unto them, What have I done now in comparison of you? Is not the gleanings of the grapes of Ephraim better than the vintage of Abi-ezer?—JUDGES, ch. 8.

4681. — Success begets. *King Saul*. ²⁸ Knew that the Lord was with David, and that Michal Saul's daughter loved him. ²⁹ And Saul was yet the more afraid of David; and Saul became David's enemy continually.—1 SAM., ch. 18.

4682. — Wounded. *King Saul*. ⁶ Saul was very wroth...and he said, They have ascribed unto David ten thousands, and to me they have ascribed but thousands: and what can he have more but the kingdom? ⁷ And Saul eyed David from that day and forward.—1 SAM., ch. 18.

See other illustrations under:

RIVALRY.

Apostles. There was a strife..which should be g. 7450
 Place. The ten..were moved with indignation 7451
 Reproved. Ye call me Master..washed your feet 7452

SUSPICION.

Affected. Ye are spies; to see the nakedness 8516
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 Unwarranted. Abner..came to deceive thee 8525
 "Hath not David sent..to spy it out? 8526

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4693. JESUS the Avenger. Armour. ¹⁶ He saw that *there was* no man, and wondered that *there was* no intercessor: therefore his arm brought salvation unto him; and his righteousness, it sustained him. ¹⁷ For he put on righteousness as a breastplate, and a helmet of salvation upon his head; and he put on the garments of vengeance for clothing, and was clad with zeal as a cloak.—*ISA.*, ch. 59.

4694. — Affection of. Natural. ⁵ Jesus loved Martha, and her sister, and Lazarus.—*JOHN*, ch. 11.

4695. — our Advocate. "With the Father." ¹ If any man sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous: ² And he is the propitiation for our sins.—*1 JOHN*, ch. 2.

4696. — All for. "Every Creature." [See No. 4712.]

4697. — the Beloved Son. Baptism. ¹⁶ The heavens were opened..and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove, and lighting upon him: ¹⁷ And lo a voice from heaven, saying, This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased.—*MAT.*, ch. 3.

4698. — with his Church. Commission. ¹⁹ Go..teach all nations, baptizing them..²⁰ Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you alway, *even* unto the end of the world.—*MAT.*, ch. 28.

4699. — the Conqueror. "White Horses." [See above.] ¹⁴ The armies which were in heaven followed him upon white horses, clothed in fine linen, white and clean. ¹⁵ And out of his mouth goeth a sharp sword, that with it he should smite the nations; and he shall rule them with a rod of iron: and he treadeth the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God. ¹⁶ And he hath on his vesture and on his thigh a name written, KING OF KINGS, AND LORD OF LORDS.—*REV.*, ch. 19.

4700. — called Lord. First. [Jesus unborn, Elisabeth saluted Mary.] ⁴² She spake out with a loud voice, and said, Blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb. ⁴³ And whence is this to me, that the mother of my Lord should come to me?—*LUKE*, ch. 1.

4701. — crowded out. "No Room." ⁷ She brought forth her firstborn son..and laid him in a manger; because there was no room for them in the inn.—*LUKE*, ch. 2.

4692. — the Defence. "Standard." ¹⁸ When the enemy shall come in like a flood, the Spirit of the Lord shall lift up a standard against him.—*ISA.*, ch. 59.

4693. — Divine. Trial. ¹ Jews answered him, We have a law, and by our law he ought to die, because he made himself the Son of God. ² When Pilate therefore heard that saying, he was the more afraid.—*JOHN*, ch. 19.

4694. — discovered. At Emmaus. ³⁰ He took bread, and blessed it, and brake, and gave to them. ³¹ And their eyes were opened, and they knew him; and he vanished..³² And they said..Did not our heart burn within us, while he talked..and while he opened to us the Scriptures?—*LUKE*, ch. 24.

4695. — despised. In Representatives. ¹⁶ He that heareth you heareth me; and he that despiseth you despiseth me; and he that despiseth me despiseth him that sent me.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

4696. — dismissed. Gadarenes. ¹⁵ They come to Jesus, and see him that was possessed with the devil, and had the legion, sitting, and clothed, and in his right mind; and they were afraid. ¹⁶ And they that saw it told them how it befell to him..and also concerning the swine. ¹⁷ And they began to pray him to depart out of their coasts.—*MARK*, ch. 5.

4697. — discarded. For Barabbas. ²⁴ Pilate..²⁵ released..him that for sedition and murder was cast into prison, whom they had desired; but he delivered Jesus to their will.—*LUKE*, ch. 23.

4698. — disguised. Near Emmaus. ¹² He appeared in another form unto two of them, as they walked, and went into the country. ¹³ And they went and told it unto the residue: neither believed they them.—*MARK*, ch. 16.

4699. — disturbed by. "Knock..Voice." ²⁰ Behold, I stand at the door, and knock: if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him.—*REV.*, ch. 3.

4700. — expedites Effort. Disciples. [They laboured eight or nine hours in rowing three miles and a half.] ²¹ They willingly received him into the ship: and immediately the ship was at the land whither they went.—*JOHN*, ch. 6.

4701. — in Glory. Amid the Candlesticks. ¹⁴ His head and his hairs were white like wool, as white as snow; and his eyes were as a flame of fire; ¹⁵ And his feet like unto fine brass, as if they burned in a furnace; and his voice as the sound of many waters. ¹⁶ And he had in his right hand seven stars: and out of his mouth went a sharp two-edged sword: and his countenance was as the sun shineth in his strength. ¹⁷ And when I saw him, I fell as his feet as dead.—*REV.*, ch. 1.

4702. — our High Priest. Unchangeable. ²³ They truly were many priests, because they were not suffered to continue by reason of death: ²⁴ But this man, because he continueth ever, hath an unchangeable priesthood.—*HEB.*, ch. 7.

4703. — on High. Stephen saw. ⁵⁵ Looked up steadfastly into heaven, and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing on the right hand of God.—*ACTS*, ch. 7.

4704. — our Intercessor. "Ever liveth." [See No. 4702.] ²⁵ Wherefore he is able also to save them to the uttermost that come unto God by him, seeing he ever liveth to make intercession for them.—*HEB.*, ch. 7.

4705. — the King. *Cross.* ¹⁹ Pilate wrote a title, and put it on the cross. . . JESUS OF NAZARETH THE KING OF THE JEWS. . . ²¹ Then said the chief priests. . . to Pilate, Write not, The King of the Jews; but that he said, I am King of the Jews. ²² Pilate answered, What I have written I have written.—*JOHN*, ch. 19.

4706. — Life in. *To Martha.* ²⁵ Jesus said. . . I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live: ²⁶ And whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die. Believest thou this?—*JOHN*, ch. 11.

4707. — mistaken. *Prophet only.* ¹³ He asked his disciples, saying, Whom do men say that I, the Son of man, am? ¹⁴ And they said, Some say that thou art John the Baptist; some, Elijah; and others, Jeremiah, or one of the prophets.—*MAT.*, ch. 16.

4708. — mobbed. *Pharisees.* ⁵⁸ Before Abraham was, I am. ⁵⁹ Then took they up stones to cast at him: but Jesus hid himself, and went out of the temple, going through the midst of them.—*JOHN*, ch. 8.

4709. — nicknamed. "Samaritan." ⁴⁶ The Jews. . . said unto him, Say we not well that thou art a Samaritan, and hast a devil?—*JOHN*, ch. 8.

4710. — Offerings for. *Magi.* ¹¹ They saw the young child with Mary his mother, and fell down, and worshipped him: and. . . they presented unto him gifts; gold, and frankincense, and myrrh.—*MAT.*, ch. 2.

4711. — personated. *Persecuted.* ¹ I fell unto the ground, and heard a voice saying unto me, Saul, Saul, why persecutest thou me? ² And I answered, Who art thou, Lord? And he said. . . I am Jesus of Nazareth, whom thou persecutest.—*ACTS*, ch. 22.

4712. — Praise to. *In Heaven.* ¹¹ I heard the voice of many angels round about the throne, and the beasts, and the elders. . . ¹² Saying with a loud voice, Worthy is the Lamb that was slain to receive power, and riches, and wisdom, and strength, and honour, and glory, and blessing. ¹³ And every creature. . . in heaven. . . earth, and under the earth, and. . . sea, and all that are in them, heard I saying, Blessing, and honour, and glory, and power, be unto him that sitteth upon the throne, and unto the Lamb for ever and ever.—*REV.*, ch. 5.

4713. — Patience of. "Stand at the Door." [See No. 4699.]

4714. — Reception of. *Child.* ⁵ Whoso shall receive one such little child in my name receiveth me.—*MAT.*, ch. 18.

4715. — Representatives of. *Disciples.* ⁴⁰ He that receiveth you receiveth me; and he that receiveth me receiveth him that sent me.—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

4716. — rejected. *Samaritans.* [See No. 4676.]

4717. — Saved by. *Lake Gennesaret.* ²⁹ Peter. . . walked on the water, to go to Jesus. ³⁰ But when he saw the wind boisterous, he was afraid;

and beginning to sink, he cried, saying, Lord, save me. ³¹ And immediately Jesus stretched forth his hand, and caught him.—*MAT.*, ch. 14.

4718. — unrecognised. *Resurrection.* ¹⁵ Jesus saith. . . Woman, why weepest thou? whom seekest thou? She, supposing him to be the gardener, saith. . . Sir, if thou have borne him hence, tell me where thou hast laid him, and I will take him away. ¹⁶ Jesus saith. . . Mary. She turned herself, and saith. . . Rabboni.—*JOHN*, ch. 20.

4719. — understood. *Son of God.* [See No. 4707.] ¹⁵ But whom say ye that I am? ¹⁶. . . Peter answered. . . Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God.—*MAT.*, ch. 16.

4720. — the Warrior. "Judge and make War." ¹¹ I saw heaven opened, and behold a white horse; and he that sat upon him was called Faithful and True, and in righteousness he doth judge and make war. ¹² His eyes were as a flame of fire, and on his head were many crowns; and he had a name written, that no man knew, but he himself. ¹³ And he was clothed with a vesture dipped in blood: and his name is called The Word of God.—*REV.*, ch. 19.

4721. — welcomed. *In Bereavement.* ²⁰ Martha, as soon as she heard that Jesus was coming, went and met him: but Mary sat still in the house.—*JOHN*, ch. 11.

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4722. JEWELS, The Lord's. *Age of Sceptics.* ¹⁶ They that feared the Lord spake often one to another: and the Lord hearkened, and heard it, and a book of remembrance was written before him for them that feared the Lord, and that thought upon his name. ¹⁷ And they shall be mine, saith the Lord of hosts, in that day when I make up my jewels.—*MAL.*, ch. 3.

4723. JEWELRY, Abundance of. *Gideon's Men* ²⁵ Spread a garment, and did cast therein every man the earrings of his prey. ²⁶ And the weight of the golden earrings. . . was a thousand and seven hundred shekels of gold; besides ornaments, and collars, and purple raiment that was on the kings of Midian, and besides the chains. . . about their camels' necks.—*JUDGES*, ch. 8.

4724. — a Badge. *Chain.* ²⁹ Then commanded Belshazzar, and they clothed Daniel with scarlet, and put a chain of gold about his neck, and made a proclamation concerning him, that he should be the third ruler in the kingdom.—*DAN.*, ch. 5.

4725. — given to God. *Building Tabernacle.* ²³ Men and women, as many as were willing hearted. . . brought bracelets, and earrings, and rings, and tablets, all jewels of gold: and. . . offered an offering of gold unto the Lord.—*EX.*, ch. 35.

4726. — a Snare. *Gideon.* [See No. 4723.] ²⁷ Gideon made an ephod thereof, and put it in his city. . . and all Israel went thither a whoring after it: which thing became a snare unto Gideon, and to his house.—*JUDGES*, ch. 8.

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4727. JOURNEY arrested. *Israelites.* ¹ Let us pass, I pray thee, through thy country: we will not pass through the fields, or...vineyards, neither...drink...of the wells: we will go by the king's high way, we will not turn to the right hand nor to the left, until we have passed thy borders. ¹⁸ And Edom said. Thou shalt not pass by me, lest I come out against thee with the sword.—NUM., ch. 20.

4728. — The Christian's. *Abram.* ¹ Get thee out of thy country, and from thy kindred...unto a land that I will shew thee: ² And I will make of thee a great nation, and I will bless thee, and make thy name great; and thou shalt be a blessing.—GEN., ch. 12.

4729. — Preparation for. *Elijah.* ¹ The angel of the Lord came again the second time, and touched him, and said, Arise and eat, because the journey is too great for thee. ⁸ And he arose, and did eat and drink, and went in the strength of that meat forty days and forty nights unto Horeb.—1 KINGS, ch. 19.

4730. — A sad. *Sacrifice of Isaac.* ² Abraham rose up early in the morning, and saddled his ass, and took two of his young men with him, and Isaac his son, and clave the wood for the burnt offering. . . and went unto the place of which God had told him.—GEN., ch. 22.

4731. — to Zion, The. *The Ransomed.* ⁴ Say to them that are of a fearful heart, Be strong, fear not: behold, your God will come with vengeance, even God with a recompense; he will come and save you. . . ⁶ Then shall the lame man leap as a hart, and the tongue of the dumb sing: for in the wilderness shall waters break out, and streams in the desert. . . ⁸ And a highway shall be there, and a way, and it shall be called The way of holiness; the unclean shall not pass over it; but it shall be for those: the wayfaring men, though fools, shall not err therein. ⁹ No lion shall be there, nor any ravenous beast shall go up thereon, it shall not be found there; but the redeemed shall walk there: ¹⁰ And the ransomed of the Lord shall return, and come to Zion with songs and everlasting joy upon their heads: they shall obtain joy and gladness, and sorrow and sighing shall flee away.—ISA., ch. 35.

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4732. JOY of Builders. *Temple.* ¹² Many of the...ancient men, that had seen the first house, when the foundation of this house was laid before their eyes, wept with a loud voice; and many shouted aloud for joy: ¹³ So that the people could not discern the noise of the shout of

joy from the noise of the weeping of the people.—EZRA, ch. 3.

4733. — of Believers. *"Unspeakable."* ⁸ Whom having not seen, ye love; in whom, though now ye see him not, yet believing, ye rejoice with joy unspeakable and full of glory: ⁹ Receiving the end of your faith, even the salvation of your souls.—1 PETER, ch. 1.

4734. — The Convert's. *At Jerusalem.* ⁴⁸ They, continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, did eat their meat with gladness and singleness of heart, ⁴⁹ Praising God, and having favour with all the people.—ACTS, ch. 2.

4735. — of Conscience. *Paul.* ¹² Our rejoicing is this, the testimony of our conscience, that in simplicity and godly sincerity, not with fleshly wisdom, but by the grace of God, we have had our conversation in the world, and more abundantly to you-ward.—2 COR., ch. 1.

4736. — of Deliverance. *Lame Man.* ¹ Peter took him by the right hand, and lifted him up: and immediately his feet and ankle bones received strength. ⁸ And he leaping up stood, and walked, and entered with them into the temple, walking, and leaping, and praising God.—ACTS, ch. 3.

4737. — Exuberant. *Conversion.* ⁹ When she hath found it, she calleth her friends and her neighbours together, saying, Rejoice with me; for I have found the piece which I had lost. ¹⁰ Likewise...there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner that repenteth.—LUKE, ch. 15.

4738. — of Escape. *Darius.* ³² Then was the king exceeding glad for him, and commanded that they should take Daniel up out of the den.—DAN., ch. 6.

4739. — Excitement of. *Rhoda's.* ¹⁴ When she knew Peter's voice, she opened not the gate for gladness, but ran in, and told how Peter stood before the gate.—ACTS, ch. 12.

4740. — rather than Fear. *To Shepherds.* ⁹ They were sore afraid. ¹⁰ And the angel said...Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.—LUKE, ch. 2.

4741. — of Giving. *For Temple.* ⁹ The people rejoiced, for that they offered willingly, because with perfect heart they offered willingly to the Lord: and David the king also rejoiced with great joy.—1 CHRON., ch. 29.

4742. — A hellish. *Murderers.* ⁵ They were glad, and covenanted to give him money. ⁶ And he promised, and sought opportunity to betray him...in the absence of the multitude.—LUKE, ch. 22.

4743. — Irrepressible. *At Jerusalem.* ³⁹ Some of the Pharisees...said...Master, rebuke thy disciples. ⁴⁰ And he answered...I tell you that, if these should hold their peace, the stones would immediately cry out.—LUKE, ch. 19.

4744. — The Mother's. *Mary.* ¹⁸ All...wondered at those things which were told them by the shepherds. ¹⁹ But Mary kept all these things, and pondered them in her heart.—LUKE, ch. 2.

4745. — Overcoming. *Israel.* ²⁷ They told him all the words of Joseph...and when he

saw the wagons which Joseph had sent to carry him, the spirit of Jacob their father revived.—*GEN.*, ch. 45.

4746. — *Penitential. Israelites.* ⁹ This day is holy unto the Lord your God; mourn not, nor weep. For all the people wept, when they heard the words of the law. ¹² . . . went their way to eat, and to drink, and to send portions, and to make great mirth, because they had understood the words that were declared unto them.—*NEH.*, ch. 8.

4747. — *Religious. Bringing the Ark.* ¹⁴ David danced before the Lord with all his might. ¹⁵ So David and all the house of Israel brought up the ark of the Lord with shouting, and with the sound of the trumpet.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 6. [It had been away nearly fifty years.]

4748. — *of Recovery. Philip at Samaria.* ¹ Unclean spirits, crying with loud voice, came out of many that were possessed. . . and many taken with palsies, and that were lame, were healed. ⁸ And there was great joy in that city.—*ACTS.*, ch. 8.

4749. — *of Success. Walls erected.* ⁴² The singers sang loud. ⁴³ Also that day they offered great sacrifices, and rejoiced: for God had made them rejoice with great joy: the wives also and the children rejoiced: so that the joy of Jerusalem was heard even afar off.—*NEH.*, ch. 12.

4750. — *The supreme. To the Seventy.* ²⁰ In this rejoice not, that the spirits are subject unto you; but rather rejoice, because your names are written in heaven.—*LUKE.*, ch. 10.

4751. — *Song of. David's.* ¹ I waited patiently for the Lord, and he inclined unto me, and heard my cry. ² He brought me up also out of a horrible pit, out of the miry clay, and set my feet upon a rock, and established my goings. ³ And he hath put a new song in my mouth, even praise unto our God.—*PS.* 40.

4752. — *Weeping for. Joseph.* ¹ Joseph could not refrain himself. . . he cried, Cause every man to go out from me. And there stood no man with him, while Joseph made himself known unto his brethren. ² And he wept aloud.—*GEN.*, ch. 45.

4753. — *amid Want. "In God."* ¹⁷ Although the fig tree shall not blossom, neither shall fruit be in the vines; the labour of the olive shall fail, and the fields shall yield no meat; the flock shall be cut off from the fold, and there shall be no herd in the stalls: ¹⁸ Yet I will rejoice in the Lord, I will joy in the God of my salvation.—*HAB.*, ch. 3.

4754. — *in Worship. David.* ¹ How amiable are thy tabernacles, O Lord of hosts! ² My soul longeth, yea, even fainteth for the courts of the Lord: my heart and my flesh crieth out for the living God.—*PS.* 84.

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4755. JUBILEE, Year of. Law. ¹⁰ Proclaim liberty throughout all the land unto all the inhabitants thereof: it shall be a jubilee unto you; and ye shall return every man unto his possession, and. . . unto his family. ¹¹ A jubilee shall that fiftieth year be unto you: ye shall not sow, neither reap.—*LEV.*, ch. 25.

4756. JUDGE, A Circuit. Samuel. ¹⁶ He went from year to year in circuit to Beth-el, and Gilgal, and Mizpeh, and judged Israel in all those places. ¹⁷ And his return was to Ramah; for there was his house.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 7.

4757. — Qualification of a. Innocence. ⁴ Master, this woman was taken in adultery. . . ⁵ Now Moses. . . commanded us, that such should be stoned: but what sayest thou? . . . He that is without sin among you, let him first cast a stone at her.—*JOHN.*, ch. 8.

4758. — An unjust. Pilate. ⁶ Pilate saith unto them, Take ye him, and crucify him: for I find no fault in him.—*JOHN.*, ch. 19.

4759. — An unrighteous. Ananias. ¹ Men and brethren, I have lived in all good conscience before God until this day. ² And the high priest Ananias commanded. . . to smite him on the mouth. ³ Then said Paul. . . God shall smite thee, thou whitened wall: for sittest thou to judge me after the law, and commandest me to be smitten contrary to the law?—*ACTS.*, ch. 23.

4760. JUDGES, Bribery of. Samuel's Sons ⁵ Were judges in Beersheba. ⁸ And his sons walked not in his ways, but turned aside after lucre, and took bribes, and perverted judgment.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 8.

4761. JUDGMENT, Awards at the. Jesus said. ⁴⁴ Lord, when saw we thee a hungered, or athirst, or a stranger, or naked, or sick, or in

prison, and did not minister unto thee? ⁴⁴ Then shall he answer. Inasmuch as ye did it not to one of the least of these, ye did it not to me.—*MAT.*, ch. 25.

4762. — *Accountability at the. "Pounds."* ¹³ When he was returned, he commanded these servants to be called, that he might know how much every man had gained by trading. ¹⁶ Then came the first, saying, Lord, thy pound hath gained ten pounds. ¹⁷ And he said, Well, thou good servant.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

4763. — *Blindness a. Of Jews.* ⁴⁰ He hath blinded their eyes, and hardened their heart; that they should not see with their eyes, nor understand with their heart, and be converted, and I should heal them.—*JOHN*, ch. 12.

4764. — *in Despondency. Elijah.* ¹⁷ The children of Israel have forsaken thy covenant, thrown down thine altars, and slain thy prophets with the sword; and I, even I only, am left; and they seek my life, to take it away. ¹⁸ Yet I have left me seven thousand in Israel, which have not bowed unto Baal.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 19.

4765. — *Disappointment at the. "Know you not."* ³⁶ We have eaten and drunk in thy presence, and thou hast taught in our streets. ³⁷ But he shall say, I know you not whence ye are; depart from me, all ye workers of iniquity. ⁴³ There shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth.—*LUKE*, ch. 13.

4766. — *Discoveries at the. "Saw thee."* [See No. 4761.]

4767. — *Effect of. "Afraid."* [See No. 4769.] ¹ David was afraid of the Lord that day, and said, How shall the ark of the Lord come to me?—*2 SAM.*, ch. 6.

4768. — *Humiliating. Herod.* ²¹ Herod, arrayed in royal apparel, sat upon his throne, and made an oration. ²² And the people gave a shout, saying, It is the voice of a god, and not of a man. ²³ And immediately the angel of the Lord smote him, because he gave not God the glory: and he was eaten of worms and gave up the ghost.—*ACTS*, ch. 12.

4769. — *upon the Headless. Uzzah.* ⁶ Uzzah put forth his hand to the ark of God, and took hold of it; for the oxen shook it. ¹ And the anger of the Lord was kindled against Uzzah, and God smote him there for his error.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 6.

4770. — *Individual. "Garment."* ¹¹ When the king came in to see the guests, he saw there a man which had not on a wedding garment: ¹² And he saith, Friend, how camest thou in hither, not having a wedding garment? And he was speechless.—*MAT.*, ch. 22.

4771. — *for Judgment. Christ said,* ² With what judgment ye judge, ye shall be judged: and with what measure ye mete, it shall be measured to you again.—*MAT.*, ch. 7.

4772. — *the Lord's. Eliab.* ¹ The Lord said unto Samuel, Look not on his countenance, or on the height of his stature; because I have refused him: for the Lord seeth not as man seeth; for man looketh on the outward appearance, but the Lord looketh on the heart.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 16.

4773. — *Preparation for. "Beam."* [See No. 4771.] ⁴ How wilt thou say to thy brother, Let me pull out the mote out of thine eye; and,

behold, a beam is in thine own eye? ⁵ Thou hypocrite, first cast out the beam out of thine own eye; and then shalt thou see clearly to cast out the mote out of thy brother's eye.—*MAT.*, ch. 7.

4774. — *Preparation for. Paul at Athens.* ²⁰ The times of this ignorance God winked at; but now commandeth all men every where to repent: ³¹ Because he hath appointed a day, in the which he will judge the world.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

4775. — *repeated. Sapphira.* [See No. 4780.] ⁵ Then Peter said unto her, How is it that ye have agreed together to tempt the Spirit of the Lord? behold, the feet of them which have buried thy husband are at the door, and shall carry thee out. ¹⁰ Then fell she down, and yielded up the ghost.—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

4776. — *Swift. Miriam.* ¹ Miriam and Aaron spake against Moses because of the Ethiopian woman whom he had married. ² And they said, Hath the Lord indeed spoken only by Moses? hath he not spoken also by us? ¹⁰ And the cloud departed. ¹¹ Miriam became leprous, white as snow.—*NUM.*, ch. 12.

4777. — *Surprising. Belshazzar.* ²⁵ This is the writing that was written, MENE, MENE, TEKEL, UPHARSIN. ²⁶ This is the interpretation of the thing: MENE; God hath numbered thy kingdom, and finished it. ²⁷ TEKEL; Thou art weighed in the balances, and art found wanting. ²⁸ PERES; Thy kingdom is divided, and given to the Medes and Persians.—*DAN.*, ch. 5.

4778. — *Sincerity. Balance.* ⁵ If I have walked with vanity, or if my foot hath hastened to deceit; ⁶ Let me be weighed in an even balance, that God may know mine integrity. ⁷ If my step hath turned out of the way, and mine heart walked after mine eyes, and if any blot hath cleaved to mine hands.—*JOB*, ch. 31. ⁸ Also when he had opened the third seal, I beheld, and lo a black horse; and he that sat on him had a pair of balances in his hand. ⁹ And I heard a voice, say, A measure of wheat for a penny, and three measures of barley for a penny; and see thou hurt not the oil and the wine.—*REV.*, ch. 6.

4779. — *Sermon on the. Paul's.* ²⁵ As he reasoned of righteousness, temperance, and judgment to come, Felix trembled.—*ACTS*, ch. 24.

4780. — *A terrifying. Ananias.* ³ Peter said, Ananias, why hath Satan filled thine heart to lie to the Holy Ghost, and to keep back part of the price of the land? ⁵ And Ananias hearing these words fell down, and gave up the ghost; and great fear came on all.—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

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4781. JUDGMENT-DAY, Commotions of. "*Sixth Seal.*" ¹² There was a great earthquake; and the sun became black as sackcloth of hair, and the moon became as blood; ¹³ And the stars of heaven fell unto the earth, even as a fig tree casteth her untimely figs, when she is shaken of a mighty wind. ¹⁴ And the heaven departed as a scroll when it is rolled together; and every mountain and island were moved out of their places.—*Rev.*, ch. 6.

4782. — Escape from. "*Hide.*" [See No. 4785.]

4783. — Gathering at. "*Gave up their Dead.*" ¹² The sea gave up the dead which were in it; and death and hell delivered up the dead which were in them: and they were judged every man according to their works.—*Rev.*, ch. 20.

4784. — Records for. "*Books.*" [See Nos. 4783, 4786.]

4785. — Terrors of. *Sinners.* ¹² The kings of the earth..great men..rich men..chief captains..mighty men..bond man, and every free man, hid themselves in the dens and in the rocks of the mountains; ¹³ And said to the mountains and rocks, Fall on us, and hide us from the face of him that sitteth on the throne, and from the wrath of the Lamb: ¹⁴ For the great day of his wrath is come; and who shall be able to stand?—*Rev.*, ch. 6.

4786. — Vision of the. "*White Throne.*" ¹¹ I saw a great white throne, and him that sat on it, from whose face the earth and the heaven fled away; and there was found no place for them. ¹² And I saw the dead, small and great, stand before God; and the books were opened: and another book was opened, which is the book of life: and the dead were judged out of those things which were written in the books, according to their works.—*Rev.*, ch. 20.

4787. JUDGMENTS misinferred. *Calamity.* ⁴ Those eighteen, upon whom the tower in Siloam fell, and slew them, think ye that they were sinners above all men that dwelt in Jerusalem? ⁵ I tell you, Nay: but, except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish.—*LUKE*, ch. 13.

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4788. JUSTICE, Avenging. *Siege of Thebes.* ¹² Abimelech..went hard unto the door of the tower to burn it with fire. ¹³ And a certain woman cast a piece of a millstone upon Abimelech's head, and all to brake his skull. ¹⁴ Thus God rendered the wickedness of Abimelech, which he did unto his father, in slaying his seventy brethren.—*JUDGES*, ch. 9.

4789. — Compensating. *Family.* ²² Isaac loved Esau, because he did eat of his venison: but Rebekah loved Jacob.—*GEN.*, ch. 25.

4790. — deferred. *Gospel.* [See No. 4791.] ²² Resist not evil: but whosoever shall smite thee on thy right cheek, turn to him the other also. ⁴⁰ And if any man will sue thee at the law, and take away thy coat, let him have thy cloak also.—*MAT.*, ch. 5.

4791. — Equality in. *Law.* ²² Ye have heard that it hath been said, An eye for an eye, and a tooth for a tooth.—*MAT.*, ch. 5.

4792. — Impartial. *Moses said,* ¹⁶ I charged your judges..saying, Hear the causes between your brethren, and judge righteously between every man and his brother, and the stranger. ¹⁷ Ye shall not respect persons in judgment; but ye shall hear the small as well as the great; ye shall not be afraid of the face of man; for the judgment is God's.—*DEUT.*, ch. 1.

4793. — Indignant. *Haman.* ¹⁰ They hanged Haman on the gallows that he had prepared for Mordecai. Then was the king's wrath pacified.—*ESTHER*, ch. 7.

4794. — Improperly sought. *Corinthians.* ¹ There is utterly a fault among you, because ye go to law one with another. Why do ye not rather take wrong? Why do ye not rather suffer yourselves to be defrauded?—*1 COR.*, ch. 6.

4795. — insulted. "*In the Judgment Seat.*" ¹² Pilate sought to release him: but the Jews cried out, saying, If thou let this man go, thou art not Cesar's friend: whosoever maketh himself a king speaketh against Cesar. ¹³ When Pilate therefore heard that saying, he brought Jesus forth, and sat down in the judgment seat.—*JOHN*, ch. 19.

4796. — at Last. "*Spoiled.*" ²² They borrowed of the Egyptians jewels of silver, and jewels of gold, and raiment: ²³ And the Lord gave the people favour in the sight of the Egyptians, so that they lent unto them such things as

they required. And they spoiled the Egyptians.—*Ex.*, ch. 12.

4797. — *Overtaken by. Agag.* ²³ Bring ye hither to me Agag the king of the Amalekites. And Agag said, Surely the bitterness of death is past. ²⁴ And Samuel said, As thy sword hath made women childless, so shall thy mother be childless among women. And Samuel hewed Agag in pieces before the Lord in Gilgal.—1 *Sam.*, ch. 15.

4798. — *Penalty of. Capital.* ⁶ The man that consumed us, and that devised against us that we should be destroyed from remaining in any of the coasts of Israel, ⁶ Let seven men of his sons be delivered unto us, and we will hang them up unto the Lord in Gibeah of Saul, whom the Lord did choose. And the king said, I will give them.—2 *Sam.*, ch. 21.

4799. — *Parental. Paul.* ⁴ Ye fathers, provoke not your children to wrath.—*Eph.*, ch. 6.

4800. — *Retributive. Adoni-bezek.* ⁴ Adoni-bezek fled. caught him, and cut off his thumbs and his great toes. ¹ And Adoni-bezek said, Threescore and ten kings, having their thumbs and their great toes cut off, gathered their meat under my table: as I have done, so God hath requited me.—*JUDGES*, ch. 1.

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4801. JUSTIFICATION, Difficulty of. Bildad said. ⁴ How then can man be justified with God? or how can he be clean that is born of a woman? ⁵ Behold even to the moon, and it shineth not; yea, the stars are not pure in his sight. ⁶ How much less man, that is a worm? and the son of man, which is a worm.—*JOB*, ch. 25.

4802. — *for Penitents. Publican.* ¹³ The publican, standing afar off, would not lift up so much as his eyes unto heaven, but smote upon his breast, saying, God be merciful to me a sin-

ner. ¹⁴ I tell you, this man went down to his house justified rather than the other.—*LUKE*, ch. 18.

4803. — *by Precedent. Jesus said.* ² Have ye not read what David did, when he was a hungered, and they that were with him; ⁴ How he entered into the house of God, and did eat the shewbread, which was not lawful for him to eat, neither for them which were with him, but only for the priests?—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

4804. — *by Sophistry. A Lawyer.* [Quoting the law.] ¹¹ Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy strength, and with all thy mind; and thy neighbour as thyself. ¹⁰ And he said...this do, and thou shalt live. ¹² But he, willing to justify himself, said unto Jesus, And who is my neighbour?—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

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4805. KIDNAPPERS, Crime of. Law. ¹ If a man be found stealing any of his brethren...and maketh merchandise of him, or selleth him; then that thief shall die.—*DEUT.*, ch. 24.

4806. — *of Wives. Daughters of Shiloh.* ²³ The children of Benjamin did so, and took them wives, according to their number, of them that danced, whom they caught.—*JUDGES*, ch. 21.

4807. KINDNESS, Almsgiving. Cornelius. ⁴ A devout man, and one that feared God with all his house, which gave much alms to the people, and prayed to God always.—*ACTS*, ch. 10.

4808. — *appreciated.* *By David.* [He returned victorious; see No. 4830.] ²² The king said unto Barzillai, Come thou over with me, and I will feed thee with me in Jerusalem.—2 SAM., ch. 19.

4809. — *to Animals.* *Rebekah.* [See No. 4829.] ¹⁹ When she had done giving him drink, she said, I will draw water for thy camels also, until they have done drinking. ²⁰ And she hasted.—GEN., ch. 24.

4810. — *to the Bereaved.* *Sepulchre.* ⁶ The children of Heth answered Abraham... ⁸...thou art a mighty prince among us: in the choice of our sepulchres bury thy dead; none of us shall withhold from thee his sepulchre.—GEN., ch. 23.

4811. — *to Brethren.* *Law.* ²⁵ If thy brother be waxen poor, and fallen in decay with thee; then thou shalt relieve him: yea, though he be a stranger, or a sojourner.—LEV., ch. 25.

4812. — *conquers.* *David said.* ¹¹ See the skirt of thy robe in my hand: for in that I cut off the skirt of thy robe, and killed thee not, know thou and see that there is neither evil nor transgression in mine hand: yet thou huntest my soul to take it... ¹⁶...Saul said, Is this thy voice, my son David? And Saul lifted up his voice, and wept.—1 SAM., ch. 24.

4813. — *to Christians.* *Jesus said.* ⁴⁸ Whosoever shall give to drink unto one of these little ones a cup of cold water only in the name of a disciple, verily I say unto you, he shall in no wise lose his reward.—MAT., ch. 10.

4814. — *From Antioch.* ²⁹ Then the disciples, every man according to his ability, determined to send relief unto the brethren which dwelt in Judea.—ACTS, ch. 11.

4815. — *to Captives.* *To Judah.* ¹⁵ The men... took the captives, and with the spoil clothed all that were naked among them, and arrayed them, and shod them, and gave them to eat and to drink, and anointed them, and carried all the feeble of them upon asses, and brought them to Jericho.—2 CHRON., ch. 28.

4816. — *of "our Father."* *"Much More."* *Jesus said.* ¹¹ If ye then, being evil, know how to give good gifts unto your children, how much more shall your Father which is in heaven give good things to them that ask him?—MAT., ch. 7.

4817. — *from Gratitude.* *Mephibosheth.* ⁷ David said unto him, Fear not... for I will surely shew thee kindness for Jonathan thy father's sake, and will restore thee all the land of Saul thy father; and thou shalt eat bread at my table continually.—2 SAM., ch. 9.

4818. — *Heathens.* *At Malta.* ⁹ The barbarous people shewed us no little kindness: for they kindled a fire, and received us every one, because of the present rain, and because of the cold.—ACTS, ch. 28.

4819. — *insulted.* *In Bereavement.* ¹³ David sent to comfort him by the hand of his servant for his father... ¹³ Hath not David rather sent, to search the city, and to spy it out...? ⁴ Wherefore Hanun... shaved off the one half of their beards, and cut off their garments in the middle, even to their buttocks, and sent them away.—2 SAM., ch. 10.

4820. — *Inopportune.* *Benhadad Captured.* ²⁴ Ahab... made a covenant with him, and sent

him away... ⁴⁸...Thus saith the Lord, Because thou hast let go out of thy hand a man whom I appointed to utter destruction, therefore thy life shall go for his life, and thy people for his people.—1 KINGS, ch. 20.

4821. — *a Loan.* *Proverb.* ¹⁷ He that hath pity upon the poor lendeth unto the Lord; and that which he hath given will he pay him again.—PROV., ch. 19.

4822. — *A providential Boaz.* ⁹ Boaz unto Ruth... my daughter? Go not to glean in another field... but abide here fast by my maidens: ⁹ Let thine eyes be on the field that they do reap, and go thou after them: have I not charged the young men that they shall not touch thee? and when thou art athirst, drink of that which the young men have drawn.—RUTH, ch. 2. [He proved to be a kinsman and became a husband.]

4823. — *in Prosperity.* *Job.* ¹¹ I delivered the poor that cried, and the fatherless, and him that had none to help him. ¹³ The blessing of him that was ready to perish came upon me: and I caused the widow's heart to sing for joy.—JOB, ch. 29.

4824. — *to a Prisoner.* *To Jeremiah.* ¹³ Ebed-melech the Ethiopian said unto Jeremiah, Put now these old cast clouts and rotten rags under thine armholes under the cords... ¹³ So they drew up Jeremiah with cords, and took him up out of the dungeon.—JER., ch. 38.

4825. — *remembered.* *Saul said.* ⁶ Go, depart... from among the Amalekites, lest I destroy you with them: for ye shewed kindness to all the children of Israel, when they came up out of Egypt. So the Kenites departed from among the Amalekites.—1 SAM., ch. 15.

4826. — *rewarded.* *To Rahab.* ⁶ She had brought them up to the roof of the house, and hid them with the stalks of flax... ¹⁸ Behold, when we come into the land, thou shalt bind this line of scarlet thread in the window which thou didst let us down by: and... bring... all thy father's household home unto thee.—JOSH., ch. 2. [All were saved.]

4827. — *Substitutional.* *Job.* ¹⁶ I was eyes to the blind, and feet was I to the lame. ¹⁶ I was a father to the poor: and the cause which I knew not I searched out. ¹⁷ And I brake the jaws of the wicked, and plucked the spoil out of his teeth.—JOB, ch. 29.

4828. — *to a Servant.* *Centurion.* ² A certain centurion's servant, who was dear unto him, was sick, and ready to die. ³ And when he heard of Jesus, he sent unto him the elders of the Jews, beseeching him that he would come and heal.—LUKE, ch. 7.

4829. — *to Strangers.* *Rebekah.* [To Abraham's servant.] ¹⁶ Drink, my lord: and she hasted, and let down her pitcher upon her hand, and gave him drink.—GEN., ch. 24.

4830. — *Timely.* *Barzillai.* [Fleeing from Absalom.] ²⁸ Brought beds, and basins, and earthen vessels, and wheat, and barley, and flour, and parched corn, and beans, and lentiles, and parched pulse, ²⁹ And honey, and butter, and sheep, and cheese of kine, for David, and for the people that were with him, to eat: for they said, The people is hungry, and weary, and thirsty, in the wilderness.—2 SAM., ch. 17.

4631. — An unexpected. To Syrians.
 The king of Israel said unto Elisha, when he saw them, My father, shall I smite them? shall I smite them? ²² And he answered, Thou shalt not smite them: wouldst thou smite those whom thou hast taken captive with thy sword and with thy bow? set oreed and water before them..and go to their master.—2 Kings, ch. 6.

4632. — to the Widow. Law. ¹⁹ When thou cuttest down thine harvest in thy field, and hast forgot a sheaf in the field, thou shalt not go again to fetch it: it shall be for the stranger, for the fatherless, and for the widow: that the Lord thy God may bless thee in all the work of thine hands.—Deut., ch. 29.

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4633. KING of Animals. Leviathan. ¹⁹ Out of his mouth go burning lamps, and sparks of fire leap out. ²⁰ Out of his nostrils goeth smoke, as out of a seething pot or caldron. ²¹ His breath kindleth coals, and a flame goeth out of his mouth. ²² Upon earth there is not his like, who is made without fear.—Job, ch. 41.

4634. — Burdens of a. Samuel said, ¹³ And he will take your daughters to be confectionaries..cooks, and..bakers. ¹⁴ And he will take your fields..vineyards..oliveyards, even the best of them, and give them to his servants. ¹⁵ And he will take the tenth of your seed, and of your vineyards, and give to his officers, and to his servants. ¹⁶ And he will take your menservants..maidservants, and your goodliest young men, and your asses, and put them to his work. ¹⁷ He will take the tenth of your sheep: and we shall be his servants.—1 SAM., ch. 8.

4635. — in Burlesque. Soldiers. ²⁸ Put on him a scarlet robe. ²⁹ And when they had platted a crown of thorns, they put it upon his head, and a reed in his right hand: and they bowed the knee before him, and mocked him, saying, Hail, King of the Jews! ³⁰ And they spit upon him, and took the reed, and smote him on the head.—MAT., ch. 27.

4636. — A cruel. At Rabbah. ²¹ He brought forth the people that were therein, and put them under saws, and under harrows of iron, and under axes of iron, and made them pass through the brickkiln: and thus did he unto..the children of Ammon. So David..returned unto Jerusalem.—2 SAM., ch. 12.

4637. — Seven Days a. Zimri. ¹⁵ Did Zimri reign seven days in Tirzah. ¹⁶ And the people that were encamped heard say, Zimri hath conspired, and hath also slain the king: wherefore all Israel made Omri, the captain of the host, king over Israel.—1 KINGS, ch. 16.

4638. — Goodly. Saul. ² A choice young man, and a goodly: and there was not among the children of Israel a goodlier person than he: from his shoulders and upward he was higher than any of the people.—1 SAM., ch. 9.

4639. — A helpless. Darius. ¹⁴ The king, when he heard these words, was sore displeased with himself, and set his heart on Daniel to deliver him: and he laboured till the going down of the sun.—DAN., ch. 6.

4640. — The last. Jewish. [The Babylonians] ⁷ Slew the sons of Zedekiah before his eyes, and put out the eyes of Zedekiah, and bound him with fetters of brass, and carried him to Babylon.—2 KINGS, ch. 25.

4641. — of all Nations. Jesus. ¹⁹ Pilate wrote a title, and put it on the cross. And the writing was, JESUS OF NAZARETH THE KING

OF THE JEWS. ³⁰ .and it was written in Hebrew, and Greek, and Latin.—JOHN, ch. 19.

4842. — of the Jews. Bramble Chosen. ⁸ The trees went forth on a time to anoint a king over them; and they said unto the olive tree, Reign thou over us. ⁹ But the olive tree said.. Should I leave my fatness, wherewith by me they honour God and man, and go to be promoted over the trees?—JUDGES, ch. 9.

4843. — An unhappy. Zimri. [See No. 4837.] ¹¹ Omri went up.. and all Israel with him, and they besieged Tirzah. ¹⁸ .when Zimri saw that the city was taken.. he went into the palace ..and burnt the king's house over him with fire.—1 KINGS, ch. 16.

4844. — The universal. Jesus. ¹¹ From the rising of the sun even unto the going down of the same, my name shall be great among the Gentiles; and in every place incense shall be offered unto my name, and a pure offering.—MAL., ch. 1.

4845. — A wicked. Manasseh. ² He did ..evil.. after the abominations of the heathen.. ³ For he built up again the high places which Hezekiah his father had destroyed, and he reared up altars for Baal, and made a grove.. and worshipped all the host of heaven.—2 KINGS, ch. 21.

4846. — A youthful. "Eight Years." ¹ Josiah was eight years old when he began to reign, and he reigned thirty and one years in Jerusalem.—2 KINGS, ch. 22.

4847. — — "Sixteen." ³ Sixteen years old was Uzziah when he began to reign, and he reigned fifty and two years in Jerusalem.—2 CHRON., ch. 26.

4848. KINGSHIP declined. Gideon. ²² The men of Israel said unto Gideon, Rule thou over us, both thou, and thy son, and thy son's son also: for thou hast delivered us from the hand of Midian. ²³ And Gideon said.. I will not rule over you, neither shall my son rule over you: the Lord shall rule over you.—JUDGES, ch. 8.

4849. — — Jesus. ¹⁸ When Jesus therefore perceived that they would come and take him by force, to make him a king, he departed again into a mountain himself alone.—JOHN, ch. 6.

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4850. KING, A filial. Elisea. ¹⁹ Elijah.. cast his mantle upon him. ²⁰ And he left the oxen, and ran after Elijah, and said, Let me, I pray thee, kiss my father and my mother, and then I will follow thee. And he said unto him, Go back again.—1 KINGS, ch. 19.

4851. — Treacherous. Joab. ⁹ Joab said to Amasa, Art thou in health, my brother? And Joab took Amasa by the beard with the right hand to kiss him. ¹⁰ But Amasa took no heed to the sword that was in Joab's hand: so he smote him therewith in the fifth rib.—2 SAM., ch. 20.

4852. — — Judas ⁴⁸ Gave them a sign, saying, Whosoever I shall kiss, that same is he; hold him fast. ⁴⁹ And forthwith he came

to Jesus, and said, Hail, Master; and kissed him.—MAT., ch. 26.

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4853. KNOWLEDGE, Adamic. Animals. ¹⁹ The Lord God formed every beast of the field, and every fowl of the air; and brought them unto Adam to see what he would call them.. ²⁰ And Adam gave names to all cattle, and to the fowl of the air, and to every beast of the field.—GEN., ch. 2.

4854. — A detrimental. Of Evil. ²² Behold, the man is become as one of us, to know good and evil: and now, lest he put forth his hand, and take also of the tree of life, and eat, and live for ever: ²³ Therefore the Lord God sent him forth.—GEN., ch. 3.

4855. — A forbidden. Tree. ¹⁷ But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt not eat of it: for in the day that thou eatest thereof thou shalt surely die.—GEN., ch. 2.

4856. — From Faith to. Samaritans ⁴⁸ Said unto the woman, Now we believe, not because of thy saying: for we have heard him ourselves, and know that this is indeed the Christ, the Saviour of the world.—JOHN, ch. 4.

4857. — increases Guilt. Peter. ²¹ It had been better for them not to have known the way of righteousness, than, after they have known it, to turn from the holy commandment delivered unto them. ²² But it is happened unto them according to the true proverb, The dog is turned to his own vomit again; and, The sow that was washed to her wallowing in the mire.—3 PETER, ch. 2.

4858. — less than Grace. Apostles. ¹³ When they saw the boldness of Peter and John, and perceived that they were unlearned and ignorant men, they marvelled; and they took knowledge of them, that they had been with Jesus.—ACTS, ch. 4.

4859. — with Ignorance. Paul. ²¹ I go bound in the spirit unto Jerusalem, not knowing the things that shall befall me there: ²² Save that the Holy Ghost witnesseth in every city, saying that bonds and afflictions abide me. ²³ But none of these things move me.—ACTS, ch. 20.

4860. — Responsibility for. Law. ²⁶ If it be known that the ox hath used to push in time past, and his owner hath not kept him in; he shall surely pay.—EX., ch. 21.

4861. — Spiritual. Job. ²⁵ I know that my Redeemer liveth, and that he shall stand at the latter day upon the earth: ²⁶ And though after my skin worms destroy this body, yet in my flesh shall I see God: ²⁷ Whom I shall see for myself, and mine eyes shall behold, and not another.—JOB, ch. 19.

4862. — Temptation in. Eden. ⁶ God doth know that in the day ye eat thereof, then your eyes shall be opened; and ye shall be as Gods, knowing good and evil. ⁸ And when the woman saw that the tree was..a tree to be desired to make one wise, she took of the fruit thereof.—GEN., ch. 3.

4863. — to be used. *Warning.* ⁴ Whosoever heareth the sound of the trumpet, and taketh not warning; if the sword come, and take him away, his blood shall be upon his own head.—*Ezek.*, ch. 33.

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4864. LABOUR. *Advantage of. Sleep.* ¹³ The sleep of a labouring man is sweet, whether he eat little or much: but the abundance of the rich will not suffer him to sleep.—*EccL.*, ch. 5.

4865. — *Curse of. Adam's.* ¹⁸ Thorns also and thistles shall it bring forth to thee; and thou shalt eat the herb of the field: ¹⁹ In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread, till thou return unto the ground. for dust thou art, and unto dust shalt thou return.—*GEN.*, ch. 3.

4866. — *commanded. Law.* ⁹ Six days shalt thou labour, and do all thy work.—*Ex.*, ch. 20.

4867. — *Congenial. Horticulture.* ¹⁶ The Lord God took the man, and put him into the garden of Eden to dress it and to keep it.—*GEN.*, ch. 2.

4868. — *Co-operative. Christian.* ²¹ Jesus said. herein is that saying true, One soweth, and another reapeth. ²² I sent you to reap that whereon ye bestowed no labour: other men laboured, and ye are entered into their labours.—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

4869. — *Degradation of. "Sweat."* ¹³ In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread, till thou return unto the ground; for out of it wast thou taken: for dust thou art, and unto dust shalt thou return.—*GEN.*, ch. 3.

4870. — *Increase of. In Egypt.* ¹⁸ Go therefore now, and work; for there shall no straw be given you, yet shall ye deliver the tale of bricks. ¹⁹ And the officers of the children of Israel did see that they were in evil case.—*Ex.*, ch. 5.

4871. — *Menial. Gibeonites.* ²² Joshua called for them. Wherefore have ye beguiled us, saying, We are very far from you; when ye dwell among us? ²³ Now therefore ye are cursed, and there shall none of you be freed from being bondmen, and hewers of wood and drawers of water for the house of my God.—*JOSE.*, ch. 9.

4872. — *Motive for. Paul.* ⁹ Wherefore we labour, that, whether present or absent, we may be accepted of him.—*2 Cor.*, ch. 5.

4873. LABOURER. *Jesus a. Carpenter.* ³ He began to teach in the synagogue: and many hearing him were astonished, saying, From whence hath this man these things? and what wisdom is this which is given unto him, that even such mighty works are wrought by his hands? ⁴ Is not this the carpenter?—*MARK*, ch. 6.

4874. LABOURERS. *Need of. Harvest.* ²⁴ When he saw the multitudes, he was moved with compassion..because they fainted, and were scat-

tered abroad, as sheep having no shepherd. ²⁷ Then saith he unto his disciples, The harvest truly is plenteous, but the labourers are few; ²⁸ Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth labourers into his harvest.—*MAT.*, ch. 9.

4875. — *Reward of. "Wages."* ²³ Look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest. ²⁴ And he that reapeth receiveth wages, and gathereth fruit unto life eternal: that both he that soweth and he that reapeth may rejoice together.—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

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4876. LACK. *A single. Young Ruler.* ²⁰ Master, all these have I observed from my youth. ²¹ Then Jesus beholding him loved him, and said unto him, One thing thou lackest: go thy way, sell whatsoever thou hast, and give to the poor..and come, take up the cross, and follow me.—*MARK*, ch. 10.

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4877. LAMENESS from Accident. *Mephibosheth.* ⁴ He was five years old when the tidings came of Saul and Jonathan out of Jezreel, and his nurse took him up, and fled: and... as she made haste to flee... he fell, and became lame.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 4.

4878. — Disqualified by. *Priesthood.* ¹¹ Whosoever he be of thy seed in their generations that hath any blemish, let him not approach to offer the bread of his God. ¹⁸... a blind man, or a lame, or he that hath a flat nose, or any thing superfluous.—**LEV.**, ch. 21.

4879. — healed. *Cripple.* ⁸ There sat a certain man at Lystra, impotent in his feet, being a cripple from his mother's womb, who never had walked: ⁹ The same heard Paul speak: who steadfastly beholding him, and perceiving that he had faith to be healed, ¹⁰ Said with a loud voice, Stand upright on thy feet. And he leaped and walked.—**ACTS**, ch. 14.

4880. — — At Beautiful Gate. ⁶ Peter said, Silver and gold have I none; but such as I have give I thee: In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth rise up and walk. ⁷ And he took him by the right hand, and lifted him up: and immediately his feet and ankle bones received strength. ⁸ And he leaping up stood, and walked, and entered with them into the temple, walking, and leaping, and praising God.—**ACTS**, ch. 3.

4881. — Royal. *Mephibosheth.* ³ The king said, Is there not yet any of the house of Saul, that I may shew the kindness of God unto him? And Ziba said, Jonathan hath yet a son, which is lame on his feet.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 9.

4882. — Want with. *Cripple.* [See No. 4880.] ⁸ A certain man lame from his mother's womb was carried, whom they laid daily at the gate of the temple which is called Beautiful, to ask alms of them that entered into the temple.—**ACTS**, ch. 3.

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Royal. Asa was diseased in his feet.—**1 KINGS** 15: 23.

4883. LAMENTATION in Adversity. *Job.* ³ Let the day perish wherein I was born, and the night in which it was said, There is a man child conceived. ⁴ Let that day be darkness; let not God regard it from above, neither let the light shine upon it.—**JOB**, ch. 3.

4884. — A Father's. *David's.* ²³ The king was much moved, and went up to the chamber over the gate, and wept: and as he went, thus he said, O my son Absalom! my son, my son Absalom! would God I had died for thee, O Absalom, my son, my son!—**2 SAM.**, ch. 18.

4885. — General. *Israelites.* ⁹ Nahash the Ammonite answered them, On this condition will I make a covenant with you, that I may thrust out all your right eyes, and lay it for a reproach upon all Israel. ⁴... and all the people lifted up their voices, and wept.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 11.

4886. — Ill-timed. *Near Ai.* ⁷ Would to God we had been content, and dwelt on the other side Jordan! ⁸ O Lord, what shall I say, when Israel turneth their backs before their enemies!—**JOSH.**, ch. 7.

4887. — of Jesus. *Jerusalem.* ²¹ O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, thou that killest the prophets, and stonest them which are sent unto thee, how

often would I have gathered thy children together, even as a hen gathereth her chickens under her wings, and ye would not! ²² Behold, your house is left unto you desolate.—**MAT.**, ch. 23.

4888. — for Jesus. *Crucifixion.* ²¹ There followed him a great company of people, and of women, which also bewailed and lamented him. ²² But Jesus... said, Daughters of Jerusalem, weep not for me, but weep for yourselves, and for your children.—**LUKE**, ch. 23.

4889. — National. *In Persia.* ³ And in every province, whithersoever the king's... decree came, there was great mourning among the Jews, and fasting, and weeping, and wailing; and many lay in sackcloth and ashes.—**ESTHER**, ch. 4.

4890. — Tearful. *Jeremiah.* ¹ Oh that my head were waters, and mine eyes a fountain of tears, that I might weep day and night for the slain of the daughter of my people!—**JEREMIAH**, ch. 9.

See **MOURNING** and references.

4891. LAND, Conveyance of. *Mode.* ⁹ And I bought the field of Hanameel... and weighed him... seventeen shekels of silver. ¹⁰ And I subscribed the evidence, and sealed it, and took witnesses. ¹¹ So I took the evidence of the purchase, both that which was sealed according to the law and custom, and that which was open.—**JER.**, ch. 32.

4892. — cursed by Sin. *Israelites.* ²¹ The incense that ye burned in the cities of Judah, and in the streets of Jerusalem, ye and your fathers... ²²... the Lord could no longer bear, because of the evil of your doings, and because of the abominations which ye have committed; therefore is your land a desolation, and an astonishment, and a curse, without an inhabitant, as at this day.—**JER.**, ch. 44.

4893. — The first Purchase of. *Cemetery.* ¹⁶ Abraham weighed to Ephron the silver, which he had named in the audience of the sons of Heth, four hundred shekels of silver, current money with the merchant. ¹⁷ And the field of Ephron, which was in Machpelah... and the cave which was therein, and all the trees that were in the field, that were in all the borders round about, were made sure ¹⁸ Unto Abraham.—**GEN.**, ch. 23.

4894. — prohibited. *Priests.* ²⁰ The Lord spake unto Aaron, Thou shalt have no inheritance in their land, neither shalt thou have any part among them: I am thy part and thine inheritance.—**NUM.**, ch. 18.

4895. — — Rechabites. ⁸ Thus have we obeyed the voice of... our father in all that he hath charged us, to drink no wine... ⁹ Nor to build houses for us to dwell in; neither have we vineyard, nor field, nor seed: ¹⁰ But we have dwelt in tents.—JER.**, ch. 35.**

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4896. LANGUAGE corrupted. *Hebrew.* ²³ Saw I Jews that had married wives of Ashdod, of Ammon, and of Moab: ²⁴ And their children spake half in the speech of Ashdod, and could not speak in the Jews' language, but according to the language of each people.—**Neh.**, ch. 13.

4897. — given. *Pentecost.* ⁶ The mul-

titude.. were confounded, because that every man heard them speak in his own language. ¹ And they.. marvelled, saying.. Behold, are not all these which speak Galileans? ² And how hear we every man in our own tongue, wherein we were born?—*ACTS*, ch. 2.

4908. LANGUAGES, Origin of. Babel. ⁴ Behold, the people is one, and they have all one language; and this they begin to do; and now nothing will be restrained from them, which they have imagined to do. ¹ Go to, let us go down, and there confound their language, that they may not understand one another's speech.—*GEN.*, ch. 11.

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4909. LATE, Too Late. Foolish Virgins. ⁸ The foolish said unto the wise, Give us of your oil; for our lamps are gone out. ⁹ But the wise answered, *Not so*; lest there be not enough for us and you. ¹⁰ And while they went to buy, the bridegroom came; and they that were ready went in with him to the marriage: and the door was shut.—*MAT.*, ch. 25.

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4900. LAW, Appeal to. Paul. ²⁴ The chief captain.. brought into the castle, and bade that he should be examined by scourging; that he might know wherefore they cried so against him. ²⁵ And as they bound him with thongs, Paul said unto the centurion that stood by, Is it lawful for you to scourge a man that is a Roman, and uncondemned?—*ACTS*, ch. 22.

4901. — Equality before the. Passover. ¹ Seven days shall there be no leaven found in your houses: for whosoever eateth that which is leavened, shall be cut off from the congregation of Israel, whether he be a stranger, or born in the land.—*EX.*, ch. 12.

4902. — Queen Esther. ¹³ Mordecai.. to. Esther, Think not with thyself that thou shalt escape in the king's house, more than all the Jews. ¹⁴ For if thou altogether holdest thy peace at this time, then shall there enlargement and deliverance arise to the Jews from another place; but thou and thy father's house shall be destroyed.—*ESTHER*, ch. 4.

4903. — Evasion of. A Lawyer. [See No. 4909.] ²² But he, willing to justify himself, said unto Jesus, And who is my neighbour?—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

4904. — Indifference to. Common Fire. ¹ Nadab and Abihu.. took either of them his censer, and offered strange fire before the Lord. ² And there went out fire from the Lord, and devoured them.—*LEV.*, ch. 10.

4905. — of Love. First Commandment. ³⁷ Which is the first commandment of all? ³⁸ And Jesus answered him.. ³⁹.. thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength.—*MARK*, ch. 12.

4906. — misapplied. Pilate said, ⁶ I find no fault in him. ⁷ The Jews answered him, We have a law, and by our law he ought to die, because he made himself the Son of God.—*JOHN*, ch. 19.

4907. — Necessity knows no. Esther. ¹⁶ Neither eat nor drink three days, night or day: I also and my maidens will fast likewise; and so will I go in unto the king, which is not according to the law: and if I perish, I perish.—*ESTHER*, ch. 4.

4908. — Protection of. Paul. ⁹ Festus, willing to do the Jews a pleasure, answered Paul, and said, Wilt thou go up to Jerusalem, and there be judged of these things before me? ¹⁰ Then said Paul, I stand at Cesar's judgment-seat, where I ought to be judged.—*ACTS*, ch. 25.

4909. — Summary of. A Lawyer said, ²⁷ Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy strength, and with all thy mind; and thy neighbour as thyself. ²⁸ And he said unto him, Thou hast answered right: this do, and thou shalt live.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

4910. — superseded, The. By Faith. ²⁴ The law was our schoolmaster to bring us unto Christ, that we might be justified by faith. ²⁵ But after that faith is come, we are no longer under a schoolmaster.—*GAL.*, ch. 3.

4911. — Supremacy of. Over Royalty. [See No. 4918.] ¹⁴ Then the king.. was sore displeased with himself, and set his heart on Daniel to deliver him: and he laboured till the going down of the sun to deliver him.—*DAN.*, ch. 6.

4912. — Sumptuary. In Eden. ³ The woman said unto the serpent, We may eat of the fruit of the trees of the garden: ⁴ But of the fruit of the tree which is in the midst of the garden, God hath said, Ye shall not eat of it, neither shall ye touch it, lest ye die.—*GEN.*, ch. 3.

4913. — — "Blood." ¹³ And whatsoever man.. catcheth any beast or fowl that may be eaten; he shall even pour out the blood thereof, and cover it with dust. ¹⁴.. for the life of all flesh is the blood thereof: whosoever eateth it shall be cut off.—*LEV.*, ch. 17.

4914. — — "Fat." ²³ Speak unto the children of Israel, saying, Ye shall eat no manner of fat, of ox, or of sheep, or of goat.—*LEV.*, ch. 7.

4915. — — "Unclean." ³ These are the beasts which ye shall eat. ⁴ Whatsoever parteth the hoof, and is clovenfooted, and cheweth the cud.—*LEV.*, ch. 11. [See entire chapter.]

4916. — for Transgressors. Paul. ⁹ The law is not made for a righteous man, but for the lawless and disobedient, for the ungodly and for sinners, for unholy and profane, for murderers of fathers and murderers of mothers, for manslayers, ¹⁰ For whoremongers, for them that defile themselves with mankind, for men-stealers, for liars, for perjured persons.—*1 TIM.*, ch. 1.

4917. — Unobserved, The greater. Pharisees. ²³ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye pay tithe of mint and anise and cummin, and have omitted the weightier matters of the law, judgment, mercy, and faith.—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

4918. — An unchangeable. Persian. ¹⁵ The law of the Medes and Persians is, That no decree nor statute which the king establisheth may be changed. ¹⁶ Then the king commanded,

and they brought Daniel, and cast him into the den of lions.—DAN., ch. 6.

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4919. LEADER. Always a. *Jesus.* ²² Going up to Jerusalem; and Jesus went before them: and they were amazed; and as they followed, they were afraid. And he took again the twelve, and began to tell them what things should happen unto him.—MARK, ch. 10.

4920. — of the Blind. *The Syrians.* ¹⁸ He smote them with blindness. ¹⁹ And Elisha said unto them, This is not the way, neither is this the city: follow me, and I will bring you to the man whom ye seek. But he led them to Samaria.—2 KINGS, ch. 6.

4921. — A bold. *Ehud.* ¹⁶ Ehud made him a dagger which had two edges, of a cubit length; and he did gird it under his raiment upon his right thigh. ¹⁷ And he brought the present unto Eglon king of Moab.—JUDGES, ch. 3. [He killed the king.]

4922. — An unwise. *King Saul* [commanded his army to fast.] ²⁶ When the people were come into the wood, behold, the honey dropped; but no man put his hand to his mouth: for the people feared the oath. ²⁷ But Jonathan heard not when his father charged the people with the oath.—1 SAM., ch. 14. [Also people ate blood from hunger.]

4923. — Zion's. *Moses' Request.* ¹⁶ Let the Lord. set a man over the congregation, ¹⁷ Which may go out before them, and which may go in before them, and which may lead them out, and which may bring them in; that the congregation of the Lord be not as sheep which have no shepherd.—NUM., ch. 27.

4924. LEADERSHIP. *Divine. Cloud.* ²¹ The Lord went before them by day in a pillar of a cloud, to lead them the way; and by night in a pillar of fire, to give them light; to go by day and night.—EX., ch. 13.

4925. — Failure in. *Moses.* ²² They angered him also at the waters of strife, so that it went ill with Moses for their sakes: ²³ Because they provoked his spirit, so that he spake unadvisedly with his lips.—PS. 106.

4926. — Loved. *Diotrephes.* ⁹ Diotrephes, who loveth to have the preeminence among

them, receiveth us not. ¹⁰ neither doth he himself receive the brethren, and forbiddeth them that would, and casteth them out of the church.—JOHN, ch. 3.

4927. — Trials of. *Moses.* ³ The people chode with Moses. saying, Would God that we had died when our brethren died before the Lord! ⁴ And why have ye brought up the congregation. into this wilderness, that we and our cattle should die there?—NUM., ch. 20.

4928. — rejected. *Near Canaan.* ⁴ Let us make a captain, and let us return into Egypt. ⁵ Then Moses and Aaron fell on their faces before all the assembly. of Israel.—NUM., ch. 14.

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4929. LEAGUE, A fraternal. Covenant. ¹⁶ Jonathan made a covenant with the house of David. ¹⁷ And Jonathan caused David to swear again, because he loved him: for he loved him as he loved his own soul.—1 SAM., ch. 20.

4930. — A fraudulent. *Gibeonites.* ¹⁸ These bottles of wine, which we filled, were new; and, behold, they be rent: and these our garments and our shoes are become old by reason of the very long journey. ¹⁹ And Joshua made peace with them, and made a league with them, to let them live. ²⁰ at the end of three days. they heard that they were their neighbours.—JOSH., ch. 9.

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4931. LEARNING, Profound. *Moses.* ²² Moses was learned in all the wisdom of the Egyptians, and was mighty in words and in deeds.—*ACTS*, ch. 7.

4932. — Superior. *Jesus.* ¹⁴ About the midst of the feast Jesus went up into the temple, and taught. ¹⁵ And the Jews marvelled, saying, How knoweth this man letters, having never learned?—*JOHN*, ch. 7.

4933. — Worship from. *Magi.* ¹ Now when Jesus was born in Bethlehem..there came wise men from the east to Jerusalem. ² Saying, Where is he that is born King of the Jews? for we have seen his star in the east, and are come to worship him.—*MAT.*, ch. 2.

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4934. LEFT-HANDED Skill. *Benjamites.* ¹⁵ The children of Benjamin were numbered..twenty and six thousand men that drew sword, besides the inhabitants of Gibeah, which were numbered seven hundred chosen men. ¹⁶..every one could sling stones at a hair breadth, and not miss.—*JUDGES*, ch. 20.

4935. LEGACY, The best. *Spirit of Elijah.* ¹⁴ He took the mantle of Elijah that fell from him, and smote the waters, and said, Where is the Lord God of Elijah? And when he also had smitten the waters, they parted hither and thither: and Elisha went over. ¹⁵ And when the sons of the prophets..saw him, they said, The spirit of Elijah doth rest on Elisha.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 2.

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4936. LEGALITY overstrained. *Pharisees.* ²² Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye pay tithe of mint and anise and cummin, and have omitted the weightier matters of the law, judgment, mercy, and faith. ²⁴ Ye blind guides, which strain at a gnat, and swallow a camel.—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

4937. — Quibbles of. *Pharisees.* ¹⁶ Woe unto you, ye blind guides, which say, Whosoever shall swear by the temple, it is nothing; but whosoever shall swear by the gold of the temple, he is a debtor!—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

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4938. LEISURE, Without. *Jesus said,* ²¹ Come ye yourselves apart into a desert place, and rest a while: for there were many coming and going, and they had no leisure so much as to eat.—*MARK*, ch. 6.

4939. — — Jesus. ²⁰ The multitude cometh together again, so that they could not so much as eat bread. ²¹ And when his friends heard of it, they went out to lay hold on him: for they said, He is beside himself.—*MARK*, ch. 3.

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4950. — commanded. *Poor Brother.* ¹⁰ Thou shalt surely give him, and thine heart shall not be grieved when thou givest unto him : because that for this thing the Lord thy God shall bless thee in all thy works, and in all that thou puttest thine hand unto. ¹¹ For the poor shall never cease out of the land.—*DEUT.*, ch. 15.

4951. — Christian, Eating. ³ One believeth that he may eat all things : another, who is weak, eateth herbs. ⁴ Let not him that eateth despise him that eateth not ; and let not him which eateth not judge him that eateth.—*ROM.*, ch. 14.

4952. — Denominational. *" Casting out Devils."* ³⁸ John answered . . . Master, we saw one casting out devils in thy name, and he followeth not us ; and we forbade him, because he followeth not us. ³⁹ But Jesus said, Forbid him not.—*MARK*, ch. 9.

4953. — of Opinion, Sabbath. ³³ He went through the corn fields on the sabbath day ; and his disciples began, as they went, to pluck the ears of corn. ³⁴ And the Pharisees said . . . And he said unto them, The sabbath was made for man, and not man for the sabbath.—*MARK*, ch. 2.

4954. — Pagan, Centurion. ³ That he would come and heal his servant. ⁴ And when they came to Jesus, they besought him instantly, saying, That he was worthy for whom he should do this : ⁵ For he loveth our nation, and he hath built us a synagogue. ⁶ Then Jesus went with them.—*LUKE*, ch. 7.

4955. — Rule of, Remainder. ⁴³ Verily I say unto you, That this poor widow hath cast more in, than all they which have cast into the treasury : ⁴⁴ For all they did cast in of their abundance ; but she of her want did cast in all that she had, even all her living.—*MARK*, ch. 12.

4956. — Reward of. "*Made Fat.*" "The liberal soul shall be made fat: and he that watereth shall be watered also himself.—Prov., ch. 11.

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4958. — Royal. *David.* [The ark was returned.] "He dealt to every one of Israel, both man and woman, to every one a loaf of bread, and a good piece of flesh, and a flagon of wine.—1 CHRON., ch. 16.

4959. — of Sentiment. *Moses.* "There ran a young man, and told Moses, and said, El-dad and Medad do prophesy in the camp. "And Joshua..said, My lord Moses, forbid them. "And Moses said unto him, Enviest thou for my sake? would God that all the Lord's people were prophets, and that the Lord would put his Spirit upon them.—NUM., ch. 11.

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4962. — of Choice. *Prodigal.* "The younger of them said to his father, Father, give me the portion of goods that falleth to me. And he divided unto them his living.—LukE, ch. 15.

4963. — not License. *Eating.* "Meat commendeth us not to God: for neither, if we eat, are we the better; neither, if we eat not, are we the worse. "But take heed lest by any means this liberty of yours become a stumbling-block to them that are weak.—1 Cor., ch. 8.

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4964. LICE, Plague of. *Plague.* "Aaron stretched out his hand with his rod, and smote the dust of the earth, and it became lice in man, and in beast; throughout all the land of Egypt.—Ex., ch. 8.

4965. LIFE, Book of. "*Lamb's.*" "There shall in no wise enter into it any thing that defileth, neither whatsoever worketh abomination, or maketh a lie: but they which are written in the Lamb's book of life.—Rev., ch. 21.

4966. — Consummation of. *Simeon.* "Took ..him up in his arms, and blessed God, and said, "Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace, according to thy word: "For mine eyes have seen thy salvation.—LukE, ch. 2.

4967. — above Circumstances. *Wealth.* "Beware of covetousness: for a man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth. "And he spake a parable, saying, The ground of a certain rich man brought forth plentifully.—LukE, ch. 12.

4968. — Condition of. *Esther said,* "All the king's servants..do know, that whosoever, whether man or woman, shall come unto the king into the inner court, who is not called, there is one law of his to put him to death, except such to whom the king shall hold out the golden sceptre.—ESTHER, ch. 4.

4969. — Cessation of. "*Tree cut down.*" "There is hope of a tree, if it be cut down, that it will sprout again, and that the tender branch thereof will not cease. "Though the root thereof wax old in the earth, and the stock thereof die in the ground; "Yet through the scent of water it will bud, and bring forth boughs like a plant. "But man dieth, and wasteth away: yea, man giveth up the ghost, and where is he?—Job, ch. 14.

4970. — less than Character. *Nehemiah's.* "I came unto the house of Shemaiah..who was shut up; and he said, Let us meet..in the temple, and let us shut the doors..for they will come to slay thee; yea, in the night will they come to slay thee. "And I said, Should such a man as I flee? and who is there, that, being as I am, would go into the temple to save his life? I will not go in.—NEH., ch. 6.

4971. — compensated. *Lazarus.* "The beggar died, and was carried by the angels into Abraham's bosom: the rich man also died, and was buried; "And in hell he lifted up his eyes, being in torment.—LukE, ch. 16.

4972. — *Dilemma in. Unjust Steward.* ¹³ The steward said within himself, What shall I do? for my lord taketh away from me the stewardship: I cannot dig; to beg I am ashamed. — *LUKE*, ch. 16.

4973. — *worse than Death. In Egypt.* ¹⁸ Another king arose, which knew not Joseph. ¹⁹ The same dealt subtilly, and evil entreated our fathers, so that they cast out their young children, to the end they might not live. — *ACTS*, ch. 7.

4974. — *from Spiritual Death. Prodigal.* ²² Bring hither the fatted calf, and kill it; and let us eat, and be merry: ²⁴ For this my son was dead, and is alive again. — *LUKE*, ch. 15.

4975. — *Destruction of. Flood.* ²³ Every living substance was destroyed, both man, and cattle, and the creeping things, and the fowl of the heaven, and Noah only remained alive, and they that were with him in the ark. — *GEN.*, ch. 7.

4976. — *Desire for. Esau.* ³¹ Jacob said, Sell me this day thy birthright. ³² And Esau said, Behold, I am at the point to die: and what profit shall this birthright do to me? — *GEN.*, ch. 25.

4977. — *evasive. "Shadow."* [See No. 5017.]

4978. — *Requisites for Eternal. A Lawyer.* ²¹ Answering said, Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy strength, and with all thy mind; and thy neighbour as thyself. ²⁸ And he said unto him, Thou hast answered right: this do, and thou shalt live. — *LUKE*, ch. 10.

4979. — *Possessors of eternal. Jesus said.* ²⁴ He that heareth my word, and believeth on him that sent me, hath everlasting life, and shall not come into condemnation; but is passed from death unto life. — *JOHN*, ch. 5.

4980. — *Loss of eternal. Eden.* ²² Behold, the man is become as one of us, to know good and evil: and now, lest he put forth his hand, and take also of the tree of life, and eat, and live for ever: ²⁴ So he drove out the man. — *GEN.*, ch. 3.

4981. — *Enjoyment of. Solomon.* ¹⁸ It is good and comely for one to eat and to drink, and to enjoy the good of all his labour that he taketh under the sun all the days of his life, which God giveth him: for it is his portion. — *ECCL.*, ch. 5.

4982. — *evaporated. Sea.* ¹¹ As the waters fail from the sea, and the flood decayeth and drieth up; ¹² So man lieth down, and riseth not; till the heavens be no more. — *JOB*, ch. 14.

4983. — *Exposure of. "Mighty Men."* ¹⁸ The three mighty men brake through the host of the Philistines, and drew water out of the well of Beth-lehem, and brought it to David: nevertheless he would not drink thereof, but poured it out unto the Lord. ¹⁷ And he said, Be it far from me, O Lord, that I should do this: is not this the blood of the men that went in jeopardy of their lives? — *2 SAM.*, ch. 23.

4984. — *embittered. In Egypt.* ¹³ The Egyptians made the children of Israel to serve with rigour: ¹⁴ And they made their lives bitter with hard bondage, in mortar, and in brick, and in all manner of service in the field. — *EX.*, ch. 5.

4985. — *Frailty of. "Grass."* ¹ In the

morning they are like grass which groweth up. ⁶ In the morning it flourisheth, and groweth up; in the evening it is cut down, and withereth. — *PS.* 90.

4986. — *Foolish. Dives.* ¹⁸ I will pull down my barns, and build greater; and there will I bestow all my fruits and my goods. ¹⁹ And I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years; take thine ease, eat, drink, and be merry. — *LUKE*, ch. 12.

4987. — *Forsaking all for. Syrians.* ⁶ The Lord had made the host of the Syrians to hear the noise of a great host: and they said, Lo, the king of Israel hath hired against us the kings. ⁷ Wherefore they left their tents, and their horses, and their asses, even the camp as it was, and fled for their life. — *2 KINGS*, ch. 7.

4988. — *The future. Marriage.* ²³ In the resurrection, whose wife shall she be of the seven? for they all had her. ³⁰ In the resurrection they neither marry, nor are given in marriage, but are as the angels of God in heaven. — *MAT.*, ch. 22.

4989. — *given for the Truth. John Baptist.* ¹⁸ John had said unto Herod, It is not lawful for thee to have thy brother's wife. ¹⁹ Therefore Herodias had a quarrel against him, and would have killed him. ²⁰ . . . brought his head in a charger, and the damsel gave it to her mother. — *MARK*, ch. 6.

4990. — *Gifts of. Wisdom—Knowledge.* ²⁶ God giveth to a man that is good in his sight wisdom, and knowledge, and joy: but to the sinner he giveth travail, to gather and to heap up, that he may give to him that is good before God. — *ECCL.*, ch. 2.

4991. — *Haste in saving. "Aaron ran."* ⁴¹ Aaron ran into the midst of the congregation; and, behold, the plague was begun among the people: and he put on incense, and made an atonement for the people. ⁴² And he stood between the dead and the living; and the plague was stayed. — *NUM.*, ch. 16.

4992. — *Inequalities in. Dives—Lazarus.* ¹⁹ Was clothed in purple and fine linen, and fared sumptuously every day: ²⁰ And there was a certain beggar named Lazarus, which was laid at his gate, full of sores, ²¹ And desiring to be fed with the crumbs. — *LUKE*, ch. 16.

4993. — *exhibits the Heart. Solomon.* ⁴ His heart was not perfect with the Lord his God, as was the heart of David his father. ⁵ For Solomon went after Ashtoreth the goddess of the Zidonians. — *1 KINGS*, ch. 11.

4994. — *A higher. Mary.* ⁴¹ Martha, thou art careful and troubled about many things: ⁴² But one thing is needful; and Mary hath chosen that good part, which shall not be taken away from her. — *LUKE*, ch. 10.

4995. — *Joys of. Solomon.* ¹⁸ Every man also to whom God hath given riches and wealth, and hath given him power to eat thereof, and to take his portion, and to rejoice in his labour; this is the gift of God. — *ECCL.*, ch. 5.

4996. — *Jeopardy of. David said.* ³ Thy father certainly knoweth that I have found grace in thine eyes; and he saith, Let not Jonathan know this, lest he be grieved: but truly, as the Lord liveth, and as thy soul liveth, there is but a

step between me and death.—1 SAM., ch. 20. [King Saul sought to kill him.]

4997. — *Limits of. Fourscore.* ¹⁰ The days of our years are threescore years and ten ; and if by reason of strength they be fourscore years, yet is their strength labour and sorrow ; for it is soon cut off, and we fly away.—Ps. 90.

4998. — *for Life.* *Jehu said,* ²³ Search.. that there be here with you none.. but the worshippers of Baal only. ²⁴ And when they went in to offer sacrifices and burnt offerings, Jehu appointed fourscore men without, and said, *If any of the men.. he that letteth him go, his life shall be for the life of him.*—2 KINGS, ch. 10.

4999. — *Loathing of.* *Job.* ¹³ When I say, My bed shall comfort me, my couch shall ease my complaint ; ¹⁴ Then thou scarest me with dreams, and terrifiest me through visions : ¹⁵ So that my soul chooseth strangling, and death rather than my life. ¹⁶ I loathe it ; I would not live always : let me alone ; for may days are vanity.—JOB, ch. 7.

5000. — *lengthened by Prayer.* *Hezekiah's.* ⁵ Thus saith the Lord.. I have heard thy prayer, I have seen thy tears : behold, I will heal thee : on the third day thou shalt go up unto the house of the Lord. ⁶ And I will add unto thy days fifteen years.—2 KINGS, ch. 20.

5001. — *limited.* *Hananiah.* ¹⁶ Thus saith the Lord ; Behold, I will cast thee from off the face of the earth : this year thou shalt die, because thou hast taught rebellion against the Lord.—JER., ch. 28.

5002. — *Presumption of.* *"Know not."* ¹³ Go to now, ye that say, To day or to morrow we will go into such a city, and continue there a year, and buy and sell, and get gain : ¹⁴ Whereas ye know not what shall be on the morrow. For what is your life ? It is even a vapour, that appeareth for a little time, and then vanisheth away.—JAMES, ch. 4.

5003. — *perishable.* *"Dust."* ¹⁹ Them that dwell in houses of clay, whose foundation is in the dust, which are crushed before the moth ? ²⁰ They are destroyed from morning to evening.—JOB, ch. 4.

5004. — *Plea for.* *Esther.* ⁵ Esther.. said, *If I have found favour in thy sight, O king, and if it please the king, let my life be given me at my petition, and my people at my request : ⁶ For we are sold, I and my people, to be destroyed.. But if we had been sold for bondmen and bondwomen, I had held my tongue, although the enemy could not countervail the king's damage.*—ESTHER, ch. 7.

5005. — *Promise of.* *Proverb.* ¹ My son, forget not my law ; but let thine heart keep my commandments : ² For length of days, and long life, and peace, shall they add to thee.—PROV., ch. 3.

5006. — *a Pilgrimage.* *Jacob.* ⁹ And Jacob said unto Pharaoh, The days of the years of my pilgrimage are a hundred and thirty years : few and evil have the days of the years of my life been.—GEN., ch. 47.

5007. — *Review of.* *Jacob.* ⁹ Jacob said unto Pharaoh, The days of the years of my pilgrimage are a hundred and thirty years : few and evil have the days of the years of my life been.—GEN., ch. 47.

5008. — *Reversals in.* *Job.* ⁹ Oh that I were as in months past, as in the days when God preserved me ; ⁶ When I washed my steps with butter, and the rock poured me out rivers of oil : ⁸ The young men saw me, and hid themselves : and the aged arose, and stood up.—JOB, ch. 29. [He was derided in adversity.]

5009. — *regretted.* *Job.* ³ Let the day perish wherein I was born.. ⁹ Let the stars of the twilight thereof be dark ; let it look for light, but have none ; neither let it see the dawning of the day : ¹⁰ Because it shut not.. nor hid sorrow from mine eyes. ¹¹ Why died I not from the womb ?—JOB, ch. 3.

5010. — *restored.* *Shunammite's Child.* ²⁴ Elisha went up, and lay upon the child, and put his mouth upon his mouth, and his eyes upon his eyes, and his hands upon his hands : and he stretched himself upon the child ; and the flesh of the child waxed warm. ²⁵ Then he.. walked in the house to and fro ; and went up, and stretched himself upon him : and the child sneezed seven times, and.. opened his eyes.—2 KINGS, ch. 4.

5011. — *— Jairus' Daughter.* ⁴⁰ He taketh the father and the mother of the damsel, and them that were with him, and entereth in where the damsel was lying. ⁴¹ And he took the damsel by the hand, and said.. Talitha cumi ; which is.. Damsel, (I say unto thee,) arise. ⁴² And straightway the damsel arose.—MARK, ch. 5.

5012. — *— Lazarus.* ⁴³ He cried with a loud voice, Lazarus, come forth. ⁴⁴ And he that was dead came forth, bound hand and foot with graveclothes ; and his face was bound about with a napkin. Jesus saith.. Loose him, and let him go.—JOHN, ch. 11.

5013. — *— Widow's Son.* ¹³ He had compassion on her, and said.. Weep not. ¹⁴ And he came and touched the bier.. And he said, Young man, I say unto thee, Arise. ¹⁵ And he that was dead sat up, and began to speak.—LUKE, ch. 7.

5014. — *— Dorcas.* ³⁹ All the widows stood by him weeping, and shewing the coats and garments which Dorcas made. ⁴⁰ But Peter.. kneeled down, and prayed ; and turning him to the body said, Tabitha, arise. And she opened her eyes : and when she saw Peter, she sat up.—ACTS, ch. 9.

5015. — *Religion a new.* *To Nicodemus.* ³ Jesus answered.. Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God.—JOHN, ch. 3.

5016. — *Success in.* *Sinner's.* [See No. 4986.]

5017. — *Swiftness of.* *"Shuttle."* ⁶ My days are swifter than a weaver's shuttle, and are spent without hope. ⁷ O remember that my life is wind.—JOB, ch. 7.

5018. — *Selling all for.* *Egyptians.* ³⁰ The Egyptians sold every man his field, because the famine prevailed over them : so the land became Pharaoh's.—GEN., ch. 47. [Also their money and cattle.]

5019. — *commended.* *Social.* *Passover.* ³ They shall take.. a lamb for a house : ⁴ And if the household be too little for the lamb, let him and his neighbour next unto his house take it.—EX., ch. 12.

5020. — a Trial. *Eden.* ¹⁶ Of every tree of the garden thou mayest freely eat : ¹⁷ But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt not eat of it : for in the day that thou eatest thereof thou shalt surely die.—*GEN.*, ch. 2.

5021. — of Trouble. *Job.* ¹ Man that is born of a woman is of few days, and full of trouble. ² He cometh forth like a flower, and is cut down : he fleeth also as a shadow, and continueth not.—*JOB.*, ch. 14.

5022. — Tired of. *Elijah.* [He fled from Jezebel.] ⁴ And sat down under a juniper tree : and he requested for himself that he might die ; and said, It is enough ; now, O Lord, take away my life ; for I am not better than my fathers.—*1 KINGS.*, ch. 19.

5023. — typified. *Christian.* ¹¹ Thus shall ye eat it ; with your loins girded, your shoes on your feet, and your staff in your hand : and ye shall eat it in haste ; it is the Lord's passover. ¹² . . . and when I see the blood, I will pass over you, and the plague shall not . . . destroy you, when I smite the land of Egypt.—*EX.*, ch. 12.

5024. — Uncertainty of. " *Watch.* " ²⁴ For the Son of man is as a man taking a far journey, who . . . gave authority to his servants, and to every man his work, and commanded the porter to watch. ²⁵ Watch ye therefore : for ye know not when the master of the house cometh, at even, or at midnight, or at the cockcrowing, or in the morning.—*MARK.*, ch. 13.

5025. — Union in. *Interwoven.* ²⁰ When I come to thy servant my father, and the lad be not with us ; seeing that his life is bound up in the lad's life ; ²¹ . . . he will die : and thy servants shall bring down the gray hairs of thy servant our father with sorrow to the grave.—*GEN.*, ch. 44.

5026. — Various Values of. *David.* ³ The king said, I will surely go forth with you myself also. ⁴ But the people answered, Thou shalt not go forth : for if we flee away, they will not care for us ; neither if half of us die, will they care for us. . . . thou art worth ten thousand of us.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 18.

5027. — Weariness of. *Job.* ² As a servant earnestly desireth the shadow, and as a hireling looketh for the reward of his work ; ³ So am I made to possess months of vanity, and wearisome nights are appointed to me. ⁴ When I lie down, I say, When shall I arise, and the night be gone ? and I am full of tossings to and fro until the dawning of the day.—*JOB.*, ch. 7.

5028. — by the Word. *Satan said.* ³ If thou be the Son of God, command that these stones be made bread. ⁴ But he answered, . . . It is written, Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God.—*MAT.*, ch. 3.

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5029. LIGHT for the Christian. *In Egypt.* ²² There was a thick darkness in all the land of Egypt three days : ²³ They saw not one another, neither rose any from his place for three days : but all the children of Israel had light in their dwellings.—*EX.*, ch. 10.

5030. — Conversion brings. *Paul.* ¹⁷ Ananias went . . . and putting his hands on him said, Brother Saul, the Lord, even Jesus, . . . hath sent me, that thou mightest receive thy sight, and be filled with the Holy Ghost. ¹⁸ And immediately there fell from his eyes as it had been scales.—*ACTS.*, ch. 9.

5031. — Condemnation for. *Pharisees.* ⁴⁴ The queen of the south shall rise up in the judgment with this generation, and shall condemn it : for she came from the uttermost parts of the earth to hear the wisdom of Solomon ; and behold, a greater than Solomon is here.—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

5032. — commanded. *Creation.* ³ God said, Let there be light : and there was light.—*GEN.*, ch. 1.

5033. — Dawling. *Paul.* ³ He came near Damascus : and suddenly there shined round about him a light from heaven. ⁹ And he was three days without sight, and neither did eat nor drink.—*ACTS.*, ch. 9.

5034. — of Deeds. *Candle.* ¹⁵ Neither do men light a candle, and put it under a bushel, but on a candlestick ; and it giveth light unto all that are in the house. ¹⁶ Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father.—*MAT.*, ch. 5.

5035. — Exposure by. *Evil Deeds.* ²⁰ Every one that doeth evil hateth the light, neither cometh to the light, lest his deeds should be re-proved. ²¹ But he that doeth truth cometh to the light, that his deeds may be made manifest, that they are wrought in God.—*JOHN.*, ch. 3.

5036. — Fellowship in. " *Walk in.* " ⁴ If we say that we have fellowship with him, and walk in darkness, we lie, and do not the truth : ⁵ But if we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin.—*1 JOHN.*, ch. 1.

5037. — Hatred of. *Evil-doers.* ¹⁰ He that believeth not is condemned already, because he hath not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God. ¹¹ And this is the condemnation, that light is come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil.—*JOHN.*, ch. 3.

5038. — Improvement by. *Walk.* [Two days before his death.] ²⁵ Yet a little while is the light with you. Walk while ye have the light, lest darkness come upon you : for he that walketh in darkness knoweth not whither he goeth. ²⁶ While ye have light, believe in the light, that ye may be the children of light.—*JOHN.*, ch. 12.

5039. — and Love. *Christian.* ⁹ He that saith he is in the light, and hateth his brother, is in darkness even until now. ¹⁰ He that loveth his brother abideth in the light, and there is none occasion of stumbling in him. ¹¹ But he that hateth his brother is in darkness, and walketh in darkness, and knoweth not whither

he goeth, because that darkness hath blinded his eyes.—1 JOHN, ch. 2.

5040. — of Life. *Jesus.* ¹² I am the light of the world : he that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have the light of life.—JOHN, ch. 8.

5041. — Responsibility for. *Jesus said,* ²² Thou, Capernaum, which art exalted unto heaven, shalt be brought down to hell : for if the mighty works, which have been done in thee, had been done in Sodom, it would have remained until this day. ²⁴ It shall be more tolerable for the land of Sodom in the day of judgment, than for thee.—MAT., ch. 11.

5042. — Sinning against. *Pharisees.* ⁴⁰ Are we blind also ? ⁴¹ Jesus said, If ye were blind, ye should have no sin : but now ye say, We see ; therefore your sin remaineth.—JOHN, ch. 9.

5043. — Transforming. *Moses' Face.* ²⁹ When Moses came down from mount Sinai with the two tables of testimony, Moses wist not that the skin of his face shone while he talked with him.—EX., ch. 34.

5044. — Waiting for. *In Egypt.* [See No. 5029.]

5045. — withdrawn. *Scribes and Pharisees.* ²⁹ Master, we would see a sign from thee. ³⁰ But he answered, An evil and adulterous generation seeketh after a sign, and there shall no sign be given to it, but the sign of the prophet Jonas.—MAT., ch. 12.

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5046. LIGHTNING, Alarmed by. *Pharaoh.* ¹⁷ I have sinned this time : the Lord is righteous, and I and my people are wicked. ²⁸ Entreat the Lord (for it is enough) that there be no more mighty thunderings and hail ; and I will let you go.—EX., ch. 9.

5047. — Destruction by. *Job's Sheep.* ¹⁶ The fire of God is fallen from heaven, and hath burned up the sheep, and the servants. I only am escaped.—JOB, ch. 1.

5048. — Terrific. *In Egypt.* ²³ The Lord sent thunder and hail, and the fire ran along upon the ground..upon the land of Egypt. ²⁴ So there was hail, and fire mingled with the hail, very grievous.—EX., ch. 9.

5049. — — Sinai. ¹⁶ On the third day in the morning, that there were thunders and lightnings, and a thick cloud upon the mount, and the voice of the trumpet exceeding loud ; so that all the people that was in the camp trembled.—EX., ch. 19.

5050. LITIGATION condemned. *Christian.* ⁷ There is utterly a fault among you, because ye go to law one with another. Why do ye not rather take wrong ? Why do ye not rather suffer yourselves to be defrauded ?—1 COR., ch. 6.

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5051. LITTLE, but Wise. *Animals.* ²⁴ There be four things which are little upon the earth, but they are exceeding wise : ²⁵ The ants.. ²⁶ The conies. ²⁷ The locusts. ²⁸ The spider.—PROV., ch. 30.

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5052. LOITERERS driven. *From Sinai.* ¹ When the people complained..the Lord heard it ; and his anger was kindled ; and the fire of the Lord..consumed them that were in the uttermost parts of the camp.—NUM., ch. 11.

5053. — hastened. *Lot.* ¹⁶ While he lingered, the men laid hold upon his hand, and..his wife, and..his two daughters ; the Lord being merciful unto him : and they..set him without the city.—GEN., ch. 19.

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5054. LONELINESS, Comfort in. *Jacob.* [An exiled wanderer.] ¹¹ He took of the stones, for his pillows, and lay down in that place to sleep. ¹² And he dreamed, and behold a ladder set up on the earth, and the top of it reached to heaven : and..the angels of God ascending and descending on it. ¹³ And..the Lord stood above it.—GEN., ch. 28.

5055. — Despondency in. *Elijah.* ¹³ What doest thou here, Elijah ? ¹⁴ And he said, I have been very jealous for the Lord..because the children of Israel have forsaken thy covenant, thrown down thine altars, and slain thy prophets..and I, even I only, am left ; and they seek my life, to take it away.—1 KINGS, ch. 19.

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5056. LOOK, Life in a. *Israelites.* ⁹ Moses made a serpent of brass, and put it upon a pole..if a serpent had bitten any man, when he beheld the serpent of brass, he lived.—NUM., ch. 21.

5057. — of Reproof. *Trial of Jesus.* ⁴¹ The Lord turned, and looked upon Peter. And Peter remembered..how he had said unto him, Before the cock crow, thou shalt deny me thrice. ⁴² And Peter went out, and wept bitterly.—LUKE, ch. 22.

5058. — Trouble from a. *Egyptians.* ²⁴ The Lord looked unto..the Egyptians through the pillar of fire..and troubled the host of the Egyptians, ²⁵ And took off their chariot wheels, that they drove them heavily : so that the Egyptians said, Let us flee..for the Lord fighteth for them.—EX., ch. 14.

5059. LOOKING to the Blood. *Passover.* [In conspicuous places.] ⁷ They shall take of the blood, and strike it on the two side posts and on the upper door post of the houses.—EX., ch. 12.

5060. — back. *Lot's Wife.* ¹¹ Escape for thy life; look not behind thee, neither stay thou in all the plain; ¹² But his wife looked back from behind him, and she became a pillar of salt.—*GEN.*, ch. 19.

5061. — — *Disciple.* ⁴¹ One said, Lord, I will follow thee; but let me first go bid them farewell, which are at home. . . ⁴² And Jesus said . . . No man, having put his hand to the plough, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God.—*LUKE*, ch. 9.

5062. — — *to Jesus. Peter.* ³⁰ When he saw the wind boisterous, he was afraid; and beginning to sink, he cried, saying, Lord, save me. ³¹ And immediately Jesus stretched forth his hand, and caught him.—*MAT.*, ch. 14.

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5063. *Loss by Absence. Thomas.* ²⁴ Thomas, one of the twelve . . . was not with them when Jesus came.—*JOHN*, ch. 20. [He remained one week in unhappy doubt.]

5064. — — *of Authority. Job.* ¹⁵ They that dwell in mine house, and my maids, count me for a stranger: I am an alien in their sight. ¹⁶ I called my servant, and he gave me no answer; I entreated him with my mouth.—*JOB*, ch. 19.

5065. — — *by Accident. Son of Prophets.* ³ As one was felling a beam, the axe head fell into the water: and he cried, and said, Alas, master! for it was borrowed. ⁴ And the man of God . . . out down a stick, and cast it in thither; and the iron did swim.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 6.

5066. — — *by Delay. At Bethesda.* ¹ The impotent man answered him, Sir, I have no man, when the water is troubled, to put me into the pool: but while I am coming, another stepeth down before me.—*JOHN*, ch. 5.

5067. — — *Discovery of. Joseph and Mary.* ⁴³ When they found him not, they turned back again to Jerusalem, seeking him. ⁴⁴ And . . . after three days they found him in the temple, sitting in the midst of the doctors.—*LUKE*, ch. 2.

5068. — — *An Irreparable. Ark of God.* ¹⁰ The Philistines fought, and Israel was smitten, and they fled. . . ¹¹ And the ark of God was taken. . . when the man came into the city, and told it, all the city cried out.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 4.

5069. — — *An Irrecoverable. Saltiness.* ⁵⁰ Salt is good: but if the salt have lost his saltiness, wherewith will ye season it?—*MAT.*, ch. 9.

5070. — — *by Ignorance. Parable of the Sower.* ¹⁹ When any one heareth the word of the kingdom, and understandeth it not, then cometh the wicked one, and catcheth away that which was sown in his heart. This is he which received seed by the way side.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

5071. — — *of Losses. The. The Soul.* ²⁶ What is a man profited, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul? or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul?—*MAT.*, ch. 16.

5072. — — *of Love. Ephesian Church.* ⁴ Nevertheless I have somewhat against thee, because thou hast left thy first love. ⁸ Remember therefore from whence thou art fallen, and repent, and do the first works; or else I will come unto thee.—*REV.*, ch. 2.

5073. — — *Profit and. The Soul.* ²⁵ What is a man advantaged, if he gain the whole world, and lose himself, or be cast away?—*LUKE*, ch. 9.

5074. — — *by lack of Zeal. Elisha to Joash.* ¹⁸ Smite upon the ground. And he smote thrice, and stayed. ¹⁹ And the man of God was wroth with him, and said, Thou shouldest have smitten five or six times; then hadst thou smitten Syria till thou hadst consumed it: whereas now thou shalt smite Syria but thrice.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 13.

5075. *LOSSES, Accountability for. Jacob to Laban.* ³⁰ That which was torn of beasts I brought not unto thee; I bare the loss of it; of my hand didst thou require it, whether stolen by day, or stolen by night.—*GEN.*, ch. 31.

5076. — — *restored. Job.* ¹³ The Lord blessed the latter end of Job more than his beginning: for he had fourteen thousand sheep, and six thousand camels, and a thousand yoke of oxen, and a thousand she asses. ¹⁵ He had also seven sons and three daughters.—*JOB*, ch. 42.

5077. *LOST Bible. A. Reign of Josiah.* ⁸ Hilkiah the high priest said unto Shaphan the scribe, I have found the book of the law in the house of the Lord. . . and he read it.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 22.

5078. — — *to the Good. Prodigal.* ¹³ The younger son gathered all together, and took his journey into a far country, and there wasted his substance with riotous living.—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

5079. — — *Penitence of the. Prodigal.* ¹⁸ I will arise and go to my father, and will say unto him, Father, I have sinned against heaven, and before thee, ¹⁹ And am no more worthy to be called thy son: make me as one of thy hired servants.—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

5080. — — *Reflections of the. Prodigal.* ¹⁷ When he came to himself, he said, How many hired servants of my father's have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger!—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

5081. — — *restored. The. Joseph.* ²¹ When he saw the wagons which Joseph had sent to carry him, the spirit of Jacob their father revived. ²² And Israel said, It is enough; Joseph my son is yet alive: I will go and see him before I die.—*GEN.*, ch. 45.

5082. — — *Recovery of the. Prodigal.* ²² Bring forth the best robe, and put it on him; and put a ring on his hand, and shoes on his feet: ²³ And bring hither the fatted calf, and kill it; and let us eat, and be merry: ²⁴ For this my son was dead, and is alive again; he was lost, and is found.—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

5083. — — *Restoration of the. Law.* ¹ Thou shalt not see thy brother's ox or his sheep go astray, and hide thyself from them: thou shalt in any case bring them again unto thy brother. ² And if thy brother be not nigh unto thee, or if thou know him not, then thou shalt bring it unto thine own house, and it shall be with thee until thy brother seek after it.—*DEUT.*, ch. 22.

5084. — *Seeking the Unconscious.* * What woman having ten pieces of silver, if she lose one piece, doth not light a candle, and sweep the house, and seek diligently till she find it?—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

5085. — *Conscious.* * What man of you, having a hundred sheep, if he lose one of them, doth not leave the ninety and nine in the wilderness, and go after that which is lost, until he find it?—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

5086. — *from Unbelief.* *Jesus said,* * He that believeth and is baptized, shall be saved; but he that believeth not, shall be damned.—*MAR.*, ch. 16.

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Ridiculed. Mock him.. began to build.. not able 2877
Temporary. I know not the L. neither.. let I. go 2879

5087. LOT, Condemned by. *Achan.* * He brought the family of Judah; and he took the family of the Zarhites; and he brought the family of the Zarhites man by man; and Zabdi was taken: * And he brought his household man by man; and Achan.. was taken.—*JOSH.*, ch. 7.

5088. — *Sailors said,* * Come, and let us cast lots, that we may know for whose cause this evil is upon us. So they cast lots, and the lot fell upon Jonah.—*JONAH*, ch. 1.

5089. — *Called by.* *Zacharias.* * According to the custom of the priest's office, his lot was to burn incense when he went into the temple of the Lord.—*LUKE*, ch. 1.

5090. — *Division by.* *Canaan.* * Ye shall divide the land by lot for an inheritance among your families; and to the more ye shall give the more inheritance, and to the fewer ye shall give the less inheritance.—*NUM.*, ch. 33.

5091. — *Gambling by.* *At the Cross.* * The

soldiers, when they had crucified Jesus, took his garments, and made four parts, to every soldier a part; and also his coat. * They said.. Let us not rend it, but cast lots for it, whose it shall be.—*JOHN*, ch. 19.

5092. — *with Prayer.* *Apostles.* * Appointed two, Joseph.. and Matthias. * And they prayed.. Thou, Lord, which knowest the hearts of all men, show whether of these two thou hast chosen, * That he may take part of this ministry and apostleship, from which Judas by transgression fell. * And they gave forth their lots; and the lot fell upon Matthias.—*ACTS*, ch. 1.

5093. LOVE, Absorbed by. *Mary.* * Bid her.. that she help me. * And Jesus answered.. Martha, Martha, thou art careful and troubled about many things: * But one thing is needful; and Mary hath chosen that good part, which shall not be taken away from her.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

5094. — *one Another.* * *Knoweth God.* * Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God. * He that loveth not, knoweth not God; for God is love.—1 *JOHN*, ch. 4.

5095. — *kills Bigotry.* *Moses to Jehro.* [A Midianite.] * If thou go with us, yea, it shall be, that what goodness the Lord shall do unto us, the same will we do unto thee.—*NUM.*, ch. 10.

5096. — *A Brother's.* *Aaron's.* * Is not Aaron the Levite thy brother? I know that he can speak well. And also, behold, he cometh forth to meet thee: and when he seeth thee, he will be glad in his heart.—*EX.*, ch. 4.

5097. — *for the Church.* *Joel.* * Let the priests, the ministers of the Lord, weep between the porch and the altar, and let them say, Spare thy people, O Lord, and give not thine heritage to reproach, that the heathen should rule over them: wherefore should they say.. Where is their God?—*JOEL*, ch. 2.

5098. — *Compassion of.* *Jesus.* * O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, thou that killest the prophets, and stonest them which are sent unto thee, how often would I have gathered thy children together, even as a hen gathereth her chickens under her wings, and ye would not!—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

5099. — *a Compensation.* *Proverb.* * Better is a dinner of herbs where love is, than a stalled ox and hatred therewith.—*PROV.*, ch. 15.

5100. — *works the Church.* *Tabernacle.* * Every one whose heart stirred him up, and every one whom his spirit made willing.. brought the Lord's offering to the work of the tabernacle.. and for all his service, and for the holy garments. *.. both men and women.. brought bracelets, and earrings, and rings, and tablets, all jewels of gold.—*EX.*, ch. 35.

5101. — *the great Duty.* *To a Lawyer.* * Jesus said.. Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. * This is the first and great commandment. * And the second is like unto it, Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself.—*MAT.*, ch. 22.

5102. — *shows Discipleship.* *Jesus said,* * A new commandment I give unto you, That

ye love one another ; as I have loved you, that ye also love one another. ²⁵ By this shall all men know that ye are my disciples, if ye have love one to another.—JOHN, ch. 13.

5103. — Devotion of. *Galatians.* ¹⁵ I bear you record, that, if it had been possible, ye would have plucked out your own eyes, and have given them to me.—GAL., ch. 4.

5104. — Destitute of. *David.* ⁴ I looked on my right hand, and beheld, but there was no man that would know me : refuge failed me ; no man cared for my soul. ⁵ I cried unto thee, O Lord : I said, Thou art my refuge.—PS., ch. 42.

5105. — Effects of. *"No Fear."* ¹⁸ There is no fear in love ; but perfect love casteth out fear : because fear hath torment. He that feareth, is not made perfect in love. ²⁰ If a man say, I love God, and hateth his brother, he is a liar.—1 JOHN, ch. 4.

5106. — Evidence in. *Loveth his Brother.* ¹⁰ He that loveth his brother abideth in the light, and there is none occasion of stumbling in him. ¹¹ But he that hateth his brother is in darkness, and walketh in darkness, and knoweth not whither he goeth, because that darkness hath blinded his eyes.—1 JOHN, ch. 2.

5107. — of Enemies. *Command.* ⁴³ It hath been said, Thou shalt love thy neighbour, and hate thine enemy. ⁴⁴ But I say unto you, Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them which despitefully use you, and persecute you.—MAT., ch. 5.

5108. — Fraternal. *Christian.* ¹⁶ Hereby perceive we the love of God, because he laid down his life for us : and we ought to lay down our lives for the brethren. ¹⁷ But whoso hath this world's goods, and seeth his brother have need, and shutteth up his bowels of compassion from him, how dwelleth the love of God in him ?—1 JOHN, ch. 3.

5109. — of Friendship. *David.* ²⁵ O Jonathan, thou wast slain in thine high places. ²⁶ I am distressed for thee, my brother Jonathan : very pleasant hast thou been unto me : thy love to me was wonderful, passing the love of women.—2 SAM., ch. 1.

5110. — of God. *Distinguishing.* ⁴ What is man, that thou art mindful of him ? ⁵ For thou hast made him a little lower than the angels, and hast crowned him with glory and honour. ⁶ Thou madest him to have dominion over the works of thy hands ; thou hast put all things under his feet.—PS., ch. 8.

5111. — — Not forgetful. ¹⁵ Can a woman forget her sucking child . . . yea, they may forget, yet will I not forget thee. ¹⁶ Behold, I have graven thee upon the palms of my hands ; thy walls are continually before me.—ISA., ch. 49.

5112. — — For Sinners. ¹⁶ God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life.—JOHN, ch. 3.

5113. — — Remarkable. ¹ Behold what manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us, that we should be called the sons of God. . . ² Beloved, now are we the sons of God, and it doth not yet appear what we shall be : but we

know that, when he shall appear, we shall be like him.—1 JOHN, ch. 3.

5114. — — The Seeking. The lost sheep . . . The lost coin . . . The lost son. [See Luke, ch. 15.]

5115. — — The Receiving. ²⁰ He arose, and came to his father. But when he was yet a great way off, his father saw him, and had compassion, and ran, and fell on his neck, and kissed him.—LUKE, ch. 15.

5116. — — The Honouring. [See No. 5082.] ¹⁹ Am no more worthy to be called thy son : make me as one of thy hired servants. ²² But the father said to his servants, Bring forth the best robe, and put it on him ; and put a ring on his hand, and shoes on his feet : ²³ And bring hither the fatted calf, and kill it ; and let us eat, and be merry.—LUKE, ch. 15.

5117. — to God. *Command.* ⁵ Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thine heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy might. ⁶ And these words . . . shall be in thine heart.—DEUT., ch. 6.

5118. — better than Hatred. *Proverbs.* ¹⁵ Hatred stirreth up strifes : but love covereth all sins. . . ¹⁶ He that hideth hatred with lying lips, and he that uttereth a slander, is a fool.—PROV., ch. 10.

5119. — Imperfect. *Solomon.* ³ Solomon loved the Lord . . . only he sacrificed and burnt incense in high places.—1 KINGS, ch. 3.

5120. — An inseparable. *Ruth.* ¹⁶ Entreat me not to leave thee . . . for whither thou goest, I will go ; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge : thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God : ¹⁷ Where thou diest, will I die, and there will I be buried : the Lord do so to me, and more also, if aught but death part thee and me.—RUTH, ch. 1.

5121. — Life in. *Lawyer said.* ²⁸ Master, what shall I do to inherit eternal life ? ²⁹ He said . . . What is written in the law ? . . . ³⁰ And he answering said, Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy strength, and with all thy mind ; and thy neighbour as thyself. ³¹ And he said . . . this do, and thou shalt live.—LUKE, ch. 10.

5122. — Loss of. *Ephesians.* ⁴ I have somewhat against thee, because thou hast left thy first love. ⁵ Remember therefore from whence thou art fallen, and repent, and do the first works : or else I will come unto thee quickly, and will remove thy candlestick out of his place, except thou repent.—REV., ch. 2.

5123. — A Lover's. *Jacob.* ²⁰ Jacob served seven years for Rachel : and they seemed unto him but a few days, for the love he had to her.—GEN., ch. 29.

5124. — Labour of. *Five Months.* [David took seven of Saul's descendants . . . Gibeonites hung them.] ¹⁰ And Rizpah . . . took sackcloth, and spread it for her upon the rock, from the beginning of harvest until the water dropped upon them out of heaven, and suffered neither the birds of the air to rest on them by day, nor the beasts of the field by night.—2 SAM., ch. 21.

5125. — Memorial of. *Mary.* ⁶ She hath done what she could : she is come aforehand to anoint my body to the burying. ⁹ . . . Where-

soever this gospel shall be preached throughout the whole world, this also that she hath done shall be spoken of for a memorial of her.—**MARK**, ch. 14.

5126. — *Mission of.* **John** said, "Command fire to come down from heaven, and consume them, even as Elias did?" "But he turned, and rebuked them, and said, Ye know not what manner of spirit ye are of. "For the Son of man is not come to destroy men's lives, but to save them.—**LUKE**, ch. 9.

5127. — *A Mother's.* **Of Moses.** "She hid him three months. "And when she could not longer hide him, she took for him an ark of bulrushes, and daubed it with slime and with pitch, and put the child therein; and she laid it in the flags by the river's brink.—**EX.**, ch. 2.

5128. — *of Money.* "*Root of all Evil.*" "The love of money is the root of all evil: which while some coveted after, they have erred from the faith, and pierced themselves through with many sorrows. "O man of God, flee these things.—1 **THM.**, ch. 6.

5129. — *More than natural.* *Spiritual.* "I am come to set a man at variance against his father, and the daughter against her mother. "He that loveth father or mother more than me is not worthy of me: and he that loveth son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me.—**MAT.**, ch. 10.

5130. — *Nobility of.* **Judah.** "Let thy servant abide instead of the lad a bondman to my lord; and let the lad go up with his brethren. "For how shall I go up to my father, and the lad be not with me.—**GEN.**, ch. 44.

5131. — *Philanthropic.* *Law of.* "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind, and with all thy strength: this is the first commandment. "And the second is like, *namely* this, Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself. There is none other commandment greater than these.—**MARK**, ch. 12.

5132. — *Perfection of.* "*His Love.*" "If we love one another, God dwelleth in us, and his love is perfected in us.—1 **JOHN**, ch. 4.

5133. — *A pretended.* *Assassin's.* "Joab said to Amasa, Art thou in health, my brother? And Joab took Amasa by the beard with the right hand to kiss him. "But Amasa took no heed to the sword that was in Joab's hand: so he smote him therewith in the fifth rib.—2 **SAM.**, ch. 20.

5134. — *Reason for.* "*Loved us.*" "Herein is love, not that we loved God, but that he loved us, and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins. "Beloved, if God so loved us, we ought also to love one another.—1 **JOHN**, ch. 4.

5135. — *Rule for.* "*Forgiven much.*" "My head with oil thou didst not anoint: but this woman hath anointed my feet with ointment. "Wherefore her sins, which are many, are forgiven; for she loved much: but to whom little is forgiven, the same loveth little.—**LUKE**, ch. 7.

5136. — *Superiority of.* "*Greatest of these is Charity.*" [See 1 **COR.**, 13.]

5137. — *better than Sacrifice.* *A Scribe* said, "To love him with all the heart, and

with all the understanding, and with all the soul, and with all the strength, and to love his neighbour as himself, is more than all whole burnt offerings and sacrifices. "Jesus said. "Thou art not far from the kingdom of God.—**MARK**, ch. 12.

5138. — *before Sacrifice.* *Reconciliation.* "If thou bring thy gift to the altar, and there rememberest that thy brother hath aught against thee; "Leave there thy gift before the altar, and go thy way; first be reconciled to thy brother, and then come and offer thy gift.—**MAT.**, ch. 5.

5139. — *Sincere.* *Peter's.* "Simon, son of Jonas, lovest thou me? Peter was grieved because he said unto him the third time, Lovest thou me? And he said. Lord, thou knowest all things; thou knowest that I love thee.—**JOHN**, ch. 21.

5140. — *Service of.* *Samaritan.* "He had compassion on him, "And went to him, and bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine, and set him on his own beast, and brought him to an inn, and took care of him. "When he departed, he took out two pence, and gave them to the host.—**LUKE**, ch. 10.

5141. — *Self-abnegating.* *Paul's.* "I could wish that myself were accursed from Christ for my brethren, my kinsmen according to the flesh.—**ROM.**, ch. 9.

5142. — *Standard of.* "*As I have loved you.*" [See No. 5102.]

5143. — *Sorrows of.* *Jeremiah.* "Oh that my head were waters, and mine eyes a fountain of tears, that I might weep day and night for the slain of the daughter of my people.—**JER.**, ch. 9.

5144. — *Strength of.* "*Cannot quench.*" "Set me as a seal upon thine heart. "For love is strong as death. "Many waters cannot quench love, neither can the floods drown it: if a man would give all the substance of his house for love, it would utterly be contemned.—**SOLOMON'S SONG**, ch. 8.

5145. — *Test of.* "*In Death.*" "We know that we have passed from death unto life, because we love the brethren. He that loveth not his brother, abideth in death.—1 **JOHN**, ch. 3.

5146. — *in the Tongue.* *Deeds.* "Let us not love in word, neither in tongue, but in deed and in truth. "And hereby we know that we are of the truth, and shall assure our hearts before him.—1 **JOHN**, ch. 3.

5147. — *A Traitor's.* **Judas.** "Whomsoever I shall kiss, that same is he; hold him fast. "He came to Jesus, and said, Hail, Master; and kissed him.—**MAT.**, ch. 26.

5148. — *unites to God.* *St. John* says, "We have known and believed the love that God hath to us. God is love: and he that dwelleth in love, dwelleth in God, and God in him.—1 **JOHN**, ch. 4.

5149. — *Unmanifested.* *Proverb.* "Open rebuke is better than secret love. "Faithful are the wounds of a friend; but the kisses of an enemy are deceitful.—**PROV.**, ch. 27.

5150. — *for the Unlovely.* **Jesus** said, "For if ye love them which love you, what reward have ye? do not even the publicans the

same? ⁴¹ And if ye salute your brethren only, what do ye more *than others*? do not even the publicans so?—*MAT.*, ch. 5.

5151. — *Work of, "Built."* ⁴ When they came to Jesus, they besought him instantly, saying, That he was worthy for whom he should do this: ⁵ For he loveth our nation, and he hath built us a synagogue.—*LUKE*, ch. 7.

See other illustrations under:

KINDNESS.

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Christians. Disciples. relief unto brethren. Judea 4814
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Gratitude. Mephibosheth. kindness for Jonathan's 4817
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Prosperity. I delivered the poor that cried [Job] 4823
Prisoner. Jeremiah put these rags. under arms 4824
Remembered. Lest I destroy you, for ye showed 4825
Rewarded. Rahab hid them with flax. saved 4826
Substitutional. I was eyes to the blind. feet [Job] 4827
Servant. Centurion's servant was dear to him 4828
Strangers. Drink, my lord. hastened. gave him 4829
Timely. Barzillai brought beds. flour. butter 4830
Unexpected. Shall I smite them?.. set bread 4831
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KISS.

Filial. Let me kiss my father 4830
Treacherous. Joab took Amasa. to kiss him 4831
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PHILANTHROPY.

Creditable. Jeremiah is like to die for hunger 6118
Divine. Jesus went about. teaching. preaching 6119
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Inculcated. Bless them that curse you, do good 6121
Noble. Samaritan had compassion. care 6122
Practical. Take this child. nurse it for me. wages 6123
Pious. Barnabas sold it. brought the money 6124
Preference. Do good unto all, especially. faith 6125
Revival. Sold their possessions. every man 6126

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5152. LOYALTY undermined. Absalom.

³ When any man came nigh to him to do him obeisance, he put forth his hand, and took him, and kissed him. ⁶ And on this manner did Absalom. all Israel that came to the king for judgment: so Absalom stole the hearts of the men.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 15.

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PATRIOTISM.

Absorbing. Why is thy countenance sad? 6005
Appeal. Fight for your brethren. houses 6006
Children. Wives also and the children rejoiced 6007
Bangerous. Ehud made him a dagger. two edges 6008
Beed. Moses. slew the Egyptian 6009
Generous. Were at my table 150 Jews besides 6010
Self-sacrificing. Forgive. if not, blot me. out of 6013
Sacrifices. I. have not eaten the bread of the G. 6014
Sentiments. Moses said. Let me go. my brethren 6015

5153. LUKEWARMNESS spewed out. *Ladiceans.* ¹⁵ I know thy works, that thou art nei-

ther cold nor hot: I would thou wert cold or hot. ¹⁶ So then because thou art lukewarm, and neither cold nor hot, I will spew thee out of my mouth.—*REV.*, ch. 3.

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EASE.

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Hearing. Foolish man who built. upon the sand 4405
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Sin. I have sinned. What is that to us? 4409
Sinners. Made light of it, and went their ways 4410
Unbelievers. They did eat. until the day Noe 4411

5154. LUNACY, Diabolic. *Gadarene.* ⁸ Always, night and day, he was in the mountains, and in the tombs, crying, and cutting himself with stones.—*MARX*, ch. 5.

5155. — *Moral.* *Gadarenes.* ¹⁶ They that saw it told them how it befell to him that was possessed with the devil, and also concerning the swine. ¹⁷ And they began to pray him to depart out of their coasts.—*MARX*, ch. 5.

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MADMAN.

Esteemed. Paul. thou art beside thyself 5100
Stigmatized. Who goeth about to kill thee. hast a 5102
See INSANITY and references.

5156. LUXURY to Torment, From. *Dives.* ²² The beggar died, and was carried by the angels into Abraham's bosom: the rich man also died, and was buried; ²³ And in hell he lifted up his eyes, being in torments, and seeth Abraham afar off, and Lazarus in his bosom.—*LUKE*, ch. 16.

5157. LUXURIES, Trade in. *Babylon.* ¹² The merchandise of gold, and silver, and precious stones, and of pearls, and fine linen, and purple, and silk, and scarlet, and all thyine wood, and all manner vessels of ivory, and. of most precious wood, and of brass, and iron, and marble, ¹³ And cinnamon, and odours, and ointments, and frankincense, and wine, and oil, and fine flour, and wheat, and beasts, and sheep, and horses, and chariots, and slaves, and souls of men.—*REV.*, ch. 18.

5158. — *Indifferent in.* *Beds of Ivory.* ³ Ye that put far away the evil day, and cause the seat of violence to come near; ⁴ That lie upon beds of ivory, and stretch themselves upon their couches, and eat the lambs out of the flock, and the calves out of the midst of the stall; ⁵ That chant to the sound of the viol, and invent to themselves instruments of music, like David; ⁶ That drink wine in bowls, and anoint themselves with the chief ointments: but they are not grieved for the affliction of Joseph.—*AMOS*, ch. 4.

5159. — *Uncorrupted by.* *Moses.* ²⁴ By faith Moses. refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter; ²⁵ Choosing rather to suffer affliction with the people of God, than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season; ²⁶ Esteeming the reproach of Christ greater riches than the treasures in Egypt.—*HEB.*, ch. 11.

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FEAST.

Ancient. Sarah..made cakes..Abraham..calf	3172
Birthday. Herod on his birthday made a supper	3173
Charitable. Call the poor, the lame..blind	3174
Complimentary. At Bethany..they made Jesus a	3175
Levi made Jesus a great feast	3176
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Farewell. Elisha..oxen, and slew them..people	3179
Great. Solomon offered 22,000 oxen and 120,000 s.	3180
Idolatrous. [Calf] People..eat..drink..rose up to	3181
Impious. Belshazzar made a feast to a thousand	3182
Joyous. [Tabernacles] Seven days shall dwell in	3183
Marriage. Jesus and his disciples were called	3184
National. Three times..keep a feast unto me..year	3185
Royal. Abasuerus made a feast at Shushan	3185

5160. MADMAN, Esteemed a. Paul. ²⁴ Festus said with a loud voice, Paul, thou art beside thyself; much learning doth make thee mad. ²⁵ But he said, I am not mad, most noble Festus; but speak forth the words of truth and soberness.—*ACTS*, ch. 26.

5161. — stigmatized. Jesus. [Six months before his murder.] ¹⁹ Why go ye about to kill me? ²⁰ The people answered: Thou hast a devil: who goeth about to kill thee?—*JOHN*, ch. 7.

See other illustrations under :

LUNACY.

Diabolic. In the tombs crying and cutting himself	5154
Moral. [Gadarenes] began to pray him to depart	5155

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5162. MAGIC, Imposition of. Egyptian. ¹¹ The magicians of Egypt..¹²..cast down every man his rod, and they became serpents: but Aaron's rod swallowed up their rods.—*EX.*, ch. 7.

See other illustrations under :

SORCERY.

Captivating. Simon..all gave heed..great power	5902
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WITCHCRAFT.

Abolished. Workers with familiar spirits..Josiah	9649
Consoling. Thy words have upholden him that	145
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Famous. Seek me a woman..a familiar spirit	9647
Influential. They all gave heed..least..greatest	9650
Appreciated. D. said to Abigail, Blessed be they	2398
Commendation. [Hurtful] These men are the	6896

5163. MAGNANIMITY, Apostolic. Paul. ²⁴ Agrippa said unto Paul, Almost thou persuadest me to be a Christian. ²⁵ And Paul said, I would to God, that not only thou, but also all that hear me this day, were both almost, and altogether such as I am, except these bonds.—*ACTS*, ch. 26.

5164. — to Enemies. David. [After Absalom's rebellion.] ²¹ Abishai..said, Shall not Shimei be put to death for this, because he cursed the Lord's anointed? ²² And David said, What have I to do with you, ye sons of Zeruiah, that ye should this day be adversaries unto me? shall there any man be put to death this day in Israel?—*2 SAM.*, ch. 19.

5165. — in Forgiveness. David. ⁶ David's heart smote him, because he had cut off Saul's skirt. ⁷ And he said unto his men, The Lord forbid that I should do this thing unto my

master, the Lord's anointed, to stretch forth mine hand against him.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 24.

5166. — Fraternal. Judah. ²⁸ Thy servant became surety for the lad..saying, If I bring him not unto thee, then I shall bear the blame to my father for ever. ²⁹ Now therefore, I pray thee, let thy servant abide instead of the lad a bondman to my lord.—*GEN.*, ch. 44.

5167. — Gracious. Abraham. ⁹ Abram said unto Lot, Let there be no strife, I pray thee, between me and thee, and between my herdmen and thy herdmen; for we be brethren. ¹⁰ Is not the whole land before thee? separate thyself, I pray thee, from me: if thou wilt take the left hand, then I will go to the right; or if thou depart to the right hand, then I will go to the left.—*GEN.*, ch. 13.

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Commended. Thine heart shall not be grieved	4950
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Return. Give, and it shall be given unto you	4957
Royal. Every one a loaf..flesh..wine	4958
Ungrudging. Thine heart shall not be grieved	4960

5168. MAJESTY, Overcoming. In Gethsemane. ⁴ Whom seek ye? ⁵ They answered him, Jesus of Nazareth. Jesus saith unto them, I am he. And Judas..stood with them. ⁶ As soon then as he had said unto them, I am he, they went backward, and fell to the ground.—*JOHN*, ch. 18.

5169. — Royal. Solomon. ⁴ When the queen of Sheba had seen all Solomon's wisdom, and the house that he had built, ⁵ And the meat of his table, and the sitting of his servants, and the attendance of his ministers, and their apparel, and his cupbearers, and his ascent by which he went up unto the house of the Lord; there was no more spirit in her.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 10.

5170. — Terrific. Sinai. ¹⁸ Ye are not come unto the mount that might be touched, and that burned with fire, nor unto blackness, and darkness, and tempest, ¹⁹ And the sound of a trumpet, and the voice of words; which voice they..entreated that the word should not be spoken to them any more.—*HEB.*, ch. 12.

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While my glory passeth by..cover	3564
Tabernacle..cloud covered it and	3565

5171. MAJORITY with God. Against Syrians. ¹⁰ Alas, my master! how shall we do? ¹¹ And he answered, Fear not: for they that be with us are more than they that be with them. ¹² And Elisha prayed. And the Lord opened the eyes of the young man; and he saw: and, behold, the mountain was full of horses and chariots of fire round about Elisha.—2 KINGS, ch. 6.

5172. MAJORITIES, Fearless of. Battle. ¹ When thou goest out to battle against thine enemies, and seest horses, and chariots, and a people more than thou, be not afraid of them: for the Lord thy God is with thee.—DEUT., ch. 20.

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Danger. Lest I vaunt...my own hand saved me 5744
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5173. MALFORMATION, Physical. Giant. ²⁰ A battle in Gath, where was a man of great stature, that had on every hand six fingers, and on every foot six toes.—2 SAM., ch. 21.

5174. MALIGNANCY, Scornful. Haman. ² Saw that Mordecai bowed not...then was Haman full of wrath. ⁶ And he thought scorn to lay hands on Mordecai alone...wherefore Haman sought to destroy all the Jews that were throughout the whole kingdom of Ahasuerus.—ESTHER, ch. 3.

5175. MALICE, Pharisaic. At Capernaum. ¹⁰ Stretch forth thy hand. And he did so: and his hand was restored whole as the other. ¹¹ And they were filled with madness; and communed one with another what they might do to Jesus.—LUKE, ch. 6.

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Accusation. [Samaritans] wrote him...against Judah 83
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5176. MAN like Beast. "One Breath." ¹⁰ That which befalleth the sons of men befall-eth beasts; even one thing befall-eth them: as the one dieth, so dieth the other; yea, they have all one breath; so that a man hath no preeminence above a beast.—ECC., ch. 3.

5177. — above Cattle. Companion. ²⁰ Adam gave names to all cattle, and to the fowl of the air, and to every beast of the field; but for Adam there was not found a help meet for him.—GEN., ch. 2.

5178. — Care for. "Ravens." ²⁴ Consider the ravens: for they neither sow nor reap; which neither have storehouse nor barn; and God feedeth them: how much more are ye better than the fowls?—LUKE, ch. 12.

5179. — chosen. God rejected. ⁶ The thing displeased Samuel, when they said, Give us a

king to judge us...⁷ And the Lord said unto Samuel, Hearken unto the voice of the people...for they have not rejected thee, but they have rejected me, that I should not reign over them.—1 SAM., ch. 8.

5180. — Dignity of. "Little lower than Angels." ⁴ What is man, that thou art mindful of him? and the son of man, that thou visitest him? ⁵ For thou hast made him a little lower than the angels, and hast crowned him with glory and honour.—PS., ch. 8.

5181. — Depredation of. Gadarenes. ¹⁶ They that saw it told them how it befell to him that was possessed with the devil, and also concerning the swine. ¹⁷ And they began to pray him to depart out of their coasts.—MARK, ch. 5.

5182. — Dominion of. Creation. ²⁶ God said unto them...and have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over every living thing that moveth upon the earth.—GEN., ch. 1.

5183. — After Flood. ² The dread of you shall be upon every beast of the earth, and upon every fowl of the air, upon all that moveth upon the earth, and upon all the fishes of the sea; into your hand are they delivered.—GEN., ch. 9.

5184. — Qualification. ⁶ Thou madest him to have dominion over the works of thy hands; thou hast put all things under his feet: ⁷ All sheep and oxen, yea, and the beasts of the field; ⁸ The fowl of the air, and the fish of the sea, and whatsoever passeth through the paths of the seas.—PS., ch. 8.

5185. — Divine Extraction of. "Son of God." ²⁶ Which was the son of Enos, which was the son of Seth, which was the son of Adam, which was the son of God.—LUKE, ch. 3.

5186. — Esteem for. Healing. ¹¹ What man...shall have one sheep, and if it fall into a pit on the sabbath day, will he not lay hold on it, and lift it out? ¹² How much then is a man better than a sheep?—MARK, ch. 3.

5187. — A tall. Saul. ² Saul, a choice young man, and a goodly: and there was not...a goodlier person than he: from his shoulders and upward he was higher than any of the people.—1 SAM., ch. 9.

5188. — A lawless. Ishmael. ¹⁹ He will be a wild man; his hand will be against every man, and every man's hand against him.—GEN., ch. 16.

5189. — A little. Zaccheus. ³ Zaccheus, which was the chief among the publicans, and he was rich. ⁴ And he sought to see Jesus who he was; and could not for the press, because he was little of stature.—LUKE, ch. 19.

5190. — Mortality of. "So dieth." [See No. 5176.]

5191. — The model. Godly. ¹ Lord, who shall abide in thy tabernacle? who shall dwell in thy holy hill? ² He that walketh uprightly, and worketh righteousness, and speaketh the truth in his heart. [See 15th Psalm in full.]

5192. — Origin of. Adam—Eve. ¹ The Lord God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul. ¹⁸ And the Lord...It is not good that the man should be alone;

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5193. — for Society. *Creation.* [See No. 5192.]

5194. — Superiority of. "*Upward.*" ²⁰ All go unto one place; all are of the dust, and all turn to dust again. ²¹ Who knoweth the spirit of man that goeth upward, and the spirit of the beast that goeth downward to the earth? —*ECC.*, ch. 3.

5195. — A sincere. *Nathanael.* ⁴¹ Jesus saw Nathanael coming to him, and saith of him, Behold an Israelite indeed, in whom is no guile! —*JOHN*, ch. 1.

5196. — A spotless. *Job.* ⁸ The Lord said unto Satan, Hast thou considered my servant Job, that there is none like him in the earth, a perfect and an upright man, one that feareth God, and escheweth evil? —*JOB*, ch. 1.

5197. — Trust in. "*Cursed.*" ⁸ Saith the Lord; Cursed be the man that trusteth in man, and maketh flesh his arm, and whose heart departeth from the Lord. —*JER.*, ch. 17.

5198. — An unfaithful. *Proverb.* ¹⁹ Confidence in an unfaithful man in time of trouble is like a broken tooth, and a foot out of joint. —*PROV.*, ch. 25.

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5200. — Lost. *Haman.* ¹⁸ The letters were sent by posts into all the king's provinces . . . to cause to perish, all Jews, both young and old, little children and women, in one day. ¹⁵ . . . And the king and Haman sat down to drink. —*ESTHER*, ch. 3.

5201. — Responsibility of. "*Of Age.*" ²⁰ His parents answered. We know that this is our son, and that he was born blind: ²¹ But by what means he now seeth, we know not; or who hath opened his eyes, we know not: he is of age; ask him: he shall speak for himself. —*JOHN*, ch. 9.

5202. — wanting. *To Ahab.* ³ Thus saith Ben-hadad, ³ Thy silver and thy gold is mine; thy wives also and thy children, even the goodliest, are mine. ⁴ And the king of Israel answered and said, My lord, O king, according to thy saying, I am thine, and all that I have. —1 *KINGS*, ch. 20.

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5204. — Skillful. *Miriam said,* ¹ Shall I go and call to thee a nurse of the Hebrew women, that she may nurse the child for thee? ² And Pharaoh's daughter said to her, Go. And the maid went and called the child's mother. —*EX.*, ch. 2.

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5206. — of Piety. *Abraham.* ¹⁶ Because thou . . . hast not withheld thy son, thine only son, ¹⁷ That in blessing I will bless thee, and in multiplying I will multiply thy seed as the stars of the heaven. —*GEN.*, ch. 22.

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5208. — Polite. Athenians. ¹⁹ May we know what this new doctrine, whereof thou speakest, is? ²⁰ For thou bringest certain strange things to our ears: we would know therefore what these things mean.—**ACTS**, ch. 17.

5209. — Rude. Athenians. ¹⁸ What will this babbler say? other some, He seemeth to be a setter forth of strange gods: because he preached unto them Jesus, and the resurrection.—**ACTS**, ch. 17.

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5211. MANSLAUGHTER, Accidental. Law. [See Num., 35: 9-29.]

5212. — Defensive. Of Asahel. ²² Abner said again to Asahel, Turn thee aside from following me: wherefore should I smite thee to the ground? ²³ Howbeit he refused to turn aside: wherefore Abner with the hinder end of the spear smote him under the fifth rib.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 2.

5213. — Justifiable. Thief. ² If a thief be found breaking up, and be smitten that he die, there shall no blood be shed for him. ³ If the sun be risen upon him, there shall be blood shed for him.—**EX.**, ch. 22.

5214. — Pardonable. Accident. ⁵ When a man goeth into the wood..and his hand fetcheth a stroke with the axe to cut down the tree, and the head slippeth from the helve, and

lighteth upon his neighbour, that he die; he shall flee unto one of those cities, and live.—**DEUT.**, ch. 19.

5215. — Solicited. Saul said. ⁹ Stand, I pray thee, upon me, and slay me: for anguish is come upon me, because my life is yet whole in me. ¹⁰ So I..slew him, because I was sure that he could not live.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 1.

5216. — Unjustifiable. "Sun risen." [See No. 5213.]

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5217. MARINERS, Distress of the. Storm. ²³ They that go down to the sea in ships, that do business in great waters; ²⁴ These see the works of the Lord.. ²⁵ For he commandeth, and raiseth the stormy wind, which lifteth up the waves thereof. ²⁶ They mount up to the heaven, they go down again to the depths: their soul is melted because of trouble.—**PS.** 107.

— Mourning of. Babylon. ¹⁷ And every shipmaster, and all the company in ships, and sailors, and as many as trade by sea, stood afar off, ¹⁸ And cried when they saw the smoke of her burning, saying, What city is like unto this great city! ¹⁹ And they cast dust on their heads, and cried, weeping and wailing, saying, Alas, alas, that great city, wherein were made rich all that had ships in the sea by reason of her costliness! for in one hour is she made desolate.—**REV.**, ch. 18.

5218. — Deliverance of. Prayer. ¹¹ They reel to and fro, and stagger like a drunken man, and are at their wit's end. ¹² Then they cry unto the Lord in their trouble, and he bringeth them out of their distresses.—**PS.** 107.

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5220. — Feast at. Cana. [See John, ch. 2.]

5221. — A good. Ruth. ¹³ So Boaz took Ruth, and she was his wife..and she bare a son. ¹⁷..and they called his name Obed: he is the father of Jesse, the father of David.—**RUTh.**, ch. 4. [She was a Moabitess, reared an idolater.]

5222. — An ill-mated. Abigail. ² The man was Nabal, and..his wife Abigail; and she was a woman of good understanding, and of a beautiful countenance: but the man was churlish and evil in his doings.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 25.

5223. — An incestuous. Herod. ¹⁷ Laid hold upon John, and bound him in prison for Herodias' sake, his brother Philip's wife; for he had married her. ¹⁸ For John had said unto Herod, It is not lawful for thee to have thy brother's wife.—**MARk.** ch. 6.

5224. — for Life. Jesus said. ⁵ For this cause shall a man leave father and mother, and shall cleave to his wife: and they twain shall be

one flesh? ⁴...What therefore God hath joined together, let not man put asunder.—*MAT.*, ch. 19.

5225. — *A mixed. Joseph.* ⁴Pharaoh... gave him to wife Asenath the daughter of Potipharah priest of On.—*GEN.*, ch. 47.

5226. — *Needful. In Paradise.* ⁸The Lord God planted a garden eastward in Eden; and there he put the man whom he had formed. ¹⁸And... said, *It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a help meet for him.*—*GEN.*, ch. 2.

5227. — *A near. Half-sister.* [To king Abimelech.] ¹¹Abraham said, Because I thought... they will slay me for my wife's sake. ¹²And yet indeed *she is my sister; she is the daughter of my father, but not the daughter of my mother.*—*GEN.*, ch. 20.

5228. — *Protection by. Lot's Sons.* ¹⁹The men said unto Lot, Hast thou here any besides? son in law... bring them out of this place: ¹³For we will destroy this place.—*GEN.*, ch. 19.

5229. — *Ruined by. Samson.* ¹⁶How canst thou say, I love thee, when thine heart is not with me? Thou hast mocked me these three times, and hast not told me wherein thy great strength lieth. ¹⁶...when she pressed him daily with her words, and urged him, so that his soul was vexed unto death; ¹⁷...He told her all his heart.—*JUDGES*, ch. 16.

5230. — *resented. Relatives.* ¹Miriam and Aaron spake against Moses because of the Ethiopian woman whom he had married.—*NUM.*, ch. 12.

5231. — *A sinful. Ahab.* ³¹As if it had been a light thing for him to walk in the sins of Jeroboam... he took to wife Jezebel the daughter of Ethbaal king of the Zidonians, and went and served Baal.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 16.

5232. — *Trouble from. Rebekah.* ⁴⁴Rebekah said to Isaac, I am weary of my life because of the daughters of Heth: if Jacob take a wife of the daughters of Heth, such as these which are of the daughters of the land, what good shall my life do me?—*GEN.*, ch. 27.

5233. — *Undesirable. Paul.* ⁸I say therefore to the unmarried and widows, It is good for them if they abide even as I. ¹⁶I suppose therefore that this is good for the present distress.—*1 COR.*, ch. 7.

5234. — *An unequal. Moses.* ³¹Moses was content to dwell with the man: and he gave Moses Zipporah his daughter.—*EX.*, ch. 2.

5235. — *An unsought. David's.* ²³Saul's servants spake those words. And David said, Seemeth it to you a light thing to be a king's son in law, seeing that I am a poor man, and lightly esteemed?—*1 SAM.*, ch. 18.

5236. — *Without. In Heaven.* ²⁹Ye do err, not knowing the Scriptures, nor the power of God. ³⁰For in the resurrection they neither marry, nor are given in marriage, but are as the angels of God.—*MAT.*, ch. 22.

5237. MARRIAGES, Broken. Jews. ³Let us make a covenant with our God to put away all the wives, and such as are born of them, according to the counsel of my lord, and of those that tremble at the commandment of our God; and let it be done according to the law.—*EZRA*, ch. 10.

5238. — *Corrupting. "Sons of God."*

¹When men began to multiply on the face of the earth... the sons of God saw the daughters of men that they were fair; and they took them wives... ²And the Lord said, My Spirit shall not always strive with man.—*GEN.*, ch. 6.

5239. — *Irreligious. Canaanites.* ³Neither shalt thou make marriages with them... ⁴For they will turn away thy son from following me, that they may serve other gods: so will the anger of the Lord be kindled against you, and destroy thee suddenly.—*DEUT.*, ch. 7.

5240. — *Mixed.* ¹The people of Israel, and the priests, and the Levites, have not separated themselves from the people of the lands... ²For they have taken of their daughters for themselves, and for their sons: so that the holy seed have mingled themselves with the people of those lands.—*EZRA*, ch. 9.

5241. — *Prosperity by. Unmixed.* ¹²Give not your daughters unto their sons, neither take their daughters unto your sons, nor seek their peace or their wealth for ever: that ye may be strong, and eat the good of the land, and leave it for an inheritance to your children for ever.—*EZRA*, ch. 9.

5242. — *rebuked. Irreligious.* ²²Saw I Jews that had married wives of Ashdod, of Ammon, and of Moab: ²⁴And their children spake half in the speech of Ashdod, and could not speak in the Jews' language, but according to the language of each people. ²⁵And I contended with them, and cursed.—*NEH.*, ch. 13.

5243. — *Rape. Benjamites.* ³¹If the daughters of Shiloh come out to dance in dances, then come ye out of the vineyards, and catch you every man his wife of the daughters.—*JUDGES*, ch. 21. [They did so.]

5244. — *Unwise. Solomon.* ³Solomon he had seven hundred wives, princesses, and three hundred concubines: and his wives turned away his heart. ⁴...when Solomon was old... after other gods.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 11.

5245. MARRIED, Privilege of the. Law. ³When a man hath taken a new wife, he shall not go out to war, neither shall he be charged with any business: but he shall be free at home one year, and shall cheer up his wife.—*DEUT.*, ch. 24.

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5246. MARTYR, A brave. *John.* ¹⁰ John had said unto Herod, It is not lawful for thee to have thy brother's wife. ¹¹ The king sent an executioner, and he went and beheaded him in the prison.—**MARK**, ch. 6.

5247. — The first. *Abel.* ⁴ Abel, he also brought of the firstlings of his flock. And the Lord had respect unto Abel and to his offering: ⁵ But unto Cain and to his offering he had not respect. And Cain was very wroth. ⁶ And Cain talked with Abel his brother: and when they were in the field, Cain slew him.—**GEN.**, ch. 4.

5248. — The saintly. *Stephen.* ⁶⁰ They stoned Stephen, calling upon God, and saying, Lord Jesus, receive my spirit. ⁶¹ And he kneeled down, and cried with a loud voice, Lord, lay not this sin to their charge.—**ACTS**, ch. 7.

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5249. MASSACRE, An intended. *Haman's.* ¹³ The letters were sent by posts into all the king's provinces, to destroy, to kill, and to cause to perish all Jews, both young and old, little children and women in one day, and to take the spoil of them for a prey.—**ESTHER**, ch. 3.

5250. — of Infants. *Herod's.* ¹⁶ Herod, when he saw that he was mocked of the wise men, was exceeding wroth, and slew all the children that were in Bethlehem, and in all the coasts thereof, from two years old and under.—**MAT.**, ch. 2.

5251. — A treacherous. *Of Baalites.* ²⁰ Jehu said, Proclaim a solemn assembly for Baal. ²¹ And as soon as he had made an end of offering the burnt offering, that Jehu said, to the captains, Go in, and slay them; let none come forth.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 10.

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5252. MASSES, Bible for the. *Stones.* ⁴ When ye be gone over Jordan, ye shall set up these stones, in mount Ebal, and thou shalt plaster them with plaster. ⁵ And thou shalt write upon the stones all the words of this law very plainly.—**DEUT.**, ch. 27.

5253. — The neglected. *Jesus Moved.* ²³ The people saw them departing, and ran afoot thither out of all cities, and outwent them, and came together unto him. ²⁴ And Jesus, was moved with compassion toward them, because they were as sheep not having a shepherd: and he began to teach.—**MARK**, ch. 6.

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5254. MATERIALISTS, Jewish. *Sadducees.* ⁸ The Sadducees say that there is no resurrection, neither angel, nor spirit.—**ACTS**, ch. 23.

5255. MEANS for Defence. *Hezekiah.* ⁴ Stopped all the fountains, and the brook that ran through the midst of the land, saying, Why should the kings of Assyria come, and find much water? ⁵ And he strengthened himself, and built up all the wall that was broken, and raised it up to the towers, and another wall without, and repaired Millo, and made darts and shields in abundance.—**2 CHRON.**, ch. 32.

5256. — Escape by any. *Paul.* ²⁴ And they watched the gates day and night to kill him. ²⁵ Then the disciples took him by night, and let him down by the wall in a basket.—**ACTS**, ch. 9.

5257. — Heroic. *Shipwreck.* ³⁰ As the shipmen were about to flee, they had let down the boat into the sea, under colour as though they would have cast anchors out of the fore-ship. ³¹ Paul said to the centurion and to the soldiers, Except these abide in the ship, ye cannot be saved. ³² Then the soldiers cut off the ropes of the boat, and let her fall off.—**ACTS**, ch. 27.

5258. — Ingenious. *Ark.* ³ When she could not longer hide him, she took for him an ark of bulrushes, and daubed it with slime and with pitch, and put the child therein; and she laid it in the flags by the river's brink. ⁴ And his sister stood afar off.—**EX.**, ch. 2.

5259. — Insignificant. *Blind Men.* ²⁶ Believe ye that I am able to do this? They said unto him, Yea, Lord. ²⁷ Then touched he their eyes, saying, According to your faith be it unto you. ²⁸ And their eyes were opened.—**MAT.**, ch. 9.

5260. — not neglected. *Hezekiah.* ⁴ I will add unto thy days fifteen years; and I will deliver thee and this city. ⁵ And Isaiah said, Take a lump of figs. And they laid it on the boil, and he recovered.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 20.

5261. — with Prayer. *Samaritans.* ⁸ Conspired all of them together to come and to fight against Jerusalem, and to hinder it. ⁹ Nevertheless we made our prayer unto our God, and set a watch against them day and night.—**NUM.**, ch. 4.

5262. — *Prudential. Jesus.* ¹ After these things Jesus walked in Galilee: for he would not walk in Jewry, because the Jews sought to kill him.—*JOHN*, ch. 7.

5263. — *Strange. Prayer.* ⁹ Moses said unto Joshua, to-morrow I will stand on the top of the hill with the rod of God in mine hand. ¹¹ When Moses held up his hand, Israel prevailed: and when he let down his hand, Amalek prevailed.—*EX.*, ch. 17.

5264. — — *At Jericho.* ³⁰ When the people heard the sound of the trumpet, and the people shouted with a great shout, the wall fell down flat, so that every man straight before him, and they took the city.—*JOSHUA*, ch. 6.

5265. — *Use of. Joseph to the Butler.* ¹⁴ Think on me when it shall be well with thee, and make mention of me unto Pharaoh, and bring me out of this house: ¹⁵ For indeed, I have done nothing that they should put me into the dungeon.—*GEN.*, ch. 40.

5266. — *Unworthy. Flight.* ³ Jezebel sent a messenger unto Elijah, saying, So let the gods do to me, and more also, if I make not thy life as the life of one of them by to-morrow about this time. ⁴ He arose, and went for his life.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 19.

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Waiting. Then fled Moses..land of Midian 4566

5267. MEASURE of Benevolence. " *Two Miles.* " ⁴³ This poor widow hath cast more in, than all they which have cast into the treasury: ⁴⁴ For all they did cast in of their abundance; but she of her want did cast in all, all her living.—*MARK*, ch. 12.

5268. MECHANIC, An apostolical. Paul. ² Found a certain Jew named Aquila, with his wife Priscilla, and because he was of the same craft, he abode with them, and wrought: (for by their occupation they were tentmakers.)—*ACTS*, ch. 18.

5269. — *A divine. Jesus.* ³ Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary, of James, and Joseph, and of Judas, and Simon? and are not his sisters here with us? And they were offended at him.—*MARK*, ch. 6.

5270. — *A distinguished. Hiram.* ¹⁴ He was a widow's son, and his father was a man of Tyre, a worker in brass: and he was filled with

wisdom, and understanding, and cunning to work all works in brass. And he came to king Solomon, and wrought all his work.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 7.

5271. — *The first. Jubal.* ²¹ Jubal, was the father of all such as handle the harp and organ. ²² And Tubalcaim, an instructor of every artificer in brass and iron.—*GEN.*, ch. 4.

5272. — *An independent. Paul.* ⁸ Neither did we eat any man's bread for nought; but wrought with labour and travail night and day, that we might not be chargeable to any of you: ⁹ Not because we have not power, but to make ourselves an ensample.—*2 THESS.*, ch. 3.

5273. — *Opposition of a. Alexander.* ¹⁴ Alexander the coppersmith did me much evil. ¹⁵ Of whom be thou ware also; for he hath greatly withstood our words.—*2 TIM.*, ch. 4.

5274. MECHANICS enraged. *At Ephesus.* ²⁴ Demetrius, a silversmith, which made silver shrines for Diana, brought no small gain unto the craftsmen; ²⁵ Whom he called together with the workmen of like occupation, and said, Sirs, ye know that by this craft we have our wealth. ²⁶ And when they heard these sayings, they were full of wrath, and cried out, saying, Great is Diana of the Ephesians.—*ACTS*, ch. 19.

5275. — *Slaves for. Israelites.* ¹⁴ They made their lives bitter with hard bondage, in mortar, and in brick, and in all manner of service in the field: all their service, was with rigour.—*EX.*, ch. 1.

5276. — *Superior. Sidonians.* ⁶ Solomon said, Hew me cedar trees out of Lebanon; and my servants shall be with thy servants, for thou knowest that there is not among us any that can skill to hew timber like unto the Sidonians.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 5.

5277. — *Without. Israelites.* ¹⁹ There was no smith found throughout all the land of Israel: for the Philistines said, Lest the Hebrews make them swords or spears: ²⁰ But all went down to the Philistines, to sharpen every man his share, and his coulter, and his axe, and his mattock.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 13.

See other illustrations under:

BUILDER.

Jothan. Built cities in the mountains..castles and 953
Unsuccessful. Laid the foundation..not able 954
Visionary. I will pull down my barns and build 955

BUILDERS.

Joyful. Walls completed..wives and children r. 956
" [Temple] Ancient men..wept..many s. 957
Stupendous. [Babel] Tower whose top may reach 959
Volunteer. [Temple] Who is there..let him go up 958

BUILDING.

Glorious. [Temple] Solomon built..cedar..gold 960
Hindered. People of the land..weakened the hands 961
Necessitated. Jerusalem..waste..gates burned 962
Outgrown. Elshah..the place..dwell..too strait 963
Prevented. Confound their language..left off to 964
Prohibited. [Rechabites] Neither..build house 965
Revival after. Ezra had prayed..people wept..very 966
Spiritual. Built upon the foundation..corner-stone 967

5278. MEDDLER, A foolish. Proverb. ¹¹ He that passeth by, and meddleth with strife belonging not to him, is like one that taketh a dog by the ears.—*PROV.*, ch. 26.

See other illustrations under :

Intercessor. Wherefore do ye Moses and A. let the 4626
Strange. Friends went out.. He is beside himself 4627
Omelous. Disciples rebuked those that brought t. 5672
" Gehazi came near to thrust her away 5673

5279. MEDIATOR, A diplomatic. Blastus.
30 Herod was highly displeased with them of Tyre and Sidon : but they came with one accord to him, and having made Blastus the king's chamberlain their friend, desired peace ; because their country was nourished by the king's country.—ACTS, ch. 12.

5280. — A female. Woman of Abel. 21 A man of mount Ephraim, Sheba, hath lifted up his hand against.. David : deliver him only, and I will depart from the city. And the woman said unto Joab, Behold, his head shall be thrown to thee over the wall.—2 SAM., ch. 20.

5281. — The great. Jesus. 15 He is the mediator of the new testament, that by means of death, for the redemption of the transgressions that were under the first testament, they which are called might receive the promise of eternal inheritance.—HEB., ch. 9.

5282. — The present. Jesus. 24 Christ is not entered into the holy places made with hands, which are the figures of the true ; but into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God for us.—HEB., ch. 9.

5283. — required. Benjamin. 3 Judah spake.. The man did solemnly protest unto us, saying, Ye shall not see my face, except your brother be with you.—GEN., ch. 43.

5284. — wanted, A. At Sinai. 18 All the people saw the thunders, and the lightnings, and the noise of the trumpet, and the mountain smoking : and.. they moved, and stood afar off. 19 And they said unto Moses, Speak thou with us, and we will hear : but let not God speak with us, lest we die.—EX., ch. 20.

5285. MEDIATION, A double. Moses and Aaron. 1 I have made thee a god to Pharaoh ; and Aaron thy brother shall be thy prophet. 2 Thou shalt speak all that I command thee ; and Aaron thy brother shall speak unto Pharaoh, that he send the children of Israel out of his land.—EX., ch. 7.

5286. — Effectual. Rebellion of Korah. 41 Aaron.. ran into the midst of the congregation ; and, behold, the plague was begun among the people : and he put on incense, and made an atonement for the people. 48 And he stood between the dead and the living ; and the plague was stayed.—NUM., ch. 16.

5287. — of Moses. At Sinai. 1 Moses.. called for the elders of the people, and laid before their faces all these words which the Lord commanded him. 8 And all the people answered together, and said, All that the Lord hath spoken we will do. And Moses returned the words of the people unto the Lord.—EX., ch. 19.

5288. — of the Righteous. To King Jehoram. 14 Elisha said, As the Lord of hosts liveth, before whom I stand, surely, were it not that I regard the presence of Jehoshaphat the king of Judah, I would not look toward thee, nor see thee.—2 KINGS, ch. 3. [They were soon to fight the Moabites.]

5289. — for Transgressors. Moses. [The golden calf was made.] 10 Now therefore let me alone, that my wrath may wax hot against them, and that I may consume them : and I will make of thee a great nation. 11 And Moses besought the Lord.. 14 And the Lord repented of the evil which he thought to do unto his people.—EX., ch. 32.

See INTERCESSION.

5290. MEDITATION, Awakened by. Peter. 13 And the second time the cock crew. And Peter called to mind the word that Jesus said unto him, Before the cock crow twice, thou shalt deny me thrice. And when he thought thereon, he wept.—MARK, ch. 14.

5291. — Food for. Word. 16 Thy words were found, and I did eat them ; and thy word was unto me the joy and rejoicing of mine heart : for I am called by thy name, O Lord God of hosts.—JER., ch. 15.

5292. — Hour of. Isaac. 48 Isaac went out to meditate in the field at the eventide : and he lifted up his eyes, and saw, and, behold, the camels were coming.—JER., ch. 24.

5293. — Habitual. Godly. 3 His delight is in the law of the Lord ; and in his law doth he meditate day and night. 3 And he shall be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth his fruit in his season ; his leaf also shall not wither ; and whatsoever he doeth shall prosper.—PS. 1.

5294. — Ill-timed. Rich Fool. 17 He thought within himself, saying, What shall I do, because I have no room where to bestow my fruits?.. 30 But God said unto him, Thou fool, this night thy soul shall be required of thee : then whose shall those things be which thou hast provided?—LUKE, ch. 12.

5295. — Instruction by. "Sheet." 19 While Peter thought on the vision, the Spirit said.. Behold, three men seek thee. 20.. go with them, doubting nothing : for I have sent them. 21 Then Peter went down to the men which were sent.. from Cornelius.—ACTS, ch. 10.

5296. — Love of. David. 97 O how love I thy law ! it is my meditation all the day.. 148 Mine eyes prevent the night watches, that I might meditate in thy word.—PS. 119.

5297. — Prayerful. David. 14 Let.. the meditation of my heart, be acceptable in thy sight, O Lord.—PS. 19.

5298. — Religious. To Joshua. 8 This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth ; but thou shalt meditate therein day and night, that thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein : for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous.—JOSEPH., ch. 1.

See other illustrations under :

FORETHOUGHT.

Necessary. Intending to build.. first counteth the 339

" Consulteth whether he be able with 340

Useless. Which.. with taking thought can add one 341

REFLECTION.

Important. Whatsoever things are true.. honest 6914

Painful. When Peter thought thereon, he wept 6915

THOUGHT.

Character. As he thinketh in his heart, so is he 8738

Evil. Every imagination of the thoughts.. only evil 8739

Prompter. Take no thought..it shall be given 8788
Subject. Whatsoever things are pure..lovely 8789

THOUGHTFULNESS.

Enjoined. Virtue..praise..think on these things 8790
Timely. Cock crew..he thought thereon..wept 8791

5300. MEEKNESS in Adversity. Hezekiah. 'Shall be carried to Babylon: nothing shall be left, saith the Lord. 'Thy sons..shall they take away; and they shall be eunuchs in the palace of the king of Babylon. 'Then said Hezekiah to Isaiah, Good is the word of the Lord which thou hast spoken.—ISA., ch. 39.

5300. — with Courage. Jeremiah. 'As for me, behold, I am in your hand: do with me as seemeth good and meet unto you. 'But know ye for certain, that if ye put me to death, ye shall surely bring innocent blood upon yourselves, and upon this city..for of a truth the Lord hath sent me unto you to speak all these words.—JER., ch. 26.

5301. — Divine. Jesus. 'Who, when he was reviled, reviled not again; when he suffered, he threatened not; but committed himself to him that judgeth righteously.—1 PETER, ch. 2.

5302. — Forgiveness in. Peter. 'Then came Peter to him, and said, Lord, how oft shall my brother sin against me, and I forgive him? till seven times? 'Jesus saith unto him, I say not unto thee, Until seven times: but, Until seventy times seven.—MAT., ch. 18.

5303. — Glory of. "Acceptable to God." [See No. 5304.] 'For what glory is it, if when ye be buffeted for your faults, ye shall take it patiently? but if, when ye do well, and suffer for it, ye take it patiently, this is acceptable with God.—1 PETER, ch. 2.

5304. — under Injury. Servants. 'Servants, be subject to your masters with all fear; not only to the good and gentle, but also to the froward. 'For this is thankworthy, if a man for conscience toward God endure grief, suffering wrongfully.—1 PETER, ch. 2.

5305. — Model. Jesus. 'The rulers also..derided him, saying, He saved others; let him save himself, if he be Christ, the chosen of God. 'And the soldiers also mocked him.—LUKE, ch. 23.

5306. — A Martyr's. Stephen. 'They stoned Stephen, calling upon God, and saying, Lord Jesus, receive my spirit. 'And he kneeled down, and cried with a loud voice, Lord, lay not this sin to their charge.—ACTS, ch. 7.

5307. — an Ornament. Christian. 'Whose adorning, let in not be that outward adorning of plaiting the hair, and of wearing of gold, or..apparel; 'But let it be the hidden man of the heart..even the ornament of a meek and quiet spirit, which is in the sight of God of great price.—1 PETER, ch. 3.

5308. — Provocation of. Jews. 'They cried out all at once, saying, Away with this man, and release unto us Barabbas: ' (Who for a certain sedition..and for murder, was cast into prison.)—LUKE, ch. 23.

5309. — Remarkable. Isaac. 'Isaac's servants digged in the valley, and found there a well of springing water. 'And the herdmen of Gerar did strive with Isaac's herdmen, saying,

The water is ours.. 'And they digged another well, and strove for that also.. 'And he removed from thence, and digged.—GEN., ch. 26.

5310. — required. Jesus said, 'It hath been said, An eye for an eye, and a tooth for a tooth: 'But I say unto you, That ye resist not evil: but whosoever shall smite thee on thy right cheek, turn to him the other also. 'And if any man will sue thee at the law, and take away thy coat, let him have thy cloak also.—MAT., ch. 5.

5311. — Royal. David. [David fled from Absalom.] 'He cast stones at David, and at all the servants of king David..and all the mighty men were on his right hand and on his left. '..said Shimei when he cursed, Come out, come out, thou bloody man, and thou man of Belial.—2 SAM., ch. 16. [David did not resent it.]

5312. — unprovoked. Moses. 'Miriam and Aaron spake against Moses because of the Ethiopian woman whom he had married.. 'And they said, Hath the Lord indeed spoken only by Moses? hath he not spoken also by us?.. ' (Now the man Moses was very meek, above all the men which were upon the face of the earth.)—NUM., ch. 12.

5313. — Want of. Proverb. 'He that hath no rule over his own spirit is like a city that is broken down, and without walls.—PROV., ch. 25.

5314. — more than Wrath. Moses. 'Went out unto his brethren, and looked on their burdens: and he spied an Egyptian smiting a Hebrew.. 'And he looked this way and that way, and when he saw that there was no man, he slew the Egyptian, and hid him in the sand.—EX., ch. 2. 'For he supposed his brethren would have understood how that God by his hand would deliver them; but they understood not.—ACTS, ch. 7. [Forty years later, in another spirit, he delivered Israel.]

5315. — Want of. Bramble. 'The bramble said unto the trees, If in truth ye anoint me king over you, then come and put your trust in my shadow; and if not, let fire come out of the bramble, and devour the cedars of Lebanon.—JUDGES, ch. 9.

See other illustrations under:

CONTRITION.

Accepted. Because thine heart was tender..peace 1664
Annual. That ye may be clean from all your sins 1665
Bitter. Eat the flesh..with bitter herbs 1666

DISCIPLESHIP.

Conditional. Lord, I will follow thee; but 2331
Provisional. When I bow down..the L. pardon 2332
Postponed. Let me kiss my father..then I will 2333
Terms. Whosoever doth not bear his cross and 2334
Trials. Enough for the disciple to be as his master 2335
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TEACHABLENESS.

Attitude. Mary sat at Jesus' feet 8606
Characteristic. Rec'd the Word..searched the S. 8607
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Professed. We are all here..to hear all things 8609
Youthful. Found him in the temple..hearing 8610

Abasement. We were in our own sight as grasshoppers. 7666
Soldiers. David's heart smote him..L. forbid 1679

See HUMILITY, HUMILIATION, and references.

5316. MEETING, A joyful. Lost Son. ¹⁹ Joseph made ready his chariot, and went up to meet Israel his father, to Goshen.. and he fell on his neck, and wept on his neck a good while. ²⁰ And Israel said.. Now let me die, since I have seen thy face.—GEN., ch. 46.

5317. — A protracted. Ten Days. ¹³ They went up into an upper room, where abode both Peter, and James, and.. ¹⁴ These all continued with one accord in prayer and supplication, with the women, and Mary the mother of Jesus, and with his brethren.—ACTS, ch. 1.

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ASSEMBLY.

Eager. Could not so much as eat bread 527
Evil. Assembled.. consulted.. take Jesus.. death 528
Great. All the people.. small and great.. read 529
Important. All I.. prophets of Baal 450.. grove 400 530
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Pious. All the people gathered.. as one man 534

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Bigots. Two hours cried out, Great is Diana 5487
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Murderous. City was moved.. people ran.. took 5489
Tumultuous. Left beating Paul.. some cried one 5490
Trial by. Cried.. loud voice.. ran upon Stephen 5491
Workmen. By this craft we have our wealth 5492

5318. MELANCHOLY, Music for. Saul. ¹⁵ Behold now, an evil spirit from God troubleth thee. ¹⁶ Let.. thy servants.. seek out a man, who is a cunning player on a harp: and.. when the evil spirit from God is upon thee.. he shall play.. and thou shalt be well.—1 SAM., ch. 16.

See DESPONDENCY and references.

5319. MEMORY in Perdition. Dives. ¹¹ I pray thee.. send him to my father's house: ¹² For I have five brethren; that he may testify unto them, lest they also come into this place of torment.—LUKE, ch. 16.

5320. — A painful. Paul. ⁹ I am the least of the apostles, that am not meet to be called an apostle, because I persecuted the church of God.—1 COR., ch. 15.

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FORGETFULNESS.

Adversity. Whom I loved have turned against me 3346
Caution. Take heed.. lest thou forget.. thine eyes 3347
of God. Have eaten.. full, beware.. forget the L. 3342
" Jeashurun.. lightly esteemed the rock 3343
" When silver and gold is multiplied.. forget 3344
Religious. I will not go.. He went back with him 3348
Sanctuary. If I forget thee, O Jerusalem.. tongue 3345
Spiritual. Face in a glass.. straightway forgetteth 3349

REMEMBRANCE.

Book. Was written before him of them that feared 7060
Late. I do remember my faults this day.. chief 7061
Perpetual. This is my body.. in remembrance of 7062
Painful. When Peter thought thereon, he wept 7063
Stimulated. Wherefore I put thee in remembrance 7064
of Sins. How thou provokedst the L.. in the 7065
Ungrateful. Yet did not the chief butler remember 3096

Refreshed. Do this in remembrance of me 808

See MEMORIAL.

5321. MEMORIAL, Benevolence, a. Cornelius. ³ He saw in a vision.. an angel of God.. saying unto him, Cornelius. ⁴.. Thy prayers and thine

alms are come up for a memorial before God.—ACTS, ch. 10.

5322. — of Deliverance. Redemption. ¹⁴ When thy son asketh thee in time to come, saying, What is this?.. thou shalt say.. By strength of hand the Lord brought us out from Egypt, from the house of bondage: ¹⁵ And.. when Pharaoh would hardly let us go.. the Lord slew all the firstborn in the land of Egypt.. therefore I sacrifice to the Lord all that openeth the matrix, being males; but all the firstborn of my children I redeem.—EX., ch. 13.

5323. — of Food. Manna. ²² Moses said unto Aaron, Take a pot, and put an omer full of manna therein, and lay it up before the Lord, to be kept for your generations.—EX., ch. 16.

5324. — of Love. Mary. ⁸ She hath done what she could.. she is come aforehand to anoint my body to the burying. ⁹.. Wheresoever this gospel shall be preached throughout the whole world, this also that she hath done shall be spoken of for a memorial of her.—MARK, ch. 14.

5325. — Stones for. Jordan. ⁹ Joshua set up twelve stones in the midst of Jordan, in the place where the feet of the priests which bare the ark of the covenant stood: and they are there unto this day.—JOSEPH., ch. 4.

5326. — of Victory. Ebenezer. ¹¹ The men of Israel.. pursued the Philistines, and smote them.. ¹² Then Samuel took a stone, and set it between Mizpeh and Shen, and called the name of it Eben-ezer, saying, Hitherto hath the Lord helped us.—1 SAM., ch. 7.

5327. — — Sword. ⁹ Ahimelech said, The sword of Goliath the Philistine, whom thou slewest.. is here wrapped in a cloth behind the ephod: if thou wilt take that, take it.. And David said, There is none like that; give it me.—1 SAM., ch. 21.

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Monument. Jacob set up a pillar.. Rachel's grave 3500
Relic. Hezekiah brake in pieces the brazen serpent 6998
See MEMORY.

5328. MEN, The greatest. Believers. ²⁶ Among those that are born of women there is not a greater prophet than John the Baptist: but he that is least in the kingdom of God is greater than he.—LUKE, ch. 7.

5329. — Indispensable. Sailors. ²¹ Paul said to the centurion and to the soldiers, Except these abide in the ship, ye cannot be saved. ²² Then the soldiers cut off the ropes of the boat, and let her fall off.—ACTS, ch. 27.

5330. — Picked. Saul's Army. ²² There was sore war against the Philistines all the days of Saul: and when Saul saw any strong man, or any valiant man, he took him unto him.—1 SAM., ch. 14.

5331. — Simple. Absalom's Army. ¹¹ With Absalom went two hundred men out of Jerusalem, that were called; and they went in their simplicity, and they knew not any thing.—2 SAM., ch. 15.

5332. — Mighty. Adino. ⁸ These be the names of the mighty men whom David had: The Tachmonite.. chief among the captains; the same was Adino the Ezrite: he lifted up his spear against eight hundred, whom he slew at one time.—2 SAM., ch. 23.

5333. — — — *Eleazer.* ⁹ The men of Israel were gone away : ¹⁰ He arose, and smote the Philistines until his hand was weary, and his hand clave unto the sword : and the Lord wrought a great victory that day.—2 SAM., ch. 23.

5334. — — — *Shammah.* ¹¹ And after him was Shammah, where was a piece of ground full of lentiles ; and the people fled from the Philistines. ¹² But he stood in the midst of the ground, and defended it, and slew the Philistines.—2 SAM., ch. 23.

5335. — — — *Exploit.* ¹³ David longed . . Oh that one would give me . . of the well of Beth-lehem which is by the gate ! ¹⁴ And the three mighty men brake through the host of the Philistines, and drew water out of the well of Beth-lehem . . and brought it to David.—2 SAM., ch. 23.

5336. — — — *Abishai.* ¹⁵ Abishai, the brother of Joab, was chief among three. And he lifted up his spear against three hundred, and slew them. ¹⁶ Was he not most honourable of three ? therefore he was their captain : howbeit he attained not unto the first three.—2 SAM., ch. 23.

5337. — — — *Benaiah.* ¹⁷ Benaiah, he slew two lionlike men of Moab : he went down also and slew a lion in the midst of a pit in time of snow. ¹⁸ And he slew an Egyptian, a goodly man . . he went down to him with a staff, and plucked the spear out of the Egyptian's hand, and slew him with his own spear.—2 SAM., ch. 23.

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GIANTS.

Four. Ishbi-benob . . . Sibbechai . . . Elhanan	3518
Military. Goliath . . . six cubits and a span	3516
Royal. Og king of Bashan . . . bedstead . . . nine cubits	3517

MASSES.

Bible. Set up these stones . . . plaster . . . write very p.	5322
Neglected. Jesus was moved . . . not having a sheph.	5353

PEOPLE.

Feared. Sought to destroy him . . . could not . . . p.	6047
" Would have . . . death . . . feared the multitude	6048
Offering. A kid of the goats, a female	6049

See MAN.

5338. MENDING, Loss by. *Garment.* ²⁴ No man putteth a piece of a new garment upon an old ; if otherwise, then both the new maketh a rent, and the piece that was taken out of the new agreeth not with the old.—LUKE, ch. 5.

See other illustrations under :

Tools. Went down to the Philistines to sharpen	5359
Repairs. Priests take . . . repair the breaches of the h.	7071

5339. MERCY abused. *Pharaoh.* ²⁴ When Pharaoh saw that the rain and the hail and the thunders were ceased, he sinned yet more, and hardened his heart, he and his servants. ²⁵ . . . neither would he let the children of Israel go.—Ex., ch. 9.

5340. — — — Compassionate. *Jesus.* ³⁷ O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, thou that killest the prophets, and stonest them which are sent unto thee, how often would I have gathered thy children together, even as a hen gathereth her chickens under her wings, and ye would not.—MAT., ch. 23.

5341. — — — "Helper." ³⁶ The Lord saw the affliction of Israel, that it was very bitter :

for there was not any shut up, nor any left, nor any helper for Israel. ³⁷ And the Lord said not that he would blot out the name of Israel from under heaven : but he saved them by the hand of Jeroboam.—2 KINGS, ch. 14.

5342. — — — conquers. *To King of Israel.* ²² Elisha answered . . . wouldst thou smite those whom thou hast taken captive with thy sword ? . . . set bread and water before them, that they may eat and drink, and go to their master. ²³ . . . So the bands of Syria came no more into the land of Israel.—2 KINGS, ch. 6.

5343. — — — Divine. Sufferers. ¹⁷ When the poor and needy seek water, and there is none, and their tongue faileth for thirst, I the Lord will hear them, I the God of Israel will not forsake them. ¹⁸ I will open rivers in high places, and fountains in the midst of the valleys : I will make the wilderness a pool of water, and the dry land springs of water.—ISA., ch. 41.

5344. — — — Proclamation. ⁶ The Lord . . . proclaimed, The Lord, The Lord God, merciful and gracious, longsuffering, and abundant in goodness and truth, ⁷ Keeping mercy for thousands, forgiving iniquity and transgression and sin, and that will by no means clear the guilty.—Ex., ch. 34.

5345. — — — Fatherly. ¹³ Like as a father pitieth his children, so the Lord pitieth them that fear him. ¹⁴ For he knoweth our frame ; he remembereth that we are dust.—PS., 103.

5346. — — — deplored. *Jonah said,* [The Ninevites were spared.] ⁹ Was not this my saying, when I was yet in my country ? Therefore I fled before unto Tarshish : for I knew that thou art a gracious God, and merciful, slow to anger, and of great kindness, and repentest thee of the evil. ¹⁰ Therefore now, O Lord, take, I beseech thee, my life from me ; for it is better for me to die than to live.—JONAH, ch. 4.

5347. — — — desired. *By Recipients.* [See No. 5351.] ²⁸ One of his fellow-servants, which owed him a hundred pence : and he laid hands on him, and took him by the throat, saying, Pay me that thou owest. ²⁹ And his fellow-servant fell down at his feet, and besought him, saying, Have patience with me, and I will pay thee all. ³⁰ And he would not : but went and cast him into prison, till he should pay the debt.—MAT., ch. 18.

5348. — — — entreated. *Pharaoh.* ²¹ I have sinned this time : the Lord is righteous, and I and my people are wicked. ²² Entreat the Lord (for it is enough) that there be no more mighty thunders and hail ; and I will let you go, and ye shall stay no longer.—Ex., ch. 9.

5349. — — — Extension of. *Fig Tree.* ¹ These three years I come seeking fruit on this fig tree, and find none : cut it down ; why cumbereth it the ground ? ² And he . . . said . . . Lord, let it alone this year also, till I shall dig about it, and dung it : ³ And if it bear fruit, well : and if not, then after that thou shalt cut it down.—LUKE, ch. 13.

5350. — — — Gracious. *Esther said,* ¹¹ Whosoever, whether man or woman, shall come unto the king into the inner court, who is not called, there is one law of his to put him to death, except such to whom the king shall hold out the golden sceptre, that he may live.—ESTHER, ch. 4.

5351. — granted. *To Unfortunates.* ²⁵ Forasmuch as he had not to pay, his lord commanded him to be sold, and his wife and children, and all that he had. ²⁶ The servant. Lord, have patience with me, and I will pay thee all. ²⁷ Then the lord . . . was moved with compassion, and loosed him, and forgave him the debt.—*MAT.*, ch. 18.

5352. — Hope in. *David's.* ¹³ Shall seven years of famine come . . . or wilt thou flee three months before thine enemies. . . or that there be three days' pestilence in thy land? . . . ¹⁴ And David said unto Gad, I am in a great strait: let us fall now into the hand of the Lord; for his mercies are great: and let me not fall into the hand of man. ¹⁵ So the Lord sent a pestilence.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 24.

5353. — Ill-timed. *Ahab's.* [A prophet] ¹² Said unto him, Thus saith the Lord, Because thou hast let go out of thy hand a man whom I appointed to utter destruction, therefore thy life shall go for his life, and thy people for his people.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 20.

5354. — for the Ignorant. *Paul.* ¹³ Who was before a blasphemer, and a persecutor, and injurious: but I obtained mercy, because I did it ignorantly in unbelief.—*1 TIM.*, ch. 1.

5355. — limited. *Antediluvians.* ² My Spirit shall not always strive with man, for that he also is flesh: yet his days shall be a hundred and twenty years.—*GEN.*, ch. 6.

5356. — only. *Four Lepers.* [At siege of Samaria.] ⁴ Let us fall unto the host of the Syrians: if they save us alive, we shall live; and if they kill us, we shall but die.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 7.

5357. — omitted. *Parable.* ³⁰ Fell among thieves, which stripped him, leaving him half dead. ³¹ . . . there came down a certain priest, . . . he passed by on the other side. ³² And likewise a Levite . . . looked on him, and passed by on the other side.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

5358. — Last Plea for. *Pharaoh.* ¹⁷ Forgive, I pray thee, my sin only this once, and entreat the Lord, that he may take away from me this death only. . . ¹⁸ And the Lord turned a mighty strong west wind which took away the locusts.—*EX.*, ch. 10.

5359. — Power of. *Saul.* ¹² David took the spear and the cruse of water from Saul's bolster; and they gat them away, and no man saw it, nor knew it, neither awaked: for they were all asleep. . . ²¹ Then said Saul, I have sinned: return, my son David; for I will no more do thee harm, because my soul was precious in thine eyes this day: behold, I have played the fool.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 26.

5360. — Earnest Plea for. *Bartimeus.* ⁴⁸ Many charged him that he should hold his peace: but he cried the more a great deal, Thou Son of David, have mercy on me. ⁴⁹ And Jesus stood still.—*MARK*, ch. 10.

5361. — the Sinner's Plea. *Publican.* ¹³ Would not lift up so much as his eyes unto heaven, but smote upon his breast, saying, God be merciful to me a sinner. ¹⁴ I tell you, this man went down to his house justified rather than the other.—*LUKE*, ch. 18.

5362. — for the Penitent. *Ninevites.* ¹ Let neither man nor beast, herd nor flock, taste any

thing. . . ⁶ But let man and beast be covered with sackcloth, and cry mightily unto God: yea, let them turn every one from his evil way. ¹⁰ And God saw their works, that they turned from their evil way; and God repented of the evil.—*JONAH*, ch. 3.

5363. — Practical. *Samaritan.* [See No. 5357.] ²⁴ Bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine, and set him on his own beast, and brought him to an inn, and took care of him. ²⁵ . . . when he departed, he took out two pence, and gave them to the host.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

5364. — Reliance on. *Calf.* ²¹ Moses . . . said, Oh, this people have sinned a great sin, and have made them gods of gold. ²² Yet now, if thou wilt, forgive their sin: and if not, blot me, I pray thee, out of thy book which thou hast written.—*EX.*, ch. 32.

5365. — Reputation for. *"Kings."* [Benhadad was defeated and secreted.] ²¹ And his servants said unto him, Behold now, we have heard that the kings of the house of Israel are merciful kings: let us, I pray thee, put sackcloth on our loins, and ropes upon our heads, and go out to the king of Israel: peradventure he will save thy life.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 20.

5366. — required. *Mutual.* [See No. 5351.] ²² Then his lord . . . said, O thou wicked servant, I forgave thee all that debt, because thou desiredst me: ²³ Shouldest not thou also have had compassion on thy fellow servant, even as I had pity on thee? ²⁴ And his lord was wroth, and delivered him to the tormentors, till he should pay all.—*MAT.*, ch. 18.

5367. — Suppliants for. *Confession.* [See No. 5365.] ²² So they girded sackcloth on their loins, and put ropes on their heads, and came to the king of Israel, and said, Thy servant Benhadad saith, I pray thee, let me live. And he said, Is he yet alive? he is my brother.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 20.

5368. — Success by. *Blind Men.* ¹⁷ Two blind men followed him, crying, and saying, Thou Son of David, have mercy on us. ²² . . . Jesus saith . . . Believe ye that I am able to do this? They said, Yea, Lord. ²³ Then touched he their eyes, saying, According to your faith be it unto you.—*MAT.*, ch. 9.

5369. — Throne of. *"Throne of Grace."* ¹⁵ We have not a high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin. ¹⁶ Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need.—*HEB.*, ch. 4.

5370. MERCIES remembered. Israelites. ² Thou shalt remember all the way which the Lord thy God led thee these forty years in the wilderness, to humble thee, and to prove thee, to know what was in thine heart, whether thou wouldest keep his commandments, or no. ³ And he . . . fed thee with manna.—*DEUT.*, ch. 8.

See other illustrations under:

COMPASSION.

Appeal. Son . . . spirit teareth him . . . have compassion ¹⁴²³
Active. Jesus went about all the cities . . . healing ¹⁴²⁴
Brother's. Joseph said, Fear not . . . comforted them ¹⁴²⁵
Commended. Good Samaritan. Go . . . do likewise ¹⁴²⁶
Debtor's. To be sold, and his wife . . . had compassion ¹⁴²⁷

Denied. Took him by the throat. .pay me	1486
Lewly. Israel sighed. .heard the groaning	1489
Moved. We have sinned. .grieved for the misery of	1490
Penitent. While. .a great way off. .compassion	1481
Public. City was moved. .Is this Naomi?	1482
Patriotic. O Jerusalem. .how often. .ye would not	1483
Practical. Leper. .Jesus. .with compassion touched	1484
Reproof. Forgive him and comfort him	1485
Required. Shouldst thou not have. .on thy fellow	1486
Sensitive. Not a high priest which cannot be touch.	1487
Unmoved. Joseph. We saw the anguish. .would	1488
Womanly. Daughter of Pharaoh. .babe wept. .had	1489
Without. Chaldees. .had no compassion. .old	1440

FORBEARANCE.

Divine. A king shall reign. .G. was your king	3328
" I come seeking fruit, and find none	3329
Pious. David. .hast rewarded me good. .killedst	3330

See FORGIVENESS.

5371. MERCHANTS, Mourning of. Babylon.
 "The merchants of these things, which were made rich by her, shall stand afar off for the fear of her torment, weeping and wailing, "And saying, Alas, alas, that great city, that was clothed in fine linen, and purple, and scarlet, and decked with gold, and precious stones, and pearls! "For in one hour so great riches is come to nought.—Rev., ch. 18.

5372. — Ruin of. Babylon. "The merchants. .shall weep and mourn over her; for no man buyeth their merchandise any more: "The merchandise of gold, and silver, and precious stones, and of pearls, and fine linen, and purple, and silk, and scarlet, and all thyine wood, and all manner vessels of ivory, and all manner vessels of most precious wood, and of brass, and iron, and marble, "And cinnamon, and odours, and ointments, and frankincense, and wine, and oil, and fine flour, and wheat, and beasts, and sheep, and horses, and chariots, and slaves, and souls of men.—Rev., ch. 18.

5373. MERCHANDISE misplaced. Temple.
 "And when he had made a scourge of small cords, he drove them all out of the temple, and the sheep, and the oxen; and poured out the changers' money, and overthrew the tables.—John, ch. 2.

See other illustrations under:

TRADE.

Beneficial. Let them trade. .substance be ours	8858
Beating down. It is naught, it is naught. .then he b.	8859
Bishonesty. Making the ephah small and the shek.	8860
" A false balance is an abomination to	8861
" Prophet unto the priest, every one d.	8862
Lawful. Might know how much. .gained by trad.	8863
Luxuries. Merchandise of precious stones. .silks	8864
Protection. Our craft is in danger to be set at n.	8865
Sabbath. Brought fish. .ware and sold on the sab.	8866
" Corrected. If ye do. .I will lay hands on	8867
Trials. Shalt not have divers weights, a great	8868
Union. Demetrius a silversmith. .called the work.	8869

5374. MERCENARIES, Complaint of. Parable.
 "When the first came, they supposed that they should have received more; and they likewise received every man a penny. "And. .they murmured. "Saying, These last have wrought but one hour, and thou hast made them equal unto us, which have borne the burden and heat of the day.—Mat., ch. 20.

See MONEY, WAGES.

5375. MERIT disclaimed. Apostles. "As the lame man which was healed held Peter and John, all the people ran together unto them. .greatly wondering. "And when Peter saw it, he answered. .Ye men of Israel, why marvel ye at this? or why look ye so earnestly on us, as though by our own power or holiness we had made this man to walk?—Acts, ch. 3.

5376. — honoured. Daniel. "Daniel was preferred above the presidents and princes, because an excellent spirit was in him; and the king thought to set him over the whole realm.—Dan., ch. 6.

5377. — unappreciated. Enemies. "The presidents and princes sought to find occasion against Daniel concerning the kingdom; but they could find none occasion nor fault; forasmuch as he was faithful, neither was there any error. "Then said these men, We shall not find any occasion against this Daniel, except. .concerning the law of his God.—Dan., ch. 6.

See other illustrations under:

GOODNESS.

Commendation. Mercy and truth. .find favour. .G.	3653
Distrusted. Serpent said. .G. doth know. .be as g.	3654
Divine. Angel. .campeth round about them	3655
Pride. I am not as other men are. .I fast	3656
Reveals. Show me thy glory. .my goodness	3657
no Shield. Herod feared John. .just and a holy	3658
Tribute. The evil bow before the good	3659
Unconscious. Moses wist not. .face shone	3660

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Authenticated. If I do not the works. .believe not	3004
Evince. World began. .not heard. .opened eyes	3005
Test. Which of these three was neighbour	3006
Words. Said. .Lord he is God. .slew prophets	3007

WORTH.

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Promotion. Cunning in playing. .man of war. .p.	9229
Without. I am not worthy. .come to thee	9230

See CHARACTER.

5378. MERRIMENT, Ill-timed. Proverb.
 "As he that taketh away a garment in cold weather, and as vinegar upon nitre, so is he that singeth songs to a heavy heart.—Prov., ch. 25.

See HAPPINESS and references.

5379. MESSAGE rejected, A. To Passover.
 "Hezekiah sent to all Israel and Judah. .that they should come to the house of the Lord at Jerusalem, to keep the passover. "So the posts passed from city to city, through the country of Ephraim and Manasseh. .but they laughed them to scorn, and mocked them.—2 Chron., ch. 30.

5380. — received, A. To Passover.
 "Nevertheless, divers of Asher and Manasseh and of Zebulun humbled themselves, and came to Jerusalem. "Also in Judah the hand of God was to give them one heart to do the commandment of the king.—2 Chron., ch. 30.

5381. MESSENGER, A fictitious. Ehud. [The assassin of king Eglon.] "He was sitting in a summer parlour, which he had for himself alone: and Ehud said, I have a message from God unto thee. And he arose out of his seat. "And the haft also went in after the blade; and the fat closed upon the blade, so that he could not draw the dagger out of his belly.—Judges, ch. 3.

5382. — A fated. Uriah. ¹⁴ David wrote a letter to Joab, and sent it by the hand of Uriah, ¹⁵ saying, set ye Uriah in the forefront of the hottest battle, and retire ye from him, that he may be smitten, and die.—2 SAM., ch. 11.

5383. — A prepared. Isaiah. ⁶ Then flew one of the seraphim unto me, having a live coal in his hand, which he had taken with the tongs from off the altar: ⁷ And he laid it upon my mouth, and said, Lo, this hath touched thy lips; and thine iniquity is taken away, and thy sin purged. ⁸ Also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, Whom shall I send, and who will go for us? Then said I, Here am I; send me.—ISA., ch. 6.

5384. — without a Message. Ahimaaz said, [After the defeat of Absalom.] ²² Let me, I pray thee, also run after Cush. And Joab said, Wherefore wilt thou run, my son, seeing that thou hast no tidings ready? ²³ And the king said, Is the young man Absalom safe? And Ahimaaz answered, I saw a great tumult, but I knew not what it was.—2 SAM., ch. 18.

5385. MESSENGERS, Convenient. Raven—Dove. ¹ He sent forth a raven, which went forth to and fro, until the waters were dried up from off the earth. ² Also he sent forth a dove. ³ But the dove found no rest for the sole of her foot.—GEN., ch. 8.

5386. — for Destruction. In Persia. ¹³ The letters were sent by posts into all the king's provinces, to destroy all Jews, both young and old, little children and women, in one day, and to take the spoil of them for a prey.—ESTHER, ch. 3.

5387. — Glad. Joseph's Brethren. ¹³ Ye shall tell my father of all my glory in Egypt, and of all that ye have seen; and ye shall haste and bring down my father hither. ¹⁴ And he fell upon his brother Benjamin's neck, and wept.—GEN., ch. 45.

See other illustrations under:

NEWS.

Bad. Eli called S. hide it not from me	5728
" [Job's calamities]	5729
" Saul is dead	5730
" Samuel feared to show Eli the vision	5731
" Feared to tell David child was dead	5732
Confirmation. Reach hither thy finger. thrust. h.	5733
Doubted. Gone out of the city to hide themselves	5734
" Heard that he was alive. believed not	5735
Important. King granted the Jews. stand for their	5736
Refreshing. As cold waters to a thirsty soul	5737

WRITING.

Alarming. King saw the part of the hand that	9926
Perishable. Jesus. wrote on the ground	9927
Tenderness. I wrote unto you with many tears	9928

5388. MIDNIGHT, Appeal at. Bread. ⁶ Which of you shall have a friend, and shall go unto him at midnight, and say unto him, Friend, lend me three loaves; ⁷ For a friend of mine in his journey is come to me, and I have nothing to set before him?—LUKE, ch. 11.

5389. — Alarm at. In Egypt. ³⁰ Pharaoh rose up in the night, he, and all the Egyptians; and there was a great cry in Egypt: for there was not a house where there was not one dead. ³¹ And he called for Moses and Aaron by night, and said, Rise up, and get you forth from among

my people. ³² And the Egyptians were urgent, for they said, We be all dead men.—EX., ch. 12.

5390. — Songs at. Philippi Prison. ¹⁴ Who thrust them into the inner prison, and made their feet fast in the stocks. ¹⁵ And at midnight Paul and Silas prayed, and sang praises unto God: and the prisoners heard them.—ACTS, ch. 16.

Also see:

Deed. Samson took down the doors 5372

5391. Mind and Body, Both. Daniel and Others. ⁴ Children in whom was no blemish, but well favoured, and skilful in all wisdom, and cunning in knowledge, and understanding science, and such as had ability in them to stand in the king's palace, and whom they might teach the learning and the tongue of the Chaldeans.—DAN., ch. 1.

5392. — of Christ. Humility. ⁵ Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus: ⁶ Who, being in the form of God, thought it not robbery to be equal with God: ⁷ But made himself of no reputation, and took upon him the form of a servant, and was made in the likeness of men.—PHIL., ch. 2.

5393. MINDS differ. Mary vs. Martha. ²¹ Mary, which also sat at Jesus' feet, and heard his word. ²⁰ But Martha was cumbered about much serving.—LUKE, ch. 10.

5394. MIND, Opening the. Resurrection Ev. ⁴⁵ Then opened he their understanding, that they might understand the Scriptures, ⁴⁶ And said, Thus it is written, and thus it behooved Christ to suffer, and to rise from the dead the third day.—LUKE, ch. 24.

Also see:

Agitation. Thoughts troubled him. knees smote 262
See INTELLIGENCE.

5395. MINISTRY of Angels. Peter and John. ¹⁰ The angel of the Lord by night opened the prison doors, and brought them forth, and said, ²⁰ Go, stand and speak in the temple to the people all the words of this life.—ACTS, ch. 5.

5396. — Secondary. ⁴ Cornelius looked on him, he was afraid, and said, What is it, Lord? And he said, Thy prayers and thine alms are come up for a memorial before God. ⁵ And now send men to Joppa, and call for Peter: ⁶ he shall tell thee what thou oughtest to do.—ACTS, ch. 10.

5397. — Burden of. Paul. ¹³ What is it wherein ye were inferior to other churches, except it be that I myself was not burdensome to you? forgive me this wrong.—2 COR., ch. 12.

5398. — Christ's. Support. ² Certain women, which had been healed of evil spirits and infirmities, Mary called Magdalene, out of whom went seven devils, ³ And Joanna the wife of Chuza Herod's steward, and Susanna, and many others, which ministered unto him of their substance.—LUKE, ch. 12.

5399. — Covetous. Eli's Sons. ¹³ The priest's servant. said to the man that sacrificed, Give flesh to roast for the priest; for he will not have sodden flesh of thee, but raw. ¹⁴ And if any man said, Let them not fail to burn the fat presently, and then take as much as thy soul desireth; then he would answer him, Nay; but thou shalt give it me now: and if not, I will

take it by force. ¹¹ Wherefore the sin of the young men was very great before the Lord : for men abhorred the offering of the Lord.—1 SAM., ch. 2.

5400. — *Call to the.* Aaron. ²¹ The Lord said to Aaron, Go into the wilderness to meet Moses. ²² And Moses told Aaron all the words of the Lord who had sent him, and all the signs which he had commanded him. ²³ And Moses and Aaron went.—EX., ch. 4.

5401. — *A courageous.* Micaiah. ¹⁶ Take Micaiah, and carry him back unto Amon the governor of the city. ¹⁷ And say, Thus saith the king, Put this fellow in the prison, and feed him with bread of affliction and with water of affliction, until I come in peace. ¹⁸ And Micaiah said, If thou return at all in peace, the Lord hath not spoken by me. And he said, Hearken, O people, every one of you.—1 KINGS, ch. 22.

5402. — *Devotion to the.* Paul. ¹ I came to you, not with excellency of speech or of wisdom, declaring unto you the testimony of God. ² For I determined not to know anything among you, save Jesus Christ, and him crucified.—1 COR., ch. 2.

5403. — *A faithful.* Micaiah. ¹³ The messenger . . . spake . . . the words of the prophets declare good unto the king with one mouth : let thy word, I pray thee, be like the word of one of them, and speak that which is good. ¹⁴ And Micaiah said, As the Lord liveth, what the Lord saith unto me, that will I speak.—1 KINGS, ch. 22.

5404. — *Joy in the.* Paul. ¹³ Ye know how through infirmity of the flesh I preached the gospel unto you at the first. ¹⁴ And my temptation which was in my flesh ye despised not, nor rejected ; but received me as an angel of God, even as Christ Jesus.—GAL., ch. 4.

5405. — *Portion for.* Sons of Eli. ¹³ The priest's custom . . . was, that, when any man offered sacrifice, the priest's servant came, while the flesh was in seething, with a fleshhook of three teeth in his hand ; ¹⁴ And he struck it into the pan, or kettle . . . all that the fleshhook brought up the priest took for himself.—1 SAM., ch. 2.

5406. — *Preparation for.* Isaiah. [See No. 5383.]

5407. — *Jeremiah.* ⁶ Then said I, Ah, Lord God ! behold, I cannot speak : for I am a child. ⁷ . . . Say not, I am a child : for thou shalt go to all that I shall send thee, and whatsoever I command thee thou shalt speak. ⁸ Be not afraid of their faces : for I am with thee. ⁹ Then the Lord put forth his hand, and touched my mouth.—JER., ch. 1.

5408. — *Proof of.* Widow of Zarephath. ²² Elijah took the child, and brought him down out of the chamber . . . and delivered him unto his mother : and Elijah said, See, thy son liveth. ²³ And the woman said, Now by this I know that thou art a man of God.—1 KINGS, ch. 17.

5409. — *Promise to the.* "Rain." ¹⁰ As the rain cometh down, and the snow from heaven, and returneth not thither, but watereth the earth, and maketh it bring forth and bud, that it may give seed to the sower, and bread to the eater : ¹¹ So shall my word be that goeth forth out of my mouth.—ISA., ch. 55.

5410. — *Qualifications of.* Bishop. ¹ A bishop must be blameless, as the steward of God ; not selfwilled, not soon angry, not given to wine, no striker, not given to filthy lucre ; ² But a lover of hospitality, a lover of good men, sober, just, holy, temperate ; ³ Holding fast the faithful word.—TITUS, ch. 1.

5411. — *Self-supported.* Paul. ²³ I have coveted no man's silver, or gold, or apparel. ²⁴ Yea, ye yourselves know, that these hands have ministered unto my necessities, and to them that were with me.—ACTS, ch. 20.

5412. — *Support of.* Law. ¹ I have given the children of Levi all the tenth in Israel for an inheritance, for their service . . . of the tabernacle of the congregation.—NUM., ch. 18.

5413. — *Reasonable.* ¹ Who goeth a warfare any time at his own charges ? who planteth a vineyard, and eateth not of the fruit thereof ? or who feedeth a flock, and eateth not of the milk of the flock ? ² For it is written in the law of Moses, Thou shalt not muzzle the mouth of the ox that treadeth out the corn. Doth God take care for oxen ?—1 COR., ch. 9.

5414. — *Gospel.* ¹³ Do ye not know that they which minister about holy things live of the things of the temple ? and they which wait at the altar are partakers with the altar ? ¹⁴ Even so hath the Lord ordained that they which preach the gospel should live of the gospel.—1 COR., ch. 9.

5415. — *A spiritual.* Apostles. [See No. 5416.] ⁴ But we will give ourselves continually to prayer, and to the ministry of the word.—ACTS, ch. 6.

5416. — *undiverted.* "Serve Tables." ² It is not reason that we should leave the word of God, and serve tables. ³ Wherefore, brethren, look ye out among you seven men . . . whom we may appoint over this business.—ACTS, ch. 6.

5417. — *Work of.* Jeremiah. ¹⁰ See, I have this day set thee over the nations and over the kingdoms, to root out, and to pull down, and to destroy, and to thrown down, to build, and to plant.—JER., ch. 1.

5418. *MINISTER, A bold.* John. ¹⁸ John had said unto Herod, It is not lawful for thee to have thy brother's wife. ¹⁹ Therefore Herodias had a quarrel against him, and would have killed him.—MARK, ch. 6.

5419. — *A consistent.* Paul. ¹⁰ Ye are witnesses, and God also, how holily and justly and unblamably we behaved ourselves among you that believe.—1 THESS., ch. 2.

5420. — *called away.* Micah's. [See No. 5423. Danites] ¹⁹ Said unto him, Hold thy peace, lay thine hand upon thy mouth, and go with us, and be to us a father and a priest : is it better for thee to be a priest unto the house of one man, or that thou be a priest unto a tribe and a family in Israel ? ²⁰ And the priest's heart was glad.—JUDGES, ch. 18.

5421. — *Loss of a.* Micah's. [See No. 5420. His friends pursued,] ²³ And they cried unto the children of Dan. And they turned their faces, and said unto Micah, What aileth thee, that thou comest with such a company ? ²⁴ And he said, Ye have taken away my gods which I made, and the priest . . . and what have I

more? and what is this that ye say unto me, What aileth thee?—JUDGES, ch. 18.

5422. — A respected. *John.* ⁹ Herod feared John, knowing that he was a just man and a holy, and observed him; and when he heard him, he did many things, and heard him gladly.—MARK, ch. 6.

5423. — A settled. *A Levite.* ⁹ Micah said unto him, Whence comest thou? And he said, I am a Levite of Bethlehem-judah, and I go to sojourn where I may find a place. ¹⁰ And Micah said, Dwell with me, and be unto me a father and a priest, and I will give thee ten shekels of silver by the year, and a suit of apparel, and thy victuals.—JUDGES, ch. 17.

5424. MINISTERS, Cares of. *Paul.* ¹¹ In weariness and painfulness, in watchings often, in hunger and thirst, in fastings often, in cold and nakedness. ¹² Beside those things that are without, that which cometh upon me daily, the care of all the churches.—2 COR., ch. 11.

5425. — dependent. *The Apostles.* ⁹ Provide neither gold, nor silver, nor brass in your purses; ¹⁰ Nor scrip for your journey, neither two coats, neither shoes, nor yet staves: for the workman is worthy of his meat.—MAT., ch. 10.

5426. — differ. *"More Upright."* [See No. 5429.] ¹⁴ Wherefore their brethren the Levites did help them, till the work was ended, and until the other priests had sanctified themselves: for the Levites were more upright in heart to sanctify themselves than the priests.—2 CHRON., ch. 29.

5427. — Discouragements of. *"Sower."* Seed fell by the wayside, and on stony ground, and among thorns.—[See MARK 4:4-7.]

5428. — Encouragement of. *"Fruit."* ⁹ Other fell on good ground, and did yield fruit that sprang up and increased; and brought forth, some thirty, and some sixty, and some a hundred.—MARK, ch. 4.

5429. — Too few. *In Revival.* ²² The number of the burnt offerings, which the congregation brought, was threescore and ten bullocks, a hundred rams, and two hundred lambs. ²³ And the consecrated things were six hundred oxen and three thousand sheep. ²⁴ But the priests were too few, so that they could not flay all the burnt offerings.—2 CHRON., ch. 29.

5430. — only Instruments. *Paul.* ⁹ Who then is Paul, and who is Apollos, but ministers by whom ye believed. ¹⁰ I have planted, Apollos watered; but God gave the increase. ¹¹ So then neither is he that planteth any thing, neither he that watereth; but God that giveth the increase.—1 COR., ch. 3.

5431. — Intemperate. *Strong Drink.* [See No. 5434.]

5432. — but Men. *"I am a Man."* ²⁸ As Peter was coming in, Cornelius met him, and fell down at his feet, and worshipped him. ²⁹ But Peter took him up, saying, Stand up; I myself also am a man.—ACTS, ch. 10.

5433. — neglected. *Jewish.* [See No. 5436.] ⁴ The diseased have ye not strengthened, neither have ye healed that which was sick, neither have ye bound up that which was broken,

neither have ye brought again that which was driven away, neither have ye sought that which was lost; but with force and with cruelty have ye ruled them. ⁵ And they were scattered, because there is no shepherd.—EZEK., ch. 34.

5434. — Recrunt. *Jewish.* ¹⁰ His watchmen are blind: they are all ignorant, they are all dumb dogs, they cannot bark; sleeping, lying down, loving to slumber. ¹¹ Yea, they are greedy dogs which can never have enough, and they are shepherds that cannot understand: they all look to their own way, every one for his gain, from his quarter. ¹² Come ye, say they, I will fetch wine, and we will fill ourselves with strong drink; and to morrow shall be as this day, and much more abundant.—ISA., ch. 56.

5435. — Evil Sons of. *Eli's.* [See No. 5440.] ¹³ Because his sons made themselves vile, and he restrained them not. ¹⁴ And therefore I have sworn, that the iniquity of Eli's house shall not be purged with sacrifice and offering for ever.—1 SAM., ch. 3.

5436. — Self-seeking. *"Feed Themselves."* ² Woe be to the shepherds of Israel that do feed themselves! should not the shepherds feed the flocks? ³ Ye eat the fat, and ye clothe you with the wool, ye kill them that are fed: but ye feed not the flock.—EZEK., ch. 34.

5437. — — *"His Gain."* [See No. 5434.]

5438. — untaxed. *Ariaxerxes' Decree.* ²⁴ Any of the priests and Levites, singers, porters, Nethinim, or ministers of this house of God, it shall not be lawful to impose toll, tribute, or custom, upon them.—EZRA, ch. 7.

5439. — Useless. *"Dumb Dogs."* [See No. 5434.]

5440. — Wicked. *Eli's Sons.* ²² Eli was very old, and heard all that his sons did, and how they lay with the women that assembled at the door of the tabernacle.—1 SAM., ch. 2.

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Ministerial. Dwell with me. a priest. 10 shekels	1012
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Response. Whom shall I send. here am I	1015
Spirit. Thine ears. hear a word behind thee	1016
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MESSENGER.

Fictitious. I have a message from G. unto thee	5381
Fated. Set ye Uriah in the forefront	5382
Prepared. Lo this [live coal] hath touched thy lips	5383
Uncommissioned. Let me, I pray thee, also run	5384

MESSENGERS.

Convenient. Noah sent forth a raven. dove	5385
Destruction. Letters were sent. to destroy all J.	5386
Glad. Tell my father of all my glory in Egypt	5387

PREACHERS.

Called. Necessity is laid upon us. woe is unto me	6450
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Instructive. Ezra read. before those that could	6452

PREACHING.

Alarming. Paul reasoned... Felix trembled	6453
Forbidden. Commanded... not to speak at all	6454
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Hinderances. Care of this world... deceitfulness	6456
Ignorant. One heareth... understandeth it not	6457
Joyful. Shepherds... made known abroad the	6458
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PRIEST.

Chosen. Sanctify unto me all the firstborn	6590
Exodus. Priests... left... came to Judah	6591

SERMON.

Long. Paul preached... until midnight	7790
to Women. By a river side... spake unto the	7791

Sacrifices. Ministers left their possessions... came to 6591
Travelling. Jesus went throughout every city and 700
Youthful. Samuel ministered before the Lord 172

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5441. MINORITY. A noble. *Joshua and Caleb* said, 'The land, which we passed through to search it, is an exceeding good land. ¹⁰ But all the congregation bade stone them with stones.—NUM., ch. 14.

See other illustrations under:

NUMBERS.

Danger. Lest I vaunt... my own hand saved me	5744
Despised. Jonathan said unto his armourbearer	5745
Disparity. I like two little flocks of kids	5746
" L. It is nothing with thee, whether with	5747
Invisible. Mountain was full of horses... fire	5748
Pride. David's heart smote him after he had n.	5749

ONE.

Care. Martha was cumbered... Mary... one thing	5883
for God. Moses stood... Who is on the Lord's side?	5884
with God. I, even I only... Baal's prophets 450 men	5885
" I come to thee in the name of the L. of	5886
vs. 1000. Samson... slew a thousand men	5887
Power of. [Evil] Sheba hath lifted up his hand	5888
Victory. Shamgar slew 600... delivered I.	5889

5442. MIRACLE, Astonishing. " *Walking on the Sea.*" ²⁶ In the fourth watch of the night Jesus went unto them, walking on the sea. ²⁸ And when the disciples saw him walking on the sea, they were troubled, saying, It is a spirit: and they cried out for fear.—MAT., ch. 14.

5443. — Authenticated by. *Widow of Zarephath.* ²³ Elijah said, See, thy son liveth. ²⁴ And the woman said, Now by this I know that thou art a man of God, and that the word of the Lord in thy mouth is truth.—1 KINGS, ch. 17.

5444. — Convinced by. *Naaman.* ¹⁸ Returned to the man of God, he and all his company... and stood before him: and he said, Behold, now I know that there is no God in all the earth, but in Israel.—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

5445. — Money by. *Tribute.* [Jesus to Peter.] ²¹ Lest we should offend them, go thou to the sea, and cast a hook, and take up the fish that first cometh up; and when thou hast opened his mouth, thou shalt find a piece of money: that take, and give unto them for me and thee.—MAT., ch. 17.

5446. — No needless. " *Manna.*" ¹⁸ The manna ceased on the morrow after they had eaten of the old corn of the land; neither had the children of Israel manna any more.—JOHN., ch. 5.

5447. — of Salvation. " *Eye of Needle.*" ²⁸ It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle, than for a rich man to enter into the kingdom of God. ²⁹ Who then can be saved? ³¹ Jesus... saith, With men it is impossible, but not with God: for with God all things are possible.—MARK, ch. 10.

5448. — Office of. *Nicodemus.* ⁹ Rabbi, we know that thou art a teacher come from God: for no man can do these miracles that thou doest, except God be with him.—JOHN, ch. 3.

5449. — Moral Power of. " *Believed not.*" ²¹ Though he had done so many miracles before them, yet they believed not on him.—JOHN, ch. 12.

5450. — — After creating Bread. ²⁰ What sign shewest thou then, that we may see, and believe thee? what dost thou work? ²¹ Our fathers did eat manna in the desert.—JOHN, ch. 6.

5451. — for Unbelievers. " *Tongues.*" ²⁸ Tongues are for a sign, not to them that believe, but to them that believe not: but prophesying *serveth* not for them that believe not, but for them which believe.—1 COR., ch. 14.

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PROPHECY.

Gift. Spirit... unto the 70 elders... did prophesy	6673
Involuntary. Spirit... was upon Saul... prophesied	6673
Revival. I prophesied... bones came together	6674
Spiritual. These are not drunken... prophesy	6675
Demanding. Except ye... wonders, ye will not b.	9768
Ineffective. Though he had done so many m.	1690
Value of. Saw the earthquake... was the Son of G.	1698

5452. MIRTH impossible. *At Babylon.* ⁴ They that carried us away captive required of us a song; and they that wasted us required of us mirth, saying, Sing us one of the songs of Zion. ⁴ How shall we sing the Lord's song in a strange land?—PS. 137.

See MERRIMENT and references.

5453. MISCHIEF, Makers of. *At Thessalonica.* ⁵ Jews which believed not, moved with envy, took unto them certain lewd fellows of the baser sort, and gathered a company, and set all the city on an uproar, and assaulted the house of Jason, and sought to bring them out to the people.—ACTS, ch. 17.

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Flattering. Revealeth secrets... flattereth with his l.	8578
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5454. MISERY, Brutalizing. *In Egypt.* ¹⁸ Another king arose, which knew not Joseph. ¹⁹ The same... evil entreated our fathers, so that they cast out their young children, to the end they might not live.—ACTS, ch. 7.

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ANGUISH.

Bereavement. Let her alone, for her soul is vexed 416
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CRUELTY.

Ambition. Athallah. . . destroyed all the seed royal 1857
 Captives. Judah cast [10,000 men of Sier] from the 1858
 Failure. More they afflicted them. . . grew 1859
 Insulting. Purple. . . crown of thorns. . . Hall King 1860
 Pride. Mordecai bowed not. . . H. was full of wrath 1861
 Reward. Cruel. . . troubleth his own flesh 1862
 Savage. Slew the sons of Z. . . before his eyes 1863
 War. Joab put them under saws. . . harrows 1864

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Affliction. Let me not see the death of the child 2213
 Anguish. Slay me, for anguish is come upon me 2214
 Awakening. Wine was gone out. . . heart died within 2215
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 Needless. Widow. . . meal. . . oil. . . me and my son eat 2217

DESPERATION.

Boldness. I will go in unto the king. . . If I perish 2218
 Effort. Why sit we here till we die ? 2219
 Sacrifices. King of Moab took his eldest son 2221
 Sinners. Saul inquired of the L. . . answered him 2220

DISTRESS.

Cry of. Great cry. . . none like it, nor shall be 2437
 Derided. They that see me, shoot out the lip 2438
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 Exasperation. What shall I do. . . people ready to 2440
 Famine. Delicate woman. . . shall eat. . . children 2441
 Friend. Gedallah. . . took Jeremiah out of prison 2443
 Great. Thrust. . . right eyes. . . people wept 2444
 Little Faith. Why are ye fearful. . . little faith 2442
 Needless. Saul had adjured the people. . . food 2445
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for Christ. [Paul and Silas] Laid many stripes 8448
 Faithful. Were stoned. . . sawn asunder, were 8449
 Subdued. Bit the people. . . died, therefore. . . we 8451
 Support. Sufferings of this present time not 8450

SUFFERINGS.

Apostolic. [Paul] Five times. . . stripes. . . thrice 8452
 Chosen. Moses. . . choosing rather to suffer. . . than 8453
 Recompensed. Moses. . . had respect unto the r. 8454
 Sacred. Remove this cup. . . not my will [Jesus] 8455

TORTURE.

Hell. I am tormented in this flame 8852
 Jesus. Crown of thorns. . . spit upon him. . . smote 8855
 Prisoners. Elders of the city and thorns. . . briars 8853
 " Put them under saws. . . harrows 8854

TRIBULATION.

Despair. Who shall be able to stand ? 8946
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 Judgment. Sun. . . as sackcloth. . . stars fell. . . moved 8947
 Recompensed. White robes. . . out of great 8949

Bondage. Egyptians made their lives bitter 895
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 Horrible. Galileans whose blood Pilate had mingled 137
 Soldiers. Chaldees who slew. . . had no compassion 138
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5455. MISFORTUNE misinterpreted. Syrians.
 " The servants of the king of Syria said. . . Their
 gods are gods of the hills ; therefore they were
 stronger than we ; but let us fight against them
 in the plain, and surely we shall be stronger
 than they.—1 KINGS, ch. 20.

5456. — — — "Tower fell." "Those

eighteen, upon whom the tower in Siloam fell,
 and slew them, think ye that they were sinners
 above all men that dwelt in Jerusalem ? " I tell
 you, Nay : but, except ye repent, ye shall all
 likewise perish.—LUKE, ch. 13.

5457. — not understood. Gideon. " If
 the Lord be with us, why then is all this befallen
 us ? and where be all his miracles which our fa-
 thers told us of, saying, Did not the Lord bring
 us up from Egypt ? but now the Lord hath for-
 saken us, and delivered us into the hands of the
 Midianites.—JUDGES, ch. 6. "

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 Loss. Axe head fell into the water 66
 Misjudged. Think ye they were sinners above 67
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CALAMITY.

of God. Earth opened her mouth, and swallowed 998
 Hardened. I have smitten you with blasting 1001
 Indiscriminating. The L. maketh the earth 1002
 Predicted. Shall not be left one stone upon 997
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Doubt. Heard that he was alive. . . believed not 2315
 Gifts. S. gave Hiram 20 cities. . . pleased him not 2316
 Good. They have taken. . . Lord out of the a. 2317
 Humiliating. Prison truly. . . shut. . . no man there 2318
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 Judgment. Thou hast taught in our streets 2320
 Misjudged. We trusted it had been he. . . saved I. 2321
 Maternal. I have gotten a man [murderer] from 2322
 Many. Sown much, and bring in little 2323
 Perplexing. King of Syria sore troubled 2324
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Contrast. But as for me, my feet were almost 2346
 Defeat. Would to God we had been content. . . other 2347
 Evil-doers. I am. . . weak, though anointed king 2348
 Failure. Neither hast thou delivered thy people 2349
 " We have toiled all the night, and taken 2350
 Mismanagement. Men of Al smote 36 men 2351
 Ministerial. Some fell on stony ground. . . thorns 2352
 Needless. They that be with us are more. . . with 2353
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 Needless. Saul had adjured. . . food 2445
 Refuge. Ahaz sacrificed unto the gods that smote 2446

FAILURE.

Avoiding. First. . . counteth the cost. . . to finish 2967
 Cruelty. More they afflicted them. . . grew 2968

Complaint. Why is it thou hast sent me? 2869
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 Explained. Why could not we cast him out? 2873
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 Temporary. Pharaoh said..neither will I let I. go 2879

Superstition. Who did sin..born blind 203
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5456. MISIMPROVEMENT punished. *Parable.* ²⁰ Take therefore the talent from him, and give it unto him which hath ten talents. ²⁹ For unto every one that hath shall be given, and he shall have abundance: but from him that hath not shall be taken away even that which he hath. ³⁰ And cast ye the unprofitable servant into outer darkness.—*MAT.*, ch. 25.

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IDLENESS.

Accusation. No straw..ye are idle, ye are idle 4270
 Ecstasie. Why stand ye gazing into heaven? 4271
 Needless. Why stand ye here all the day idle? 4272
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INDOLENCE.

Exhibited. I went by the field of the slothful 4436
 Excuse. There is a lion without..I shall be slain 4437
 Perfect. Hand..not so much as bring it to his 4438
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Driven. Fire..consumed them in the uttermost 5052
 Hastened. While he lingered, the men laid hold 5053

OMISSION.

Cursed. Curse ye Meroz..came not up to the help 5875
 Deception. If any man be a hearer..and not a doer 5876
 Great. When saw we thee ahungered..not minister 5877
 Inexcusable. These shall go..everlasting punish't 5878
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Charity. Say not..to-morrow I will give when thou 6630
 Fatal. Go thy way this time..convenient season 6631
 Folly. Foolish said, Give us of your oil..gone out 6632
 Loss. We will hear thee again..Paul departed 6633
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SLUGGARD.

Reproved. Go to the ant, thou sluggard 8145
 Vexatious. As smoke to the eyes, so is the sluggard 8146
 " Way of the slothful, full of thorns 8147

See NEGLECT and references.

5459. MISREPRESENTATION of Benefactors. *Israelites.* ²⁰ They met Moses and Aaron..as they came forth from Pharaoh: ²¹ And they said..The Lord look upon you, and judge; because ye have made our savour to be abhorred in the eyes of Pharaoh, and in the eyes of his servants, to put a sword in their hand to slay us.—*Ex.*, ch. 5.

See other illustrations under:

SLANDER.

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 Base. This fellow doth cast out devils by Beelzebub 8102
 Disgraceful. We found this man a pestilent fellow 8103
 Folly. He that uttereth a slander is a fool 8104

Hurtful. Then will they not pay tribute 8105
 Impious. He saved others; himself he cannot save 8106
 Joyful. Blessed..men revile you..rejoice 8107
 Loyalty. Ziba said..he abideth at Jerusalem 8108
 Malignous. Diotrephes..prating against us 8109
 Opposed. It is reported..be their king 8110
 Refuted. If Satan cast out Satan..divided 8111
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 Secret. A whisperer separateth friends 8115
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5460. MISSION of the Church. *Commission.* ¹⁹ Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: ²⁰ Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you alway.—*MAT.*, ch. 28.

5461. — first, Home. *At Ascension.* ⁸ Ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of earth.—*ACTS.*, ch. 1.

5462. MISSIONS, Success of. *Universal.* ¹¹ From the rising of the sun even unto the going down of the same, my name shall be great among the Gentiles; and in every place incense shall be offered unto my name, and a pure offering.—*MAL.*, ch. 1.

5463. MISSIONARY, A foreign. *Jonah.* ¹ The word of the Lord came unto Jonah..saying, ² Arise, go to Nineveh, that great city, and cry against it; for their wickedness is come up before me.—*JONAH.*, ch. 1.

5464. — A successful. *Jonah.* ⁴ Jonah began to enter into the city a day's journey, and he cried..Yet forty days, and Nineveh shall be overthrown. ⁵ So the people of Nineveh believed God, and proclaimed a fast, and put on sackcloth, from the greatest of them even to the least.—*JONAH.*, ch. 3.

5465. — wanted, A. *Dives.* ²¹ I pray thee..wouldest send him to my father's house: ²² For I have five brethren; that he may testify unto them, lest they also come into this place of torment.—*LUKE.*, ch. 16.

5466. MISSIONARIES, A Cry for. *Vision.* ⁹ A vision appeared to Paul in the night; There stood a man of Macedonia, and prayed him, saying, Come over into Macedonia, and help us. ¹⁰ And..immediately we endeavoured to go.—*ACTS.*, ch. 16.

5467. — First Christian. *Paul and Barnabas.* ³ As they ministered to the Lord, and fasted, the Holy Ghost said, Separate me Barnabas and Saul for the work whereunto I have called them. ⁴ So they, being sent forth by the Holy Ghost, departed unto Seleucia; and from thence they sailed to Cyprus.—*ACTS.*, ch. 13.

5468. MISTAKE from Appearances. *Mother of Samuel.* ¹³ Only her lips moved, but her voice was not heard: therefore Eli thought she had been drunken. ¹⁴ And Eli said..How long wilt thou be drunken? put away thy wine from thee. ¹⁵ And Hannah answered..No, my lord, I am a woman of a sorrowful spirit: I have drunk nei-

ther wine nor strong drink, but have poured out my soul before the Lord.—1 SAM., ch. 1.

5469. — in Adversity. *Jacob.* ²⁸ Me have ye bereaved of my children: Joseph is not, and Simeon is not, and ye will take Benjamin away: all these things are against me.—GEN., ch. 42.

5470. — A conscientious. *Persecutors.* ¹ They shall put you out of the synagogues: yea, the time cometh, that whosoever killeth you will think that he doeth God service. ² And these things will they do unto you, because they have not known the Father, nor me.—JOHN, ch. 16.

5471. — corrected. *Poison.* ²⁹ One went out into the field to gather herbs, and found a wild vine, and gathered thereof wild gourds his lap full, and came and shred them into the pot of pottage: for they knew them not. ⁴⁰ There is death in the pot. ⁴¹ But he said, Then bring meal. And he cast it into the pot. And there was no harm in the pot.—2 KINGS, ch. 4.

5472. — A disastrous. *Moabites.* ²² The sun shone upon the water, and the Moabites saw the water on the other side as red as blood: ²³ And they said, This is blood: the kings are surely slain, and they have smitten one another: now therefore, Moab, to the spoil. ²⁴ And when they came to the camp, the Israelites rose up and smote the Moabites, so that they fled.—2 KINGS, ch. 3.

5473. — A glorious. *Mary.* ² She runneth, and cometh to Simon Peter, and to the other disciple, whom Jesus loved, and saith. . . They have taken away the Lord out of the sepulchre, and we know not where they have laid him.—JOHN, ch. 20.

5474. — in Hearing. *Crucifixion.* ⁴⁶ Eli, Eli, lama sabachthani? that is to say, My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me? ⁴⁷ Some of them that stood there, when they heard that, said, This man calleth for Elias.—MAT., ch. 27.

5475. — from Infatuation. *Idolaters.* ¹⁷ We will certainly. . . burn incense unto the queen of heaven. . . pour out drink offerings unto her, as we have done, we, and our fathers, our kings, and our princes, in the cities of Judah, and in the streets of Jerusalem: for then had we plenty of victuals, and were well, and saw no evil.—JER., ch. 44.

5476. — from Ignorance. *Sadducees.* ²⁸ In the resurrection, whose wife shall she be of the seven? for they all had her. ²⁹ Jesus answered. . . Ye do err, not knowing the Scriptures, nor the power of God. ³⁰ For in the resurrection they neither marry, nor are given in marriage, but are as the angels of God.—MAT., ch. 22.

5477. — Man's. *Choice for King.* ⁶ He looked on Eliab, and said, Surely the Lord's anointed is before him. ⁷ But the Lord said unto Samuel, Look not on his countenance, or on the height of his stature; because I have refused him: for the Lord seeth not as man seeth; for man looketh on the outward appearance, but the Lord looketh on the heart.—1 SAM., ch. 16.

5478. — A mortifying. *Haman's.* ⁶ So Haman came in. And the king said. . . What shall be done unto the man whom the king delighteth to honour? Now Haman thought in his heart, To whom would the king delight to do honour

more than to myself? . . . ¹⁰ Then the king said to Haman, Make haste, and take the apparel and the horse, as thou hast said, and do even so to Mordecai the Jew.—ESTHER, ch. 6.

5479. — through Prejudice. *Paul.* ¹ I verily thought with myself, that I ought to do many things contrary to the name of Jesus of Nazareth. ¹⁰ . . . and many of the saints did I shut up in prison. . . and when they were put to death, I gave my voice against them.—ACTS, ch. 26.

5480. — from Prosperity. *"Plenty."* [See No. 5475.]

5481. — A serious. *Altar of Witness.* ²² The Lord God of gods, he knoweth, and Israel he shall know; if it be in rebellion, or if in transgression against the Lord, (save us not this day,) ²³ That we have built us an altar to turn from following the Lord, or if to offer thereon burnt offering, or meat offering, or if to offer peace offerings thereon, let the Lord himself require it.—JOSH., ch. 22. [A war was prevented.]

5482. — from Suspicion. *Hanun.* ³ The princes of the children of Ammon said unto Hanun their lord, Thinkest thou that David doth honour thy father, that he hath sent comforters unto thee? hath not David rather sent his servants unto thee, to search the city, and to spy it out, and to overthrow it?—2 SAM., ch. 10. [He mutilated their beards and garments.]

5483. — A Zealot's. *Irijah.* ¹⁴ Said Jeremiah, It is false; I fall not away to the Chaldeans. But he hearkened not to him: so Irijah took Jeremiah, and brought him to the princes. ¹⁵ Wherefore the princes were wroth with Jeremiah, and smote him, and put him in prison.—JER., ch. 37.

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Natural. Ostrich. . . G. hath deprived her of wisdom 3270
Neglect. Foolish. . . took no oil with them 3271
Worldly. I will pull down. . . build. . . eat, drink 3272
Youth. Rehoboam forsook the counsel of the old 3273

5484. MISUSE of Privilege. *Nadab and Abihu.* ¹ Took either of them his censer, and

put fire therein, and put incense thereon, and offered strange fire before the Lord. . . And there went out fire from the Lord, and devoured them.—*LEV.*, ch. 10.

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CRUELTY.

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Failure. More they afflicted them. . . grew 1859
Insulting. Purple. . . crown of thorns. . . Hall ! 1860
Pride. Mordecai bowed not. . . H. full of wrath 1861
Reward. Troubleth his own flesh 1862
Savage. Slew the sons. . . before his eyes 1863
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Forgiveness. Father, forgive them, they know not 4498
Insulting. Samson's wife was given to his. . . friend 4496
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INSULT.

Ignored. Belial said, How shall this man save us 4567
Jesus. Thrust him out of the city. . . cast him 4568
Reward. Hanun shaved off one half their beards 4569
Stinging. Ananias commanded them to smite 4570

INSULTS.

Cruel. Mocked Jesus. . . blindfolded, and struck 4576
Contemptuous. They that are younger have me in 4572
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5485. MISUNDERSTANDINGS of Christians.
Primitive. . . When the number of the disciples was multiplied, there arose a murmuring of the Grecians against the Hebrews, because their widows were neglected in the daily ministration.—*ACTS*, ch. 6.

See IGNORANCE, MISTAKE, and references.

5486. MIXING, An unwise. *New with Old.*
" No man putteth new wine into old bottles ; else the new wine will burst the bottles, and be spilled, and the bottles shall perish. " But new wine must be put into new bottles ; and both are preserved.—*LUKE*, ch. 5.

See SEPARATION and references.

5487. MOB of Bigots. "*Jew.*" [See No. 5492.]

5488. — Disturbance from a. *At Thessalonica.* . . Jews which believed not, moved with envy, took unto them certain lewd fellows of the baser sort, and gathered a company, and set all the city on an uproar, and assaulted the house of Jason, and sought to bring them out to the people.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

5489. — A murderous. *At Jerusalem.*
" All the city was moved, and the people ran together : and they took Paul, and drew him out of the temple : and forthwith the doors were shut. " And as they went about to kill him, tidings came unto the chief captain, that all Jerusalem was in an uproar.—*ACTS*, ch. 21.

5490. — A tumultuous. *At Jerusalem.*
" They saw the chief captain and the soldiers, they left beating of Paul. " Then the chief captain. . . commanded him to be bound with two chains ; and demanded who he was, and what he had done. " And some cried one thing, some another.—*ACTS*, ch. 21.

5491. — Trial by a. *Stephen.* " When they heard these things, they were cut to the heart, and they gnashed on him with their teeth. " Then they cried out with a loud voice, and stopped their ears, and ran upon him with one accord, " And cast him out of the city, and stoned him.—*ACTS*, ch. 7.

5492. — Workmen's. *Ephesian.* " With the workmen of like occupation, and said, Sirs, ye know that by this craft we have our wealth. " . . not alone at Ephesus, but almost throughout all Asia, this Paul hath persuaded and turned away much people, saying that they be no gods, which are made with hands. " But when they knew that he was a Jew, all with one voice about the space of two hours cried out, Great is Diana of the Ephesians.—*ACTS*, ch. 19.

5493. MOCKERS of Truth. *Athenians.*
" When they heard of the resurrection of the dead, some mocked.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

5494. MOCKERY, Blasphemous. *Soldiers.*
" When they had platted a crown of thorns, they put it upon his head, and a reed in his right hand : and they bowed the knee before him, and mocked him, saying, Hail, King of the Jews !—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

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Horrible. Put on him a scarlet robe. . . crown 2197
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SCOFFERS.

Malicious. Spit in his face and buffeted 7614
" Mocked him. . . a gorgeous robe 7615

SCORN.

of Pride. [Haman] Scorn to lay hands on Mordecai 7618
Public. All clap their hands at thee and hiss 7619
Taunt. Who made thee a prince and a judge over 8562
Unbelief. She sleepeth. . . they laughed him to scorn 7620

5495. MODERATION in Pleasure. *Proverb.*
" Hast thou found honey ? eat so much as is sufficient for thee, lest thou be filled therewith, and vomit it. " Withdraw thy foot from thy neighbour's house ; lest he be weary of thee, and so hate thee.—*PROV.*, ch. 25.

5496. — Safety in. *Little by Little.* " The Lord thy God will put out those nations before thee by little and little : thou mayest not consume them at once, lest the beasts of the field increase upon thee.—*DEUT.*, ch. 7.

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Commended. Lord commended the unjust steward 6775
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Preserved. Lest angry fellows..lose thy life 6777
 Joseph hearkened not..or to be with 6778
Resolutions. Not able to finish..mock him 6779
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5497. MODESTY endangered. *Saul.* ⁹ Saul, a choice young man, and a goodly : and there was not among the children of Israel a goodlier person than he : from his shoulders and upward he was higher than any of the people.—1 SAM., ch. 9.

5498. — enjoined. *At a Wedding Feast.* ⁸ Sit not down in the highest room ; lest a more honourable man than thou be bidden of him ; ⁹ And he that bade thee and him come and say to thee, Give this man place ; and thou begin with shame to take the lowest room.—LUKE, ch. 14.

5499. — Ministerial. *John.* ¹³ Then cometh Jesus from Galilee to Jordan unto John, to be baptized of him. ¹⁴ But John forbade him, saying, I have need to be baptized of thee, and comest thou to me?—MAT., ch. 3.

5500. — preserved. *Saul.* [See No. 5497.] ²⁰ On whom is all the desire of Israel? *Is it not on thee..?* ²¹ Saul answered, Am not I a Benjamite, of the smallest of the tribes of Israel? and my family the least of all the families of the tribe of Benjamin? wherefore then speakest thou so to me?—1 SAM., ch. 9.

5501. — Punished for. *Vashti.* [See No. 5202.] ¹⁹ If it please the king, let there go a royal commandment from him..That Vashti come no more before king Ahasuerus ; and let the king give her royal estate unto another that is better than she.—ESTHER, ch. 1.

5502. — Womanly. *Vashti.* ¹⁰ The king commanded, ¹¹ To bring Vashti the queen before the king with the crown royal, to shew the people and the princes her beauty : for she was fair to look on. ¹² But the queen Vashti refused to come.—ESTHER, ch. 1.

See **HUMILITY** and references.

5503. MONEY, Alarm at. *Joseph's Brethren.* ²¹ As one of them opened his sack to give his ass provender in the inn, he espied his money.. ²² And he said unto his brethren, My money is restored, and lo, it is even in my sack : and their heart failed them, and they were afraid, saying one to another, What is this that God hath done unto us?—GEN., ch. 42.

5504. — Abominable. *Joseph's Brethren.* ²⁶ There passed by Midianites merchantmen ; and they drew Joseph out of the pit, and sold Joseph to the Ishmaelites for twenty pieces of silver : and they brought Joseph into Egypt.—GEN., ch. 37.

5505. — Accountability for. *Parable.* ¹⁵ When he was returned, he commanded these servants to be called, to whom he had given the money, that he might know how much every man had gained by trading. ¹⁶ Then came the first, saying, Lord, thy pound hath gained ten pounds.—LUKE, ch. 19.

5506. — Bribe. *Judges.* ¹ When Samuel was

old, he made his sons judges over Israel. ² And his sons walked not in his ways, but turned aside after lucre, and took bribes, and perverted judgment.—1 SAM., ch. 8.

5507. — Blood. *Judas.* ³ Repented himself, and brought again the thirty pieces of silver to the chief priests and elders, ⁴ Saying, I have sinned in that I have betrayed the innocent blood. And they said, What is that to us? see thou to that. ⁵ And he cast down the pieces of silver.—MAT., ch. 27.

5508. — Best Use of. *Parable.* ⁸ The Lord commended the unjust steward, because he had done wisely.. ⁹ And I say unto you, Make to yourselves friends of the mammon of unrighteousness ; that, when ye fail, they may receive you into everlasting habitations.—LUKE, ch. 16.

5509. — Box for. *“ Beside the Altar.”* ⁹ Jehoiada the priest took a chest, and bored a hole in the lid of it, and set it beside the altar, on the right side as one cometh into the house of the Lord : and the priests that kept the door put therein all the money that was brought.—2 KINGS, ch. 12.

5510. — buys Place. *Proverb.* ¹⁶ A man's gift maketh room for him, and bringeth him before great men.—PROV., ch. 18.

5511. — buys Friends. *Unjust Steward.* ⁴ When I am put out of the stewardship, they may receive me into their houses. ⁵ So he called every one of his lord's debtors, and said unto the first, How much owest thou unto my lord? ⁶ And he said, A hundred measures of oil. And he said, Take thy bill, and sit down quickly, and write fifty.—LUKE, ch. 16.

5512. — buys Men. *The Jews.* ¹² Gave large money unto the soldiers, ¹³ Saying, Say ye, His disciples came by night, and stole him away while we slept.—MAT., ch. 28.

5513. — Better than. *Blood of Christ.* ¹⁸ Ye know that ye were not redeemed with corruptible things, as silver and gold.. ¹⁹ But with the precious blood of Christ.—1 PETER, ch. 1.

5514. — with a Curse. *Gehazi said,* ²² My master hath sent me, saying, there be come to me, two young men of the sons of the prophets : give them, I pray thee, a talent of silver, and two changes of garments. ²³ And Naaman said, take two talents.. ²⁴ The leprosy therefore of Naaman shall cleave unto thee, and unto thy seed for ever. And he went out..a leper as white as snow.—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

5515. — Cursed by. *Chaldeans.* ⁶ Woe to him that increaseth that which is not his! how long? and to him that ladeth himself with thick clay! ⁷ Shall they not rise up suddenly that shall bite thee, and awake that shall vex thee?—HAB., ch. 2.

5516. — Corrupted by. *Priests.* ¹⁰ They build up Zion with blood, and Jerusalem with iniquity. ¹¹ The heads thereof judge for reward, and the priests thereof teach for hire, and the prophets thereof divine for money : yet will they lean upon the Lord, and say, Is not the Lord among us? none evil can come upon us.—MICAH, ch. 3.

5517. — Ministers. ¹⁰ There are many unruly and vain talkers and deceivers, specially they of the circumcision : ¹¹ who

subvert whole houses, teaching things which they ought not, for filthy lucre's sake.—*TRUS*, ch. 1.

5518. — *Choice of. Young Ruler.* ¹¹ Jesus loved him, and said. One thing thou lackest: go thy way, sell whatsoever thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven: and come, take up the cross, and follow me. ¹² And he went away grieved: for he had great possessions.—*MAR*, ch. 10.

5519. — *declined. Naaman.* ¹⁵ Behold, now I know that there is no God in all the earth, but in Israel: now therefore take a blessing of thy servant. ¹⁶ But he said, As the Lord liveth, before whom I stand, I will receive none. And he urged him to take it; but he refused.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 5.

5520. — *disregarded. Amaziah.* ⁶ Hired men of valour out of Israel. ⁷ But there came a man of God to him, saying, O king, let not the army of Israel go with thee; for the Lord is not with Israel. ⁸ Amaziah said. But what shall we do for the hundred talents which I have given to the army of Israel? And the man of God answered, The Lord is able to give thee much more than this.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 25.

5521. — *devoted. Primitive Church.* ²² Jesus, surnamed Barnabas, (which is, being interpreted, The son of consolation,) a Levite. ²³ Having land, sold it, and brought the money, and laid it at the apostles' feet.—*ACTS*, ch. 4.

5522. — *Eagerness for. "Snare."* ⁹ They that will be rich fall into temptation and a snare, and into many foolish and hurtful lusts, which drown men in destruction and perdition.—*1 TIM.*, ch. 6.

5523. — *Evil of. Root.* ¹⁰ The love of money is the root of all evil: which while some coveted after, they have erred from the faith, and pierced themselves through with many sorrows.—*1 TIM.*, ch. 6.

5524. — *for a Grave. About \$225.* ⁴ I am a stranger. give me a possession of a burying-place with you, that I may bury my dead out of my sight. ¹⁶ and Abraham weighed to Ephron four hundred shekels of silver, current money.—*GEN.*, ch. 23.

5525. — *Greed for. Judas.* ¹⁴ One of the twelve, called Judas Iscariot, went unto the chief priests, ¹⁵ And said. What will ye give me, and I will deliver him unto you? And they covenanted with him for thirty pieces of silver.—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

5526. — *freely given. Repairs.* ⁴ All the money that cometh into any man's heart to bring into the house of the Lord, ⁵ Let the priests take it to them, every man of his acquaintance: and let them repair the breaches of the house.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 12.

5527. — *Independence of. To King of Sodom.* ²³ I will not take from a thread even to a shoelatchet. lest thou shouldest say, I have made Abram rich: ²⁴ Save only that which the young men have eaten, and the portion of the men which went with me.—*GEN.*, ch. 14.

5528. — *Influence of. Partiality.* ³ If there come unto your assembly a man with a gold ring, in goodly apparel, and there come in

also a poor man in vile raiment; ² And ye have respect to him that weareth the gay clothing, and say. Sit thou here in a good place; and say to the poor, Stand thou there, or sit here under my footstool: ⁴ Are ye not then partial?—*JAMES*, ch. 2.

5529. — *Intrusion of. His first Visit.* ¹⁴ Found in the temple those that sold oxen and sheep and doves, and the changers of money sitting: ¹⁵ And when he had made a scourge of small cords, he drove them all out, and poured out the changers' money, and overthrew the tables.—*JOHN*, ch. 2.

5530. — *Lost with. Dives.* ¹⁹ There was a certain rich man, which was clothed in purple and fine linen, and fared sumptuously every day: ²² the rich man also died, and was buried; ²³ And in hell he lifted up his eyes, being in torments.—*LUKE*, ch. 16.

5531. — *Misery from. Judas.* ¹⁸ Purchased a field with the reward of iniquity; and falling headlong, he burst asunder in the midst, and all his bowels gushed out.—*ACTS*, ch. 1.

5532. — *Monopoly of. Famine.* ¹⁴ Joseph gathered up all the money that was found in the land of Egypt, and. Canaan, for the corn which they bought: and Joseph brought the money into Pharaoh's house.—*GEN.*, ch. 47.

5533. — *the Motive. At Ephesus.* ¹⁸ Paul said to the spirit, I command thee in the name of Jesus Christ to come out of her. And he came out. ¹⁹ And when her masters saw that the hope of their gains was gone, they caught Paul and Silas, and drew them into the marketplace unto the rulers.—*ACTS*, ch. 16.

5534. — — — *"Diana."* [See No. 5558.]

5535. — *Pride with. Hezekiah.* [See No. 5544.]

5536. — *powerless. Balaam.* ¹⁸ Thus saith Balak. Let nothing, I pray thee, hinder thee from coming unto me: ¹⁷ For I will promote thee. I pray thee, curse me this people. ¹⁸ And Balaam answered. If Balak would give me his house full of silver and gold, I cannot go beyond the word of the Lord my God, to do less or more.—*NUM.*, ch. 22.

5537. — *Payment in. Naaman.* ⁶ The king of Syria said, Go. I will send a letter unto the king of Israel. And he took with him ten talents of silver, and six thousand pieces of gold, and ten changes of raiment.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 5.

5538. — *Perishing with. Simon.* [See No. 5548.] ²⁰ Peter said. Thy money perish with thee, because thou hast thought that the gift of God may be purchased with money. ²¹ Thou hast neither part nor lot in this matter: for thy heart is not right in the sight of God.—*ACTS*, ch. 8.

5539. — *Pressure for. Tribute.* [See No. 5554.] ¹⁵ Hezekiah gave him all the silver that was found in the house of the Lord, and in the treasures of the king's house. ¹⁶ Hezekiah cut off the gold from the doors of the temple, and from the pillars which Hezekiah had overlaid, and gave it to the king of Assyria.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 18.

5540. — *Revenue of. Solomon's.* ¹⁴ The weight of gold that came to Solomon in one year was six hundred threescore and six talents of

gold, ¹⁸ Besides that he had of the merchantmen, and of the traffick of the spice merchants, and of all the kings of Arabia, and of the governors of the country.—1 KINGS, ch. 10.

5541. — Return for. Paid. [See No. 5520.]

5542. — returned. "Found." ²¹ When we came to the inn... we opened our sacks, and, behold, every man's money was in the mouth of his sack... and we have brought it again in our hand.—GEN., ch. 43.

5543. — Reintrusion of. His last Visit. ¹² Cast out all them that sold and bought in the temple, and overthrew the tables of the money changers, and the seats of them that sold doves, ¹³ And said... It is written, My house shall be called the house of prayer; but ye have made it a den of thieves.—MAT., ch. 21.

5544. — a Snare. Hezekiah. ¹⁹ Berodach-baladan... king of Babylon, sent letters and a present unto Hezekiah... [who] had been sick. ¹⁵ And Hezekiah... shewed them all the house of his precious things, the silver, and the gold, and the spices, and the precious ointment, and all the house of his armour, and all that was found in his treasures... ¹⁷ Behold, the days come, that all... shall be carried unto Babylon.—2 KINGS, ch. 20.

5545. — Sacrifice of. Ephesus. ¹⁹ Many of them also which used curious arts brought their books together, and burned them before all men: and they counted the price of them, and found it fifty thousand pieces of silver.—ACTS, ch. 19.

5546. — Sinning for. Balaam. ¹⁶ Balaam... loved the wages of unrighteousness; ¹⁸ But was rebuked for his iniquity: the dumb ass speaking with man's voice forbade the madness of the prophet.—2 PETER, ch. 2.

5547. — Sold for. Samson. ⁸ The lords of the Philistines... said unto her, Entice him, and see wherein his great strength lieth, and by what means we may prevail against him, that we may bind him to afflict him: and we will give thee every one of us eleven hundred pieces of silver.—JUDGES, ch. 16.

5548. — for Simony. Simon Magus. ¹⁸ When Simon saw that through laying on of the apostles' hands the Holy Ghost was given, he offered them money, ¹⁹ Saying, Give me also this power, that on whomsoever I lay hands, he may receive the Holy Ghost.—ACTS, ch. 8.

5549. — scrutinized. In Temple. ⁴¹ Jesus sat over against the treasury, and beheld how the people cast money into the treasury: and many that were rich cast in much. ⁴⁸ And there came a certain poor widow, and she threw in two mites.—MARK, ch. 12. [His last visit.]

5550. — Life saved by. Ten Men. ⁸ Ten men were found among them that said unto Ishmael, Slay us not: for we have treasures in the field, of wheat, and of barley, and of oil, and of honey. So he forbore.—JER., ch. 41.

5551. — Seeking for. Lost Coin. ⁸ What woman having ten pieces of silver, if she lose one piece, doth not light a candle, and sweep the house, and seek diligently till she find it? —LUKE, ch. 15.

5552. — Tainted. Judas'. ⁸ The chief priests took the silver pieces, and said, It is not lawful for to put them into the treasury, because

it is the price of blood. ¹ And they took counsel, and bought with them the potter's field, to bury strangers.—MAT., ch. 27.

5553. — thrown away. Judas. ⁵ He cast down the pieces of silver in the temple... and went and hanged himself.—MAT., ch. 27.

5554. — Heavy Tribute. \$1,755,000. ¹⁴ Hezekiah king of Judah sent to the king of Assyria to Lachish, saying, I have offended; return from me: that which thou puttest on me will I bear. And the king of Assyria appointed... three hundred talents of silver and thirty talents of gold.—2 KINGS, ch. 18.

5555. — Uninfluenced by. Simon. [See No. 5548.]

5556. — Weakness of. Judas. [See No. 5553.]

5557. — Waiting for. Bribe. ⁸ He hoped also that money should have been given him of Paul, that he might loose him: wherefore he sent for him the oftener, and communed with him. ²¹ But after two years Porcius Festus came into Felix' room.—ACTS, ch. 24.

5558. MONEY-POWER aroused. Silversmiths. ²¹ Not only this our craft is in danger to be set at nought; but also that the temple of the great goddess Diana should be despised, and her magnificence should be destroyed, whom all Asia and the world worshippeth. ²⁸... they were full of wrath, and cried out, saying, Great is Diana of the Ephesians.—ACTS, ch. 19.

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²⁰ But all the Israelites went down to the Philistines, to sharpen every man his share, and his coultar, and his axe, and his mattock.—1 SAM., ch. 13.

5560. MONUMENT, The first. *Grave.* ²⁰ Jacob set a pillar upon her grave: that is the pillar of Rachel's grave unto this day.—GEN., ch. 35.

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5561. MORALITY, Complete. *Young Ruler.*

¹⁹ Thou knowest the commandments, Do not commit adultery, Do not kill, Do not steal, Do not bear false witness, Defraud not, Honour thy father and mother. ²⁰ And he answered.. all these have I observed from my youth. ²¹ Then Jesus.. said.. One thing thou lackest.—MARK, ch. 10.

5562. — False Zeal for. *Adulterers.* ¹ When they continued asking him, he.. said.. He that is without sin among you, let him first cast a stone at her. ² And they.. being convicted by their own conscience, went out one by one, beginning at the eldest, even unto the last: and Jesus was left alone, and the woman.—JOHN, ch. 8.

5563. — insufficient. *Negative.* ¹¹ The Pharisee stood and prayed thus with himself, God, I thank thee, that I am not as other men are, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this publican.—LUKE, ch. 18.

5564. — indispensable. "Do Well." ¹⁵ Ye make many prayers, I will not hear: your hands are full of blood. ¹⁶ Wash ye, make you clean; put away the evil of your doings from before mine eyes; cease to do evil; ¹⁷ Learn to do well; seek judgment, relieve the oppressed, judge the fatherless, plead for the widow.—ISA., ch. 1.

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5566. MORTALITY of Man. "Grass." ²⁴ For all flesh is as grass, and all the glory of man as the flower of grass. The grass withereth, and the flower thereof falleth away.—1 PETER, ch. 1.

5567. — remembered. *Eighty Years Old.* ²⁴ Barzillai said.. How long have I to live, that I should go up with the king unto Jerusalem? ²⁵ I am this day fourscore years old: and can I discern between good and evil? can thy servant taste what I eat or what I drink? can I hear any more?—2 SAM., ch. 19.

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5568. MORTIFICATION of Pride. *Fatal.*

²³ When Ahithophel saw that his counsel was not followed, he saddled his ass.. and gat him home.. and put his household in order, and hanged himself.—2 SAM., ch. 16.

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5569. MORTGAGES, Irredeemable. *Jews.* ² We have mortgaged our lands, vineyards, and houses, that we might buy corn, because of the dearth. ³.. and, lo.. some of our daughters are brought into bondage already: neither is it in our power to redeem them.—NEH., ch. 5.

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5570. MOTHER, An ambitious. *"Right Hand."* ²¹ Grant that these my two sons may sit, the one on thy right hand, and the other on the left, in thy kingdom. ²² But Jesus answered. . . Ye know not what ye ask.—*MAT.*, ch. 20.

5571. — An anxious. *Rebekah.* ⁴⁶ Rebekah said to Isaac, I am weary of my life because of the daughters of Heth : if Jacob take a wife . . . such as these *which are* of the daughters of the land, what good shall my life do me?—*GEN.*, ch. 27.

5572. — Brutalised. *Siege of Samaria.* ²⁹ So we boiled my son, and did eat him : and I said unto her on the next day, Give thy son, that we may eat him : and she hath hid her son.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 6.

5573. — A cruel. *Athaliah.* ¹ Athaliah the mother of Ahaziah saw that her son was dead, she arose and destroyed all the seed royal.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 11. [She became queen.]

5574. — Careful. *Samuel's.* ¹⁸ Samuel ministered before the Lord, *being* a child. . . ¹⁹ his mother made him a little coat, and brought it to him from year to year, when she came up with her husband, to offer the yearly sacrifice.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 2.

5575. — Care for. *Jesus crucified.* ²⁶ When Jesus therefore saw his mother, and the disciple standing by, whom he loved, he saith unto his mother, Woman, behold thy son ! ²⁷ Then saith he to the disciple, Behold thy mother ! And from that hour that disciple took her unto his own home.—*JOHN*, ch. 19.

5576. — Distress of a. *Hagar.* ¹⁵ She cast the child under one of the shrubs. ¹⁶ . . . and sat her down over against him a good way off . . . for she said, Let me not see the death of the child. And she . . . lifted up her voice, and wept.—*GEN.*, ch. 21.

5577. — An ingenious. *Moses'.* ³ When she could not longer hide him, she took for him an ark of bulrushes, and daubed it with slime and with pitch, and put the child therein ; and she laid it in the flags by the river's brink.—*EX.*, ch. 2.

5578. — in Israel, A. *At Abel.* ¹⁹ I am one of them that are peaceable and faithful in Israel : thou seekest to destroy a city and a mother in Israel. . . ²¹ . . . Sheba . . . hath lifted up his hand against the king, even against David : deliver him only, and I will depart from the city. And the woman said unto Joab, Behold, his head shall be thrown to thee over the wall.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 20.

5579. — A revengeful. *Herodias.* ²⁴ She went forth, and said unto her mother, What shall I ask ? And she said, The head of John the Baptist.—*MARK*, ch. 6.

5580. — Robbery of a. *By Micah.* ³ He said unto his mother, The eleven hundred *shekels* of silver that were taken from thee, about which thou cursedst, and spakest of also in mine ears. . . I took it.—*JUDGES*, ch. 17.

5581. — The true. *Solomon.* ²⁵ The king said, Divide the living child in two, and give half to the one, and half to the other. ²⁶ Then spake the woman whose the living child *was* . . . O my lord, give her the living child, and in no wise slay it. But the other said, Let it be nei-

ther mine nor thine, *but* divide it.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 3.

5582. — A wicked. *Rebekah.* ¹⁸ Rebekah took goodly raiment of her eldest son Esau . . . and put then upon Jacob her younger son : ¹⁶ And she put the skins of the kids of the goats upon his hands, and upon the smooth of his neck.—*GEN.*, ch. 27.

5583. — — Reproved. [By Asa.] ¹³ Maachah his mother, even her he removed from *being* queen, because she had made an idol in a grove.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 15.

5584. MOTHER IN LAW, A beloved. *Naomi.* ¹⁶ And Ruth said, Entreat me not to leave thee . . . for whither thou goest, I will go ; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge : thy people *shall be* my people, and thy God my God : ¹⁷ Where thou diest, will I die, and there will I be buried : the Lord do so to me, and more also, *if aught* but death part thee and me.—*RUTH*, ch. 1.

5585. — A tender. *Naomi.* ¹ On the way to return unto the land of Judah. . . ² . . . Naomi said unto her two daughters in law, Go, return each to her mother's house : the Lord deal kindly with you, as ye have dealt with the dead, and with me. ¹⁴ And they lifted up their voice, and wept again.—*RUTH*, ch. 1.

5586. — A vexed. *Rebekah.* ²⁴ Esau was forty years old when he took to wife Judith . . . the Hittite, and Bashemath . . . the Hittite : ²⁵ Which were a grief of mind unto Isaac and to Rebekah.—*GEN.*, ch. 26.

5587. MOTIVE to Labour. *Paul.* ⁹ Wherefore we labour, that, whether present or absent, we may be accepted of him.—*2 COR.*, ch. 5.

5588. — Unsanctified. *Excuse.* ³ Smite Amalek, and utterly destroy all that they have. . . ¹⁵ And Saul said. . . the people spared the best of the sheep and of the oxen, to sacrifice unto the Lord. . . ²⁹ And Samuel said, Hath the Lord *as great* delight in burnt offerings and sacrifices, as in obeying the voice of the Lord ? Behold, to obey is better than sacrifice, *and* to hearken than the fat of rams.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 15.

5589. MOTIVES, Inferior. *"Did eat."* ²⁵ Jesus answered. . . Ye seek me, not because ye saw the miracles, but because ye did eat of the loaves, and were filled.—*JOHN*, ch. 6.

5590. — suspected. *Elisha's.* ¹⁶ They said . . . Behold now . . . fifty strong men ; let them go, we pray thee, and seek thy master : lest peradventure the Spirit of the Lord hath taken him up, and cast him upon some mountain, or into some valley. And he said, Ye shall not send. ¹⁷ And when they urged him till he was ashamed, he said, Send.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 2. [The successor to Elijah.]

5591. — Worldly. *Rebuke.* ²² Peter . . . began to rebuke him, saying, Be it far from thee, Lord : this shall not be unto thee. ²³ But he turned, and said unto Peter, Get thee behind me, Satan : thou art an offence unto me : for thou savourest not the things that be of God, but those that be of men.—*MAT.*, ch. 16.

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5592. MOUNTAIN of Deliverance. *Lot.* ¹⁷ Escape for thy life : look not behind thee, neither stay thou in all the plain ; escape to the mountain, lest thou be consumed.—*GEN.*, ch. 19.

5593. — on Fire. *Sinai.* ¹⁸ Mount Sinai was altogether on a smoke, because the Lord descended upon it in fire : and the smoke thereof ascended as the smoke of a furnace, and the whole mount quaked greatly.—*Ex.*, ch. 19.

5594. — Temptation in the. *Jesus.* ⁶ The devil taketh him up into an exceeding high mountain, and sheweth him all the kingdoms of the world, and the glory of them ; ⁹ And saith . . . All these things will I give thee, if thou wilt fall down and worship me.—*Mat.*, ch. 4.

5595. — View from. *Nebo.* ¹ Moses went up from the plains of Moab unto the mountain of Nebo, to the top of Pisgah, that is over against Jericho : and the Lord shewed him all the land.—*Deut.*, ch. 34.

5596. — of Vision. *Transfiguration.* ¹ Jesus taketh Peter, James, and John his brother, and bringeth them up into a high mountain apart, ² And was transfigured before them : and his face did shine as the sun, and his raiment was white as the light. ³ And, behold . . . Moses and Elias talking with him.—*Mat.*, ch. 17.

5597. MOUNTAINS, Emblematic. *Providence.* ¹ They that trust in the Lord shall be as mount Zion, which cannot be removed, but abideth for ever. ² As the mountains are round about Jerusalem, so the Lord is round about his people from henceforth even for ever.—*Psa.* 125.

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5598. MOURNERS, Comfort for. *"Asleep."* ¹³ I would not have you to be ignorant, brethren, concerning them which are asleep, that ye sorrow not, even as others which have no hope. ¹⁴ . . . them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with him.—*1 Thess.*, ch. 4.

5599. — delighted. *At Emmaus.* ³⁰ As he sat at meat with them, he took bread, and blessed it, and brake, and gave to them. ³¹ And their eyes were opened, and they knew him ; and he vanished.—*Luke*, ch. 24.

5600. — Good News for. *Resurrection.* ⁹ When Jesus was risen . . . he appeared first to Mary Magdalene, out of whom he had cast seven devils. ¹⁰ And she went and told them that had been with him, as they mourned and wept.—*Mark*, ch. 16.

5601. — Genuine. *For Dorcas.* ³⁸ Peter arose and . . . they brought him into the upper chamber : and all the widows stood by him weeping, and shewing the coats and garments which Dorcas made, while she was with them.—*Acts*, ch. 9.

5602. — Weeping of. *Captives.* ¹ By the rivers of Babylon, there we sat down, yea, we wept, when we remembered Zion. ² We hanged our harps upon the willows in the midst thereof.—*Psa.* 137.

5603. MOURNING, Abstinence in. *Abner assassinated.* [See No. 5611.] ²⁴ All the people wept again over him. ²⁵ And when all the people came to cause David to eat meat while it was yet day, David sware, saying, So do God to me, and more also, if I taste bread, or ought else, till the sun be down.—*2 Sam.*, ch. 3.

5604. — in Bereavement. *David.* ²⁶ I am distressed for thee, my brother Jonathan : very pleasant hast thou been unto me : thy love to

me was wonderful, passing the love of women. ²⁷ How are the mighty fallen.—*2 Sam.*, ch. 1.

5605. — beneficial. *Proverb.* ² It is better to go to the house of mourning, than to go to the house of feasting : for that is the end of all men ; and the living will lay it to his heart. ³ Sorrow is better than laughter.—*Ecc.*, ch. 7.

5606. — feigned. *"A wise Woman."* ² Joab . . . said unto her, I pray thee, feign thyself to be a mourner, and put on now mourning apparel, and anoint not thyself with oil, but be as a woman that had a long time mourned for the dead : ³ And come to the king.—*2 Sam.*, ch. 14.

5607. — Intense. *Escaping from Absalom.* ³⁰ David went up by the ascent of mount Olivet, and wept as he went up, and had his head covered, and he went barefoot : and all the people that was with him covered every man his head, and they went up, weeping as they went up.—*2 Sam.*, ch. 15.

5608. — Joy for. *At Nain.* ¹⁴ He came and touched the bier. . . And he said, Young man, I say unto thee, Arise. ¹⁵ And he that was dead sat up, and began to speak. And he delivered him to his mother.—*Luke*, ch. 7.

5609. — at the Last. *Solomon.* ¹¹ Thou mourn at the last, when thy flesh and thy body are consumed, ¹² And say, How have I hated instruction, and my heart despised reproof ; ¹³ And have not obeyed the voice of my teachers.—*Prov.*, ch. 5.

5610. — Time of. *For Jacob.* ⁹ There went up with him both chariots and horsemen : and it was a very great company. ¹⁰ And they came to the threshingfloor of Atad, which is beyond Jordan, and there they mourned with a great and very sore lamentation. . . ¹¹ And when . . . the Canaanites . . . they said, This is a grievous mourning to the Egyptians.—*Gen.*, ch. 50.

5611. — The Wicked bring. *Joab the Assassin.* ²³ The king lifted up his voice, and wept at the grave of Abner ; and all the people wept. ²⁵ And the king lamented over Abner, and said, Died Abner as a fool dieth ?—*2 Sam.*, ch. 3.

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5613. MULTITUDE, Following the. *The Spy.* ¹¹ Why wentest thou not with thy friend? ¹² And Hushai said unto Absalom, Nay; but whom the Lord, and this people, and all the men of Israel, choose, his will I be, and with him will I abide.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 16.

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5616. ——— At Nazareth. ²⁰ All they in the synagogue, when they heard these things, were filled with wrath. ²¹ And rose up, and thrust him out of the city, and led him unto the brow of the hill whereon their city was built, that they might cast him down headlong. ²² But he, passing through the midst of them, went his way.—*LUKE*, ch. 4.

5617. ——— Of Paul. ²² The Jews took counsel to kill him: ²⁴ But their laying wait was known of Saul. And they watched the gates day and night to kill him. Then the disciples took him by night, and let him down by the wall in a basket.—*ACTS*, ch. 9.

5618. ——— Of Paul. ²¹ As they went about to kill him, tidings came unto the chief captain of the band, that all Jerusalem was in an uproar: ²² Who immediately took soldiers and centurions, and ran down unto them.—*ACTS*, ch. 21.

5619. ——— An atrocious. *Of Ishbosheth.* ⁵ Rechab and Baanah...came about the heat of the day to the house of Ishbosheth, who lay on

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5620. — avenged. *Of Ishbosheth.* ⁸ They brought the head of Ishbosheth unto David... and said, Behold the head of... the son of Saul thy enemy... ¹¹ How much more, when wicked men have slain a righteous person in his own house upon his bed? shall I not therefore now require his blood of your hand, and take you away from the earth?—2 SAM., ch. 4.

5621. — of Children. *Ahab's.* ⁸ He that was over the city, the elders also, and the bringers up of the children, sent to Jehu, saying, We are thy servants, and will do all that thou shalt bid us... ¹...when the letter came to them... they took the king's sons, and slew seventy persons, and put their heads in baskets, and sent him them to Jezreel.—2 KINGS, ch. 10.

5622. — by Conspirators. *Of Amnon.* ²⁸ When Amnon's heart is merry with wine, and when I say unto you, Smite Amnon; then kill him, fear not: have not I commanded you? be courageous, and be valiant. ²⁹ And the servants of Absalom did.—2 SAM., ch. 13.

5623. — Desire to. *John Baptist.* ¹⁹ Herodias had a quarrel against him, and would have killed him; but she could not.—MARK, ch. 6.

5624. — Escape from. *David's.* ¹¹ Saul also sent messengers unto David's house, to watch him, and to slay him in the morning: and Michal David's wife told him, saying, If thou save not thy life to night, to morrow thou shalt be slain. ¹² So Michal let David down through a window: and he... escaped.—1 SAM., ch. 19.

5625. — Excuse for. *Crucifixion.* ⁶ Pilate saith, Take ye him, and crucify him: for I find no fault in him. ⁷ The Jews answered him, We have a law, and by our law he ought to die, because he made himself the Son of God.—JOHN, ch. 19.

5626. — Patricidal. *Abel.* ⁸ Cain talked with Abel his brother: and... when they were in the field... Cain rose up against Abel his brother, and slew him.—GEN., ch. 4.

5627. — for Gain. *Parable.* ²⁸ The husbandmen... said among themselves, This is the heir; come, let us kill him, and let us seize on his inheritance. ²⁹ And they caught him, and cast him out of the vineyard, and slew him.—MAT., ch. 21.

5628. — for Healing. *Jews.* ¹⁵ The man... told the Jews that it was Jesus, which had made him whole. ¹⁶ And therefore did the Jews persecute Jesus, and sought to slay him, because he had done these things on the sabbath day.—JOHN, ch. 5.

5629. — intended. *Of David.* ²⁵ Saul said, Thus shall ye say to David, The king desireth not any dowry, but a hundred foreskins of the Philistines, to be avenged of the king's enemies. But Saul thought to make David fall by the hand of the Philistines.—1 SAM., ch. 18.

5630. — — Of Jesus. ¹⁶ Herod, when he saw that he was mocked of the wise men, was exceeding wroth, and sent forth, and slew all the children that were in Bethlehem, and in all the coasts thereof, from two years old and under.—MAT., ch. 2.

5631. — Indirect. *Of Uriah.* ¹⁴ David wrote a letter to Joab, and sent it by the hand of Uriah. ¹⁵...saying, Set ye Uriah in the forefront of the hottest battle, and retire ye from him, that he may be smitten, and die.—2 SAM., ch. 11.

5632. — proposed. *Of Jacob.* ⁴¹ Esau hated Jacob because of the blessing wherewith his father blessed him: and Esau said in his heart, The days of mourning for my father are at hand; then will I slay my brother Jacob.—GEN., ch. 27.

5633. — Responsibility for. *Indirect.* [Stephen said,] ²² Which of the prophets have not your fathers persecuted? and they have slain them which shewed before of the coming of the Just One; of whom ye have been now the betrayers and murderers.—ACTS, ch. 7.

5634. — by Suffocation. *Hazael.* ¹⁶ He took a thick cloth, and dipped it in water, and spread it on his face, so that he died: and Hazael reigned in his stead.—2 KINGS, ch. 8.

5635. — by Stoning. *Stephen.* ²¹ Then they cried out with a loud voice, and stopped their ears, and ran upon him with one accord, ²² And cast him out of the city, and stoned him.—ACTS, ch. 7.

5636. MURDERER chosen by Murderers. *Barabbas.* ¹⁸ They cried out all at once, saying, Away with this man, and release unto us Barabbas: ¹⁹ (Who, for a certain sedition made in the city, and for murder, was cast into prison.)—LUKE, ch. 23.

5637. MURDERERS, Children of. *Amasiah.* ⁶ He slew his servants which had slain the king his father. ⁸ But the children of the murderers he slew not: according unto that which is written in the book of the law of Moses... saying, The fathers shall not be put to death for the children, nor the children be put to death for the fathers.—2 KINGS, ch. 14.

5638. MURDERER, The unknown. *The Law.* [See Deut. 21: 1-8.]

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5639. MURMURING from Disappointment. *At Zin.* ¹Wherefore have ye made us to come up out of Egypt, to bring us in unto this evil place? it is no place of seed, or of figs, or of vines, or of pomegranates; neither is there any water to drink.—NUM., ch. 20.

5640. — from Discouragement. *"The Way."* ⁴Journeyed from mount Hor by the way of the Red Sea, to compass the land of Edom: and the soul of the people was much discouraged because of the way. ⁵And the people spake against God, and against Moses, Wherefore have ye brought us up out of Egypt to die in the wilderness?—NUM., ch. 21.

5641. — from Distrust. *Ten Spies.* ²²They brought up an evil report of the land which they had searched. . . ¹and the people wept that night. ²And . . . murmuring against Moses and against Aaron: and the whole congregation said unto them, Would God that we had died in the land of Egypt!—NUM., chs. 13 and 14.

5642. — from Fear. *At Red Sea.* ¹²Is not this the word that we did tell thee in Egypt, saying, Let us alone, that we may serve the Egyptians? For it had been better for us to serve the Egyptians, than that we should die in the wilderness.—EX., ch. 14.

5643. — against God. *Potter.* ²⁰O man, who art thou that repliest against God? Shall the thing formed say to him that formed it, Why hast thou made me thus? ²¹Hath not the potter power over the clay, of the same lump to make one vessel unto honour, and another unto dishonour?—ROM., ch. 9.

5644. — of Mercenaries. *Parable.* ¹¹They murmured against the Goodman of the house, ¹²Saying, These last have wrought but one hour, and thou hast made them equal unto us, which have borne the burden and heat of the day.—MAT., ch. 20.

5645. — at Neglect. *Grecian Widows.* ¹When the number of the disciples was multiplied, there arose a murmuring of the Grecians against the Hebrews, because their widows were neglected in the daily ministration.—ACTS, ch. 6.

5646. — punished. *At Sinai.* ¹When the people complained, it displeased the Lord. . . and his anger was kindled; and the fire of the Lord burnt among them, and consumed them that were in the uttermost parts of the camp.—NUM., ch. 11.

5647. — Severity in. *In Wilderness.* ²The people thirsted there for water; and . . . murmured against Moses. . . Wherefore is this that thou hast brought us up out of Egypt, to kill us and our children and our cattle with thirst? ⁴And Moses cried unto the Lord, saying, What shall I do unto this people? they be almost ready to stone me.—EX., ch. 17.

5648. — from Thirst. *Israelites.* ²²They went three days in the wilderness, and found no water. ²³they could not drink of the waters of Marah, for they were bitter. . . ²⁴And the people murmured against Moses, saying, What shall we drink?—EX., ch. 15.

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5649. MUSIC, Aid of. *"Hand of the Lord came."* [Elisha said,] ¹⁴Bring me a minstrel. . . when the minstrel played, the hand of the Lord came upon him.—2 KINGS, ch. 3.

5650. — Cured by. *Melancholy.* ²²When the evil spirit from God was upon Saul. . . David took a harp, and played with his hand: so Saul was refreshed, and was well, and the evil spirit departed from him.—1 SAM., ch. 16.

5651. — Instruments of. *Invention.* ²¹Jubal: he was the father of all such as handle the harp and organ.—GEN., ch. 4.

5652. — undesired. *Darius.* ¹¹A stone was brought, and laid upon the mouth of the den. . . ¹⁸Then the king went to his palace, and passed the night fasting: neither were instruments of music brought before him.—DAN., ch. 6.

5653. — for Joy. *Prodigal.* ²²Now his elder son was in the field: and as he came and drew nigh to the house, he heard music and dancing.—LUKE, ch. 15.

5654. — for Liberty. *Captives in Babylon.* [See No. 5602.]

5655. — Power of. *"Another Man."* ⁵When thou art come thither to the city. . . thou shalt meet a company of prophets coming down from the high place with a psaltery, and a tabret, and a pipe, and a harp, before them; and they shall prophesy: ⁶And the Spirit of the Lord will come upon thee, and thou shalt prophesy with them, and shalt be turned into another man.—1 SAM., ch. 10.

5656. — — prostituted. *To Intemperance.* ¹²The harp and the viol, the tabret and pipe, and wine, are in their feasts: but they regard not the work of the Lord, neither consider the operation of his hands. ¹³Therefore my people are gone into captivity, because they have no knowledge: and their honourable men are famished, and their multitude dried up with thirst.—ISA., ch. 5.

5657. — Variety of. *To Jerusalem.* ⁴Accompanying the ark of God. . . ⁵David and all the house of Israel played before the Lord on all manner of instruments made of fir wood, even on harps, and on psalteries, and on timbrels, and on cornets, and on cymbals.—2 SAM., ch. 6.

5658. — in Worship. *Instrumental.* ²Praise him with the sound of the trumpet: praise him with the psaltery and harp. ⁴Praise him with the timbral and dance: praise him with stringed instruments and organs. ⁵Praise him upon the loud cymbals: praise him upon the high sounding cymbals.—PS., 150.

5659. MUSICIAN, A skilful. *David.* ¹⁸Then answered one of the servants. Behold, I have seen a son of Jesse the Beth-lehemite, that is cunning in playing.—1 SAM., ch. 16.

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5660. MYSTERY of Conversion. *"Born again."* ¹Ye must be born again. ²The wind bloweth where it listeth, and thou hearest the sound thereof, but canst not tell whence it cometh, and whither it goeth: so is every one that is born of the Spirit. ³Nicodemus answered and said unto him, How can these things be?—JOHN, ch. 3.

5661. — A marvellous. *Joseph's Brethren.* ²²They sat before him, the firstborn according to his birthright, and the youngest according to

his youth : and the men marvelled one at another.—*GEN.*, ch. 43.

5662. — A strange. *Burning Bush.* ³ Moses said, I will now turn aside, and see this great sight, why the bush is not burnt.—*Ex.*, ch. 3.

5663. — An unsolved. *Burial of Moses.* ⁴ He buried him in a valley in the land of Moab, over against Beth-peor : but no man knoweth of his sepulchre unto this day.—*DEUT.*, ch. 34.

5664. MYSTERIES, Stumbling at. "Went back." ⁵⁶ He that eateth my flesh, and drinketh my blood, dwelleth in me, and I in him. ⁵⁷ From that time many of his disciples went back, and walked no more with him.—*JOHN*, ch. 6.

5665. — Unexplainable. *Washing Feet.* ¹ Jesus answered. What I do thou knowest not now ; but thou shalt know hereafter. ² Peter saith. Thou shalt never wash my feet.—*JOHN*, ch. 13.

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5666. NAME, A changed. *Abraham.* ⁸ Neither shall thy name any more be called Abram, but thy name shall be Abraham ; for a father of many nations have I made thee.—*GEN.*, ch. 17.

5667. — A glorified. *By Jesus.* [See No. 5687.]

5668. — A good. *David's.* ³⁰ The princes of the Philistines went forth : and David behaved himself more wisely than all the servants of Saul ; so that his name was much set by.—1 *SAM.*, ch. 18.

5669. — — *Cornelius.* ²² A just man, and one that feareth God, and of good report among all the nation of the Jews, was warned from God by a holy angel to send for thee.—*ACTS*, ch. 10.

5670. — — *Ananias.* ¹⁸ Ananias, a devout man according to the law, having a good report of all the Jews which dwelt there, ¹⁹ Came. and said unto me, Brother Saul, receive thy sight.—*ACTS*, ch. 22.

5671. — A new. *Israel.* ²⁸ Thy name shall be called no more Jacob, but Israel : for as a prince hast thou power with God and with men, and hast prevailed.—*GEN.*, ch. 32.

5672. — refused. *Angel.* ¹¹ Manoah said unto the angel of the Lord, What is thy name, that when thy sayings come to pass we may do thee honour ? ¹² Why askest thou thus after my name, seeing it is secret ?—*JUDGES*, ch. 13.

5673. NAMES, Bestowment of. *By Adam.* ¹⁹ The Lord God formed every beast of the field, and every fowl of the air ; and brought them unto Adam to see what he would call them : and whatsoever Adam called every living creature, that was the name thereof.—*GEN.*, ch. 1.

5674. — known. *To Jesus.* ⁵ When Jesus came to the place, he looked up, and saw him, and said. Zaccheus, make haste, and come down ; for to day I must abide at thy house.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

5675. — New. *Hebrews.* ¹ The prince of the eunuchs gave names : for he gave unto Daniel the name of Belteshazzar ; and to Hananiah, of Shadrach ; and to Mishaël, of Meshach ; and to Azariah, of Abed-nego.—*DAN.*, ch. 1.

5676. — Wonderful. *Of Jesus.* ⁶ For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given : and the government shall be upon his shoulder ; and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace.—*ISA.*, ch. 9.

5677. — written in Heaven. *The Seventy.* ³⁰ In this rejoice not, that the spirits are subject unto you ; but rather rejoice, because your names are written in heaven.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

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5678. NARCOTIC refused. *A. Crucifixion.* ²² They gave him to drink wine mingled with myrrh : but he received it not.—*MARK*, ch. 15.

5679. NATIONS, Birth of. *In Crisis.* ²⁹ The children of Israel walked upon dry land in the midst of the sea ; and the waters were a wall unto them on their right hand, and on their left. ³⁰ Thus the Lord saved Israel. and Israel saw the Egyptians dead upon the sea shore.—*Ex.*, ch. 14.

5680. NATURE from God. *Creation.* ¹ In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth.—*GEN.*, ch. 1.

5681. — less than Grace. *Love less.* ²⁵ There went great multitudes with him : and he turned, and said. ²⁶ If any man come to me, and hate not his father, and mother, and wife, and children, and brethren, and sisters, yea, and his own life also, he cannot be my disciple.—*LUKE*, ch. 14.

5682. — Mystery of. *Processes.* ²¹ The seed should spring and grow up, he knoweth not how. ²³ For the earth bringeth forth fruit of herself ; first the blade, then the ear, after that the full corn in the ear.—*MARK*, ch. 4.

5683. — overruled. *Instinct.* ¹⁰ And the men..took two milch kine, and tied them to the cart, and shut up their calves at home: ¹¹ And they laid the ark of the Lord upon the cart. ¹² And the kine took the straight way to..Bethshemesh, and went along the highway, lowing as they went.—1 SAM., ch. 6.

5684. — Religion of. *At Lystra.* ¹⁷ He left not himself without witness, in that he did good, and gave us rain from heaven, and fruitful seasons, filling our hearts with food and gladness.—ACTS, ch. 14.

5685. — Superiority of. *Above Art.* ²¹ Consider the lilies how they grow: they toil not, they spin not; and yet I say unto you, that Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these.—LUKE, ch. 12.

5686. — Teaching of. *Hair.* ¹⁴ Doth not even nature itself teach you, that, if a man have long hair, it is a shame unto him? ¹⁵ But if a woman have long hair, it is a glory to her: for her hair is given her for a covering.—1 COR., ch. 11.

5687. NATURAL, Supernatural for. *Jesus prayed.* ²⁸ Father, glorify thy name. Then came there a voice from heaven, saying, I have both glorified it, and will glorify it again. ²⁹ The people therefore that stood by, and heard it, said that it thundered: others said, An angel spake to him.—JOHN, ch. 12.

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5688. NATURALIST, A royal. *Solomon.* ²³ He spake of trees, from the cedar tree that is in Lebanon even unto the hyssop that springeth out of the wall: he spake also of beasts, and of fowl, and of creeping things, and of fishes. ²⁴ And there came of all people to hear the wisdom of Solomon.—1 KINGS, ch. 4.

5689. NAVY, Mercantile. *About \$13,000,000.* ²⁶ King Solomon made a navy of ships..on the shore of the Red Sea. ²⁷ And Hiram sent..shipmen that had knowledge of the sea, with the servants of Solomon. ²⁸ And they came to Ophir, and fetched from thence gold, four hundred and twenty talents.—1 KINGS, ch. 9.

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5690. NEARNESS to God. *Degrees in.* ⁹ Then went up Moses, and Aaron, Nadab, and Abihu, and seventy of the elders of Israel; ¹⁰ And they saw the God of Israel. ¹²..Moses went up into

the mount of God. ¹⁴ And he said unto the elders, Tarry ye here for us, until we come again unto you.—EX., ch. 24.

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5691. NECESSITY knows no Law. *Tribute.* [See No. 5539.]

5692. NECESSITIES cared for. *Clothing.* ²¹ Unto Adam also and to his wife did the Lord God make coats of skins, and clothed them.—GEN., ch. 3.

5693. NEED, The One. *Mary.* ⁴⁰ Hath left me to serve alone? bid her therefore that she help me. ⁴¹ And Jesus answered..Martha, Martha, thou art careful, and troubled about many things: ⁴² But one thing is needful; and Mary hath chosen that good part, which shall not be taken away from her.—LUKE, ch. 10.

5694. NEEDS, Supply of. *Felt first.* ² Ye have brought us forth into this wilderness, to kill this whole assembly with hunger. ⁴ Then said the Lord unto Moses, Behold, I will rain bread from heaven for you.—EX., ch. 16.

5695. — — — *From Father.* ²⁹ Seek not ye what ye shall eat, or what ye shall drink, neither be ye of doubtful mind. ³⁰ For all these things do the nations of the world seek after: and your Father knoweth that ye have need of these things.—LUKE, ch. 12.

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5696. NEGLECT acknowledged. *Ahasuerus.* ² It was found written, that Mordecai had told of Bigthana and Teresh, two of the king's chamberlains, the keepers of the door, who sought to lay hand on the king Ahasuerus. ³ And the king said, What honour and dignity hath been done to Mordecai for this? Then said the king's servants..There is nothing done for him.—ESTHER, ch. 6.

5697. — of Dress. *Mephibosheth.* ²⁴ Mephibosheth the son of Saul came down to meet the king, and had neither dressed his feet, nor trimmed his beard, nor washed his clothes, from the day the king departed until the day he came again in peace.—2 SAM., ch. 19.

5698. — Excuse for. *One Talent.* ²⁴ Lord, I knew thee that thou art a hard man, reaping where thou hast not sown, and gathering where thou hast not strewed: ²⁵ And I was afraid, and went and hid thy talent in the earth.—MAT., ch. 25.

5699. — *Folly of. Ten Virgins.* ³ They that were foolish took their lamps, and took no oil with them: ⁴ But the wise took oil in their vessels with their lamps.—*MAT.*, ch. 25.

5700. — *made good. To Mordecai.* ¹¹ Then took Haman the apparel and the horse, and arrayed Mordecai, and brought him on horseback through the street of the city, and proclaimed before him, Thus shall it be done unto the man whom the king delighteth to honour.—*ESTHER*, ch. 6.

5701. — *of God. Samaritans.* ²⁵ At the beginning of their dwelling there, that they feared not the Lord, therefore the Lord sent lions among them which slew some of them.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 17.

5702. — *of God's House. Punished.* ³ This people say, The time is not come, that the Lord's house should be built. ⁶ Ye have sown much, and bring in little; ye eat, but ye have not enough; ye drink, but ye are not filled with drink; ye clothe you, but there is none warm; and he that earneth wages, earneth wages to put it into a bag with holes.—*HAG.*, ch. 1.

5703. — *of the Gospel. "Made Light."* ⁴ Behold, I have prepared my dinner: my oxen and my fatlings are killed, and all things are ready: come unto the marriage. ⁵ But they made light of it, and went their ways, one to his farm, another to his merchandise.—*MAT.*, ch. 22.

5704. — *of God's Service. Tithes.* ¹⁰ Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be meat in mine house, and prove me now herewith, saith the Lord of hosts, if I will not open you the windows of heaven, and pour you out a blessing, that there shall not be room enough to receive it.—*MAT.*, ch. 3.

5705. — *Headless. A Prophet* ²⁹ Cried unto the king. Thy servant went out into the midst of the battle; and, behold, a man brought a man unto me, and said, Keep this man: if by any means he be missing, then shall thy life be for his life, or else thou shalt pay a talent of silver. ⁴⁰ And as thy servant was busy here and there, he was gone. And the king of Israel said, So shall thy judgment be; thyself hast decided it.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 20.

5706. — *Important. Pharisees.* ²³ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye pay tithe of mint and anise and cummin, and have omitted the weightier matters of the law, judgment, mercy, and faith: these ought ye to have done, and not to leave the other undone. ³⁴ Ye blind guides, which strain at a gnat, and swallow a camel.—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

5707. — *Loss by. Ten Virgins.* ¹⁰ They that were ready went in with him to the marriage: and the door was shut. ¹¹ Afterward came also the other virgins, saying, Lord, Lord, open to us. ¹³ But he answered, Verily, I know you not.—*MAT.*, ch. 25.

5708. — *punished. Talent.* ²⁵ Take therefore the talent from him, and give it unto him which hath ten talents. ³⁰ And cast ye the unprofitable servant into outer darkness: there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth.—*MAT.*, ch. 25.

5709. — *of the Poor. Punished.* ⁴⁴ Lord, when saw we thee ahungred, or athirst, or a

stranger, or naked, or sick, or in prison, and did not minister unto thee? ⁴⁵ Inasmuch as ye did it not to one of the least of these, ye did it not to me. ⁴⁶ And these shall go away into everlasting punishment.—*MAT.*, ch. 25.

5710. — *of Preparation. Garment.* ¹³ Friend, how camest thou in hither not having a wedding garment? And he was speechless. ¹⁵ Then said the king to the servants, Bind him hand and foot, and cast him into outer darkness; there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth.—*MAT.*, ch. 22.

5711. — *Parental. Eli's Sons.* ¹³ Because his sons made themselves vile, and he restrained them not. ¹⁴ therefore I have sworn, that the iniquity of Eli's house shall not be purged with sacrifice nor offering for ever.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 3.

5712. — *Ruin by. Proverb.* ³⁰ I went by the field of the slothful, and by the vineyard of the man void of understanding; ³¹ And, lo, it was all grown over with thorns, and nettles had covered the face thereof, and the stone wall thereof was broken down.—*PROV.*, ch. 24.

5713. — *Responsibility for. Builders.* ³ When thou buildest a new house, then thou shalt make a battlement for thy roof, that thou bring not blood upon thine house, if any man fall from thence.—*DEUT.*, ch. 22.

5714. — *of the Unfaithful. Pound.* ³⁰ Lord, behold, here is thy pound, which I have kept laid up in a napkin: ³¹ For I feared thee, because thou art an austere man.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

5715. — *Unfeeling. "Passed by."* ³⁰ Fell among thieves, which stripped him of his raiment, and wounded him, and departed, leaving him half dead. ³¹ there came a priest that way; and he passed by on the other side. ³² And likewise a Levite, looked on him, and passed by on the other side.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

5716. — *A Witness's. Law.* ¹ If a soul sin, and hear the voice of swearing, and is a witness, whether he hath seen or known of it; if he do not utter it, then he shall bear his iniquity.—*LEV.*, ch. 5.

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Irremediable. Went to buy..door was shut 2875
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5717. NEIGHBOUR, Who is my? Good Samaritan. ³⁴ Which now of these three, thinkest thou, was neighbour unto him that fell among the thieves? ³⁷ And he said, He that shewed mercy on him. Then said Jesus..Go, and do thou likewise.—LUKE, ch. 10.

5718. NEIGHBOURS in Bereavement. Lazarus. ¹⁹ Many of the Jews came to Martha and Mary, to comfort them concerning their brother.—JOHN, ch. 11.

5719. — Vexations. Lot. ¹ Vexed with the filthy conversation of the wicked: ² For that righteous man dwelling among them, in seeing and hearing, vexed his righteous soul from day to day with their unlawful deeds.—2 PETER, ch. 2.

5720. NEUTRALITY advised. Gamaliel. ³² Refrain from these men, and let them alone; for if this counsel or this work be of men, it will come to nought: ³³ But if it be of God, ye cannot overthrow it; lest haply ye be found even to fight against God. ⁴⁰ And to him they agreed.—ACTS, ch. 5.

5721. — disagreeable. "Lukewarm." ¹⁵ I know thy works, that thou art neither cold nor hot: I would thou wert cold or hot. ¹⁶ So then because thou art lukewarm, and neither cold nor hot, I will spew thee out of my mouth.—REV., ch. 3.

5722. — impossible. Stone. ⁴³ Jesus saith..Did ye never read in the Scriptures, The stone which the builders rejected, the same is become the head of the corner?.. ⁴⁴ And whosoever shall fall on this stone shall be broken: but on whomsoever it shall fall, it will grind him to powder.—MAT., ch. 21.

5723. — No. Jesus said, ³⁹ For there is no man which shall do a miracle in my name, that can lightly speak evil of me. ⁴⁰ For he that is not against us is on our part.—MARK, ch. 9.

5724. — punished. Dives. ¹⁹ There was a certain rich man, which was clothed in pur-

ple and fine linen, and fared sumptuously every day.. ²² And in hell he lifted up his eyes, being in torments.—LUKE, ch. 16. [He was neutral in religion.]

5725. — Silent. "Answered not." ²⁸ Ahab..gathered the prophets together unto mount Carmel. ³¹ And Elijah..said, How long halt ye between two opinions? if the Lord be God, follow him: but if Baal, then follow him. And the people answered him not a word.—1 KINGS, ch. 18.

5726. — Unreasonable. At Carmel. [See No. 5725.]

5727. — wanting. Figs. ² One basket had very good figs, even like the figs that are first ripe: and the other basket had very naughty figs, which could not be eaten, they were so bad.—JER., ch. 24.

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5728. NEWS declared, Bad. To Eli. [See No. 5731.] ¹⁶ Then Eli called Samuel.. ¹⁷..What is the thing that the Lord hath said unto thee? I pray thee hide it not from me: God do so to thee, and more also, if thou hide any thing from me of all the things that he said unto thee. ¹⁸ And Samuel told him every whit.—1 SAM., ch. 3.

5729. — More bad. Job's Losses. ¹⁴ And there came a messenger unto Job, and said, The oxen were ploughing, and the asses feeding beside them: ¹⁵ And the Sabeans fell upon them, and took them away; yea, they have slain the servants with the edge of the sword; and I only am escaped alone to tell thee. ¹⁶ While he was yet speaking, there came also another, and said, The fire of God is fallen from heaven, and hath burned up the sheep, and the servants, and consumed them; and I only am escaped alone to tell thee.—JOB, ch. 1.

5730. — unrewarded, Bad. David. ¹⁰ When one told me, saying, Behold, Saul is dead, thinking to have brought good tidings, I took hold of him, and slew him in Ziklag, who thought that I would have given him a reward for his tidings.—2 SAM., ch. 4.

5731. — withheld, Bad. From Eli. ¹¹ The Lord said to Samuel, Behold, I will do a thing in Israel, at which both the ears of every one that heareth it shall tingle.. ¹² And Samuel lay until the morning..And Samuel feared to shew Eli the vision.—1 SAM., ch. 3.

5732. — From David. ¹⁶ On the seventh day..the child died. And the servants of David feared to tell him..for they said, Behold, while the child was yet alive, we spake un-

to him, and he would not hearken unto our voice: how will he then vex himself, if we tell him that the child is dead?—2 SAM., ch. 12.

5733. — Confirmation of. *Thomas.* ²¹ Thomas, Reach hither thy finger, and behold my hands; and reach hither thy hand, and thrust it into my side; and be not faithless, but believing. ²⁸ And Thomas answered. My Lord and my God.—JOHN, ch. 20.

5734. — doubted. *By four Lepers.* ¹³ The king arose in the night, and said unto his servants, I will now shew you what the Syrians have done to us. They know that we be hungry; therefore are they gone out of the camp, to hide themselves in the field, saying, When they come out of the city, we shall catch them alive, and get into the city.—2 KINGS, ch. 7.

5735. — doubted, Good. *Resurrection.* ¹⁰ Mary went and told them, as they mourned and wept. ¹¹ And they, when they had heard that he was alive, and had been seen of her, believed not.—MARK, ch. 16.

5736. — Important. *Haste.* ¹⁰ He wrote in the king Ahasuerus' name, and sealed it with the king's ring, and sent letters by posts on horseback, and riders on mules, camels, and young dromedaries: ¹¹ Wherein the king granted the Jews which were in every city to gather themselves together, and to stand for their life.—ESTHER, ch. 7.

5737. — refreshing, Good. *Proverb.* ²⁸ As cold waters to a thirsty soul, so is good news from a far country.—PROV., ch. 25.

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5738. NIGHT of Bereavement. *In Egypt.* ²¹ At midnight the Lord smote all the firstborn in the land of Egypt, from the firstborn of Pharaoh that sat on his throne unto the firstborn of the

captive that was in the dungeon; and all the firstborn of cattle.—EX., ch. 12.

5739. — Escape in the. *Joseph.* ¹⁴ He took the young child and his mother by night, and departed into Egypt.—MAT., ch. 2.

5740. — Investigation by. *Nehemiah.* ¹³ I arose in the night, I and some few men with me; neither told I any man what my God had put in my heart to do. and viewed the walls of Jerusalem, which were broken down.—NEH., ch. 2.

5741. — of Prayer. *Jesus.* ¹² He went out into a mountain to pray, and continued all night in prayer to God.—LUKE, ch. 6.

5742. — Songs in the. *Philippian Jailer.* ²⁴ Thrust them into the inner prison, and made their feet fast in the stocks. ²⁵ And at midnight Paul and Silas prayed, and sang praises unto God: and the prisoners heard them.—ACTS, ch. 16.

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Chosen. The. adulterer waiteth the twilight. see 1920
Dying in. [After the plague of darkness came. d.] 1921
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Future. Light of the wicked shall be put out 1923
Hidden in. Neither cometh to the light lest. r. 1924
Hatred. He that hateth his brother is in darkness 1925
Insects. Locusts went up. land was darkened 1926
Light. Tabernacle. fire was on it by night 1927
Moral. If. light that is in thee be darkness. great 1928
Original. Darkness was upon the face of the waters 1929
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Punishment. Angels which kept not their first e. 1931
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Songs. Paul and Silas sang. prisoners heard them 5390
Watch-night. Paul preached. until midnight 9359
Work. People. all that night. gathered the quails 38

5743. NUISANCE, A general. *Frogs.* ³ The river shall bring forth frogs abundantly, which shall go up and come into thine house, and into thy bedchamber, and upon thy bed, and into the house of thy servants, and upon thy people, and into thine ovens, and into thy kneading-troughs.—EX., ch. 8.

5744. NUMBERS, Danger in. *32,000.* ³ The Lord said unto Gideon, The people that are with thee are too many for me to give the Midianites into their hands, lest Israel vaunt themselves against me, saying, Mine own hand hath saved me. . . and he sent all the rest of Israel every man unto his tent, and retained those three hundred men.—JUDGES, ch. 7.

5745. — despised. *The Philistines.* ¹³ The men of the garrison answered. Come up to us, and we will shew you a thing. And Jonathan said unto his armourbearer, Come up after me: for the Lord hath delivered them into the hand of Israel.—1 SAM., ch. 14.

5746. — Disparity in. *"Kids."* ²⁷ The children of Israel were numbered, and were all

present, and went against them : and, pitched before them like two little flocks of kids ; but the Syrians filled the country.—1 KINGS, ch. 20.

5747. — *At Mareshah.* ¹¹ Asa . . said, Lord, it is nothing with thee to help, whether with many, or with them that have no power : help us, O Lord our God ; for we rest on thee, and in thy name we go against this multitude. . . ¹² So the Lord smote the Ethiopians before Asa.—2 CHRON., ch. 14.

5748. — *Invisible.* *At Dothan.* ¹¹ Elisha prayed . . open his eyes, that he may see. And the Lord opened the eyes of the young man ; and he saw : and, behold, the mountain was full of horses and chariots of fire round about Elisha.—2 KINGS, ch. 6.

5749. — *Pride in.* *David.* ¹⁰ David's heart smote him after that he had numbered the people. And David said . . I have sinned greatly in that I have done : and now, I beseech thee, O Lord, take away the iniquity of thy servant ; for I have done very foolishly.—2 SAM., ch. 24.

5750. — *Quality, not.* *Joshua said,* ⁹ The Lord hath driven out from before you great nations and strong : but as for you, no man hath been able to stand before you unto this day. ¹⁰ One man of you shall chase a thousand.—NUM., ch. 23.

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Battle. People more than thou . . be not afraid 5172

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5751. OATH, A Covenant. *Jews.* ³ Let us make a covenant with our God to put away all the wives, and such as are born of them . . and let it be done according to the law. ⁵ Then arose Ezra, and made the chief priests, the Levites, and all Israel, to swear that they should do according to this word. And they sware.—EZRA, ch. 10.

5752. — *Conspirators'.* *At Jerusalem.* ¹⁴ They came to the chief priests and elders, and said, We have bound ourselves under a great curse, that we will eat nothing until we have slain Paul.—ACTS, ch. 23.

5753. — *A foolish.* *Saul's.* [Philistines were fleeing.] ²⁴ The men of Israel were distressed that day : for Saul had adjured the people, saying, Cursed be the man that eateth any food until evening, that I may be avenged on mine enemies.—1 SAM., ch. 14.

5754. — *A wicked.* *Herod's Murder of John.* ²² When the daughter of the said Herodias came in, and danced, and pleased Herod and them that sat with him, the king said unto the damsel, Ask of me whatsoever thou wilt, and I will give it thee. ²³ And he sware unto her, Whatsoever thou shalt ask of me, I will give it thee, unto the half of my kingdom. ²⁴ And she went forth, and said unto her mother, What shall I ask ? And she said, The head of John the Baptist.—MARK, ch. 6.

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BLASPHEMY.

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Abiding. The man . . that buildeth Jericho 1892
Blessing. Balaam should curse . . into a blessing 1893
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First. Serpent cursed above all cattle 1895
Money with. Leprosy . . of N. shall cleave to thee 1896
Servitude. Cursed be Canaan . . servant of servants 1897
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Wicked. [Various Jewish.] 1900

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Adversity. Shimei cursed [David fleeing from A.] 1891
Hire for. Balaam . . curse me this people 1892
Unresented. Why should this dead dog curse . . ? 1893

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Despondency. I will not speak any more in his 9946
Inconsistent. Cursed be the man that eateth any 9947
Obedience. People entered into a curse, and into 9948
Observance. Better . . shouldest not vow than . . not 9949
Rash. Jephthah . . whatsoever cometh . . burnt 9950
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Teetotaler. Neither shall he drink any liquor of 9954
Distinctions. Swear by the temple, it is nothing 1000
Friendship. Jonathan caused D. to swear . . loved 1010
Fraternity. Cleave to their brethren . . entered into 1015
Religious. D. sware, if I taste bread . . sun down 2

5755. OBDURACY, Defiant. *Pharaoh.* ⁸ Pharaoh said, Who is the Lord, that I should obey his voice to let Israel go ? I know not the Lord, neither will I let Israel go.—EX., ch. 5.

5756. — *Final.* *Pharaoh.* ⁵ The heart of Pharaoh and of his servants was turned against the people, and they said, Why have we done this, that we have let Israel go from serving us ? ⁶ And he made ready his chariot, and took his people with him.—EX., ch. 14.

5757. — *Foolish.* *Ahaz.* ²² In the time of his distress did he trespass yet more against the Lord : this is that king Ahaz. ²³ For he sacrificed unto the gods of Damascus, which smote him : and he said, Because the gods of the kings of Syria help them, therefore will I sacrifice to them, that they may help me. But they were the ruin of him, and of all Israel.—2 CHRON., ch. 28.

5758. — *Jewish.* *Brow Brass.* ⁴ Because I knew that thou art obstinate, and thy neck is an iron sinew, and thy brow brass ; ⁵ I have even from the beginning declared it to thee.—ISA., ch. 48.

5759. — *Spiritual.* *Jesus said,* ²¹ Woe unto thee, Chorazin ! woe unto thee, Bethsaida !

for if the mighty works, which were done in you, had been done in Tyre and Sidon, they would have repented long ago in sackcloth and ashes.—*MAT.*, ch. 11.

5760. — *Self-destructive. Amariah.* ¹⁶ As he talked with him. *the king* said. Art thou made of the king's counsel? forbear; why shouldst thou be smitten? Then the prophet forbore, and said, I know that God hath determined to destroy thee, because thou hast done this, and hast not hearkened unto my counsel.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 25.

5761. — *against Truth. Ephesians.* ⁸ He went into the synagogue, and spake boldly for the space of three months, disputing and persuading the things concerning the kingdom of God. ⁹ But when divers were hardened, and believed not, but spake evil of that way before the multitude, he departed from them, and separated the disciples.—*ACTS*, ch. 19.

5762. — *Unfeeling. Gentiles.* ¹⁹ Who being past feeling have given themselves over unto lasciviousness, to work all uncleanness with greediness.—*EPH.*, ch. 4.

5763. — *Mild. Baalam.* ²¹ Baalam rose up in the morning, and saddled his ass, and went with the princes of Moab. ²² And God's anger was kindled because he went: and the angel of the Lord stood in the way for an adversary.—*NUM.*, ch. 22.

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HARDNESS.

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IMPENITENCE.

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OBSTINACY.

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Rebuked. Why. smitten thine ass these 3 times? *5836*
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Destructive. As a hen gathereth. ye would not *7731*
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STUBBORNNESS.

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Calamities. Smitten you with. not returned *1001*
Insane. Let the men go. E. is destroyed *799*

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5764. OBEDIENCE, Blessings of. To Israel. ²² If thou shalt indeed obey his voice, and do all that I speak; then I will be an enemy unto thine enemies, and an adversary unto thine adversaries. ²³ For mine Angel shall go before thee.—*EX.*, ch. 23. [See verses 20-33.]

5765. — *Blessings in. Many.* ³ Blessed shall thou be in the city, and blessed shall thou be in the field. ⁴ Blessed shall be the fruit of thy body. .of thy ground. .of thy cattle, the increase of thy kine, and the flocks of thy sheep. ⁵ Blessed shall be thy basket and thy store.—*DEUT.*, ch. 28. [See chapter.]

5766. — *Continued. Rechabites.* ¹⁸ Because ye have obeyed the commandment of Jonadab your father. . ¹⁹ Therefore thus saith the Lord of hosts, the God of Israel; Jonadab the son of Rechab shall not want a man to stand before me for ever.—*JER.*, ch. 35.

5767. — *Complete. Joshua.* ¹⁵ As the Lord commanded Moses his servant, so did Moses command Joshua, and so did Joshua; he left nothing undone of all that the Lord commanded Moses.—*JOSH.*, ch. 11.

5768. — *Cured by. Naaman.* ¹⁴ Then went he down, and dipped himself seven times in Jordan, according to the saying of the man of God: and his flesh came again like unto the flesh of a little child, and he was clean.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 5.

5769. — *Conditional. Pharaoh.* ²³ I will let you go, that ye may sacrifice to the Lord your God in the wilderness; only ye shall not go very far away: entreat for me.—*EX.*, ch. 8.

5770. — *Pharaoh.* ²⁴ Go ye, serve the Lord; only let your flocks and your herds be stayed: let your little ones also go with you.—*EX.*, ch. 10.

5771. — *Delight in. Jesus.* ²³ I have meat to eat that ye know not of. ²³ Therefore said the disciples one to another, Hath any man brought him ought to eat? ²⁴ Jesus saith. My meat is to do the will of him that sent me, and to finish his work.—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

5772. — *in Discouragement. Peter.* ⁸ Simon answering, said. Master, we have toiled all the night, and have taken nothing; nevertheless, at thy word I will let down the net.—*LUKE*, ch. 5.

5773. — *solves Doubt. Jesus said.* ¹⁷ If any man will do his will, he shall know of the doctrine, whether it be of God, or whether I speak of myself.—*JOHN*, ch. 7.

5774. — *Difficult. Gideon.* ²⁵ The Lord said. Take thy father's young bullock. . and throw down the altar of Baal that thy father hath, and cut down the grove that is by it: ²⁶ And build an altar unto the Lord. . upon the top of this rock. . ²⁷ Then Gideon took ten men. . and so it was, because he feared his father's household, and the men of the city, that he could not do it by day, that he did it by night.—*JUDGES*, ch. 6.

5775. — *essential. House on Rock.* ⁴⁶ Why call ye me, Lord, Lord, and do not the things which I say? ⁴⁷ Whosoever cometh to me, and heareth my sayings, and doeth them, I will shew you to whom he is like.—*LUKE*, ch. 6.

5776. — *Exact. To Joshua.* ⁵ I will not fail thee, nor forsake thee. ⁷ Only be thou strong and very courageous, that thou mayest observe to do according to all the law, which Moses my servant commanded thee: turn not from it to the right hand or to the left, that thou mayest prosper whithersoever thou goest.—*JOSEPH.*, ch. 1.

5777. — *of Elements. On Gennesaret.* ²⁴ Where is your faith? And they being afraid wondered, saying one to another, What manner of man is this! for he commandeth even the winds and water, and they obey him.—*LUKE*, ch. 8.

5778. — *Full. Marriage Feast.* ³ The mother of Jesus saith . . . They have no wine. ⁴ Jesus saith . . . Woman, what have I to do with thee? mine hour is not yet come. ⁵ His mother saith unto the servants, Whatsoever he saith unto you, do it.—*JOHN*, ch. 2.

5779. — — *Saved by.* ²² Thus did Noah; according to all that God commanded him, so did he.—*GEN.*, ch. 6.

5780. — — *Pharaoh.* ²⁵ Moses said . . . "Our cattle also shall go with us; there shall not a hoof be left behind; for thereof must we take to serve the Lord our God.—*EX.*, ch. 10.

5781. — *Faithful. Paul's.* ¹⁹ O king Agrippa, I was not disobedient unto the heavenly vision: ²⁰ But shewed first unto them of Damascus, and at Jerusalem, and throughout all the coasts of Judea, and then to the Gentiles, that they should repent.—*ACTS*, ch. 26.

5782. — *Filial. Jacob.* ¹ Jacob obeyed his father and his mother, and was gone to Padan-aram.—*GEN.*, ch. 28.

5783. — — *Ornament.* ⁸ My son, hear the instruction of thy father, and forsake not the law of thy mother: ⁹ For they shall be an ornament of grace unto thy head, and chains about thy neck.—*PROV.*, ch. 1.

5784. — — *Queen Esther.* ²⁰ For Esther did the commandment of Mordecai, like as when she was brought up with him.—*ESTHER*, ch. 2.

5785. — — *"Tie them."* ²⁰ My son, keep thy father's commandment, and forsake not the law of thy mother: ²¹ Bind them continually upon thine heart, and tie them about thy neck.—*PROV.*, ch. 6.

5786. — *False. Saul.* ²⁰ Saul said unto Samuel, Yea, I have obeyed the voice of the Lord, and have brought Agag the king of Amalek, and have utterly destroyed the Amalekites. ²¹ But the people took of the spoil, sheep and oxen, the chief of the things which should have been utterly destroyed, to sacrifice unto the Lord.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 15.

5787. — *Fickle. At Sinai.* ⁸ They have turned aside quickly out of the way which I commanded them: they have made them a molten calf, and have worshipped it, and have sacrificed thereunto, and said, These be thy gods, O Israel.—*EX.*, ch. 32.

5788. — *from Gratitude. Aged Moses said,* ¹ The Lord did not set his love upon you, nor choose you, because ye were more in number than any people; for ye were the fewest of all people: ² But because the Lord loved you. ³ Thou shalt therefore keep the commandments, and the statutes, and the judgments. . . to do them.—*DEUT.*, ch. 7.

5789. — *to God rather than Man. Apostles.* ¹¹ They commanded them not to speak at all nor teach in the name of Jesus. ¹² But Peter and John answered. . . Whether it be right in the sight of God to hearken unto you more than unto God, judge ye.—*ACTS*, ch. 4.

5790. — — *Apostles.* ²⁸ Did not we straitly command you that ye should not teach in this name? and, behold, ye have filled Jerusalem with your doctrine, and intend to bring this man's blood upon us. ²⁹ Then Peter

and the other apostles answered. . . We ought to obey God rather than men.—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

5791. — *General. Solomon's.* ² Solomon loved the Lord, walking in the statutes of David his father: only he sacrificed and burnt incense in high places. ⁴ And the king went to Gibeon to sacrifice there; for that was the great high place: a thousand burnt offerings did Solomon offer upon that altar.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 3.

5792. — *Indispensable. "Do well."* ¹⁵ And when ye spread forth your hands, I will hide mine eyes from you; yea, when ye make many prayers, I will not hear: your hands are full of blood. ¹⁶ Wash ye, make you clean; put away the evil of your doings from before mine eyes; cease to do evil; ¹⁷ Learn to do well; seek judgment, relieve the oppressed, judge the fatherless, plead for the widow.—*ISA.*, ch. 1.

5793. — *Late. Israelites.* ⁴⁰ They rose up early in the morning, and gat them up into the top of the mountain, saying, Lo, we be here, and will go up unto the place which the Lord hath promised: for we have sinned. ⁴¹ And Moses said, Wherefore now do ye transgress the commandment of the Lord? but it shall not prosper.—*NUM.*, ch. 14.

5794. — *National. Aged Samuel said,* ²⁴ Only fear the Lord, and serve him in truth with all your heart: for consider how great things he hath done for you. ²⁵ But if ye shall still do wickedly, ye shall be consumed, both ye and your king.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 12.

5795. — *of Nature. Creation.* ² God said, Let there be light: and there was light.—*GEN.*, ch. 1.

5796. — *Painful. Husband's.* ¹⁴ David sent messengers to Ish-bosheth Saul's son, saying, Deliver me my wife Michal, which I espoused to me for a hundred foreskins of the Philistines. ¹⁵ And Ish-bosheth sent, and took her from her husband, even from Phaltiel. ¹⁶ And her husband went with her along weeping behind her to Bahurim. Then said Abner unto him, Go, return. And he returned.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 3.

5797. — *vs. Profession. Parable.* ²⁸ A certain man had two sons; and he came to the first, and said, Son, go work to day in my vineyard. ²⁹ He answered. . . I will not; but afterward he repented, and went. ³⁰ And he came to the second, and said likewise. And he answered. . . I go, sir; and went not.—*MAT.*, ch. 21.

5798. — *Perfect. Command.* ²⁸ Ye shall observe to do therefore as the Lord your God hath commanded you: ye shall not turn aside to the right hand or to the left. ²⁹ Ye shall walk in all the ways which the Lord your God hath commanded you, that ye may live, and that it may be well with you, and that ye may prolong your days in the land which ye shall possess.—*DEUT.*, ch. 5.

5799. — *Prosperity by. God said,* ³ If ye . . . keep my commandments, and do them; ⁴ Then I will give you rain in due season, and the land shall yield her increase, and the trees of the field shall yield their fruit.—*LEV.*, ch. 26. [See verses 3-13.]

5800. — — *Moses said,* ¹³ If ye shall hearken diligently unto my commandments. . . to love the Lord. . . to serve him with all your

heart and with all your soul, ¹⁴ That I will give you the rain of your land in his due season, the first rain and the latter rain, that thou mayest gather in thy corn, and thy wine, and thine oil.—*DEUT.*, ch. 11.

5801. — Protection by. *Israelites.* ⁴ Ye have seen what I did unto the Egyptians, and how I bare you on eagles' wings, and brought you unto myself. ⁶ Now therefore, if ye will obey my voice indeed, and keep my covenant, then ye shall be a peculiar treasure unto me above all people.—*EX.*, ch. 19.

5802. — Pledge of. *At Sinai.* ¹ Moses.. called for the elders.. and laid before their faces all these words which the Lord commanded him. ⁶ And all the people answered together, and said, All that the Lord hath spoken we will do. And Moses returned the words of the people unto the Lord.—*EX.*, ch. 19.

5803. — No Peril in. *"On the Water."* ¹ Peter.. said, Lord, if it be thou, bid me come unto thee on the water. ² And he said, Come. And when Peter was come down out of the ship, he walked on the water, to go to Jesus.—*MAT.*, ch. 14.

5804. — qualified. *Naaman.* ¹³ In this thing the Lord pardon thy servant, that when my master goeth into the house of Rimmon to worship there, and he leaneth on my hand, and I bow myself in the house of Rimmon.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 5.

5805. — Rule for. *Aged Samuel said.* ¹⁴ If ye will fear the Lord, and serve him.. and not rebel against the commandment of the Lord; then shall both ye and also the king that reigneth over you continue following the Lord.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 12.

5806. — required. *For Heaven.* ²¹ Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven. ²³ Many will say to me in that day, Lord, Lord, have we not prophesied?—*MAT.*, ch. 7.

5807. — rewarded. *In Canaan.* [*Caleb said.*] ⁶ My brethren that went up with me made the heart of the people melt: but I wholly followed the Lord my God. ¹⁰ And now, behold, the Lord hath kept me alive, as he said, these forty and five years.—*JOSE.*, ch. 14.

5808. — Reluctant. *At Sinai.* ¹ When the people complained, it displeased the Lord.. and his anger was kindled; and the fire of the Lord.. consumed them that were in the uttermost parts of the camp.—*NUM.*, ch. 10.

5809. — better than Sacrifice. *Saul.* ⁶ And he tarried seven days, according to the set time that Samuel had appointed: but Samuel came not to Gilgal; and the people were scattered from him. ⁸ And Saul said, Bring hither a burnt offering to me, and peace offerings. And he offered the burnt offering. ¹³ And Samuel said to Saul, Thou hast done foolishly: thou hast not kept the commandment of the Lord thy God, which he commanded thee: for now would the Lord have established thy kingdom upon Israel for ever.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 13.

5810. — — *Saul.* ¹³ Saul said, They have brought them from the Amalekites: for the people spared the best of the sheep and of the oxen, to sacrifice unto the Lord thy God.

²² And Samuel said, Hath the Lord as great delight in burnt offerings and sacrifices, as in obeying the voice of the Lord? Behold, to obey is better than sacrifice, and to hearken than the fat of rams.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 15.

5811. — Success by. *Caleb.* ²⁴ My servant Caleb, because he had another spirit with him, and hath followed me fully, him will I bring into the land whereinto he went; and his seed shall possess it.—*NUM.*, ch. 14.

5812. — Self-sacrificing. *Widow.* ¹⁸ She went and did according to the saying of Elijah: and she, and he, and her house, did eat many days. ¹⁹ And the barrel of meal wasted not.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 17.

5813. — Partial. *Herod.* ²⁰ Herod feared John, knowing that he was a just man and a holy, and observed him; and when he heard him, he did many things, and heard him gladly.—*MAT.*, ch. 6.

5814. — Saved by. *Noah.* ¹ Went in, and his sons, and his wife, and his sons' wives with him, into the ark, because of the waters of the flood.—*GEN.*, ch. 7.

5815. — Test of. *In Eden.* ³ Of the fruit of the tree which is in the midst of the garden, God hath said, Ye shall not eat of it, neither shall ye touch it, lest ye die.—*GEN.*, ch. 3.

5816. — — *Savage.* [*Jehu to exterminate Ahab's family.*] ⁶ He wrote.. If ye be mine.. take ye the heads of the men your master's sons, and come to me to Jezreel by to morrow this time. Now the king's sons, being seventy persons, were with the great men of the city, which brought them up.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 10.

5817. — A willing. *Disciple.* ¹⁴ He saw Levi the son of Alphaeus sitting at the receipt of custom, and said.. Follow me. And he arose and followed him.—*MAT.*, ch. 2.

5818. — of Wives. *"Subjection."* ¹ Likewise, ye wives, be in subjection to your own husbands; that, if any obey not the word, they also may without the word be won by the conversation of the wives.—*1 PETER*, ch. 2.

5819. — Wonderful. *Abraham.* ¹⁶ By myself have I sworn.. because thou hast done this thing, and hast not withheld thy son, thine only son, ¹⁷ That in blessing I will bless thee, and in multiplying I will multiply thy seed as the stars of the heaven, and as the sand which is upon the sea shore.—*GEN.*, ch. 22.

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Entire. One thing thou lackest, go .give to the 8506
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5820. OBJECTORS silenced. *The Rulers.*

¹³ When they saw the boldness of Peter and John, and perceived that they were unlearned and ignorant men, they marvelled; and they took knowledge of them, that they had been with Jesus. ¹⁴ And beholding the man which was healed standing with them, they could say nothing against it.—*Acts*, ch. 4.

5821. OBJECTIONS False. *Jesus said,* ²³ John the Baptist came neither eating bread nor drinking wine; and ye say, He hath a devil. ²⁴ The Son of man is come eating and drinking; and ye say, Behold a gluttonous man, and a winebibber.—*LUKE*, ch. 7.

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5822. OBSERVATION, Difficult. *Zaccheus.*

³ He sought to see Jesus who he was; and could not for the press, because he was little of stature. ⁴ And he ran before, and climbed up into a sycamore tree to see him; for he was to pass that way.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

5823. — Unfeeling. Parable. ²⁰ Fell among thieves. .leaving him half dead, ²¹ .there came down a certain priest that way; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. ²² And likewise a Levite .came and looked on him, and passed by on the other side.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

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 " Put his hand to the plow and looking back 5061
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Concealment. Adulterer waiteth .twilight .no eye 111
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5824. OBSTACLE, Affection an. *Elisha said,* ²⁰ Let me, I pray thee, kiss my father and my mother, and *then* I will follow thee. And he said unto him, Go back again: for what have I done to thee? ²¹ And he returned back from him.—1 *KINGS*, ch. 19.

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5825. OBSTINACY, Provoking. *Calf-Worshippers.* ⁹ The Lord said unto Moses, I have seen this people, and, behold, it is a stiffnecked people: ¹⁰ Now therefore let me alone, that my wrath may wax hot against them, and that I may consume them.—*Ex.*, ch. 32.

5826. — rebuked. *Balaam.* ²² The angel of the Lord said unto him, Wherefore hast thou smitten thine ass these three times? Behold, I went out to withstand thee, because thy way is perverse before me.—*NUM.*, ch. 22.

5827. — Rebellious. *King Waked.* ¹⁸ Ye shall cry out in that day because of your king which ye shall have chosen you; and the Lord will not hear you. ¹⁹ Nevertheless the people refused to obey the voice of Samuel; and they said, Nay; but we will have a king over us; ²⁰ .like all the nations.—1 *SAM.*, ch. 8.

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Necessary. Aaron and Hur held up his hands	6067
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Rebellious. How often would I . . . ye would not	9598
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5828. OBSTRUCTIONIST, A malicious. *Diotrephes.* ⁹ Diotrephes, who loveth to have the preeminence among them, receiveth us not. ¹⁰ . . . neither doth he himself receive the brethren, and forbiddeth them that would, and casteth them out of the church.—**3 JOHN.**

5829. OBSTRUCTIONISTS, Religious. *Pharisees.* ¹² Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye shut up the kingdom of heaven against men: for ye neither go in yourselves, neither suffer ye them that are entering to go in.—**MAT.**, ch. 23.

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Fear. It is reported . . . Jews think to rebel	3991
Intrigue. Let us meet . . . in the plain of Ono	3992

5830. OCCUPATION, An inherited. *Shepherds.* ²² When Pharaoh . . . shall say, What is your occupation? ²⁴ . . . ye shall say, Thy servants' trade hath been about cattle from our youth even until now, both we, and also our fathers . . . ye may dwell in the land of Goshen; for every shepherd is an abomination unto the Egyptians.—**GEN.**, ch. 46.

5831. — An offensive. *Shepherds.* [See Nos. 5830 and 5834.]

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Union. Called . . . workmen of like occupation	8899

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5832. ODDNESS, A convenient. *" Left Hand."* ¹⁰ Ehud said, I have a message from God unto thee. ¹¹ And Ehud put forth his left hand, and took the dagger from his right thigh, and thrust it into his belly.—**JUDGES**, ch. 3.

5833. ODIUM, Undeserved. *To Moses and Aaron.* ²¹ The Lord look upon you, and judge; because ye have made our savour to be abhorred in the eyes of Pharaoh, and in the eyes of his servants, to put a sword in their hand to slay us.—**EX.**, ch. 5.

See **DISGRACE** and references.

5834. OFFENCE from Prejudice. *Carpenter.* ² Such mighty works are wrought by his hands? ³ Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary. . . And they were were offended at him.—**MARK**, ch. 6.

5835. OFFENCES, Responsibility for. *" Woe."* ¹ Woe unto the world because of offences! for it must needs be that offences come; but woe to that man by whom the offence cometh!—**MAT.**, ch. 18.

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5836. OFFERING accepted. *Tabernacle.* ²⁴ There came a fire out from before the Lord, and consumed upon the altar the burnt offering and the fat: which when all the people saw, they shouted, and fell on their faces.—**LEV.**, ch. 9.

5837. — The best. *Heart.* ¹ Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, or with ten thousands of rivers of oil? shall I give my first-born for my transgression? . . . ⁸ . . . what doth the Lord require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God?—**MICAH**, ch. 6.

5838. — A humble. *Little Lamb.* ⁹ Samuel took a sucking lamb, and offered it for a burnt offering wholly unto the Lord: and Samuel cried unto the Lord for Israel; and the Lord heard him.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 7.

5839. OFFERINGS, Abominable. *Wicked.* ⁸ The sacrifice of the wicked is an abomination to the Lord: but the prayer of the upright is his delight.—**PROV.**, ch. 15.

5840. — forbidden. *Heartless.* ¹³ Bring no more vain oblations; incense is an abomination unto me; the new moons and sabbaths, the calling of assemblies, I cannot away with;

it is iniquity, even the solemn meeting. ¹⁵ And when ye spread forth your hands, I will hide mine eyes from you; yea, when ye make many prayers, I will not hear: your hands are full of blood.—*ISA.*, ch. 1.

5841. — Ministerial. "One Tenth." ²⁶ Thus speak unto the Levites. When ye take of the children of Israel the tithes which I have given you from them for your inheritance, then ye shall offer up a heave offering of it for the Lord, even a tenth part of the tithe.—*NUM.*, ch. 18.

5842. — Many. *Dedication of Temple.* ⁴⁰ Solomon offered a sacrifice of peace offerings, . . . two and twenty thousand oxen, and a hundred and twenty thousand sheep.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 8.

5843. — rejected. *Heartless.* ¹¹ To what purpose is the multitude of your sacrifices unto me? saith the Lord: I am full of the burnt offerings of rams, and the fat of fed beasts; and I delight not in the blood of bullocks, or of lambs, or of he goats.—*ISA.*, ch. 1.

5844. — scrutinized. "Two Mites." ⁴¹ And Jesus sat over against the treasury, and beheld how the people cast money into the treasury: and many that were rich cast in much. ⁴² And there came a certain poor widow, and she threw in two mites, which make a farthing. ⁴³ And he called unto him his disciples.—*MARK*, ch. 12.

5845. — Unworthy. "Maimed." ⁸ If ye offer the blind for sacrifice, is it not evil? and if ye offer the lame and sick, is it not evil? offer it now unto thy governor; will he be pleased with thee, or accept thy person? saith the Lord of hosts.—*MAL.*, ch. 1.

5846. — Voluntary. *Artaxerxes said.* ¹³ I make a decree, that all they of the people of Israel, . . . in my realm, which are minded of their own freewill to go up to Jerusalem, go with thee. . . ¹⁴ And all the silver and gold that thou canst find in all the province of Babylon, with the freewill offering of the people, . . . offering willingly for the house of their God which is in Jerusalem.—*EZRA*, ch. 1.

5847. — Willing. *Tabernacle.* ⁶ Moses gave commandment, . . . throughout the camp, saying, Let neither man nor woman make any more work for the offering of the sanctuary. So the people were restrained from bringing. ⁷ For the stuff they had was sufficient, . . . and too much.—*EX.*, ch. 36.

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5848. OFFICE, Burdens of. *David.* [Joab assassinated Abner.] ²⁰ I am this day weak, though anointed king; and these men the sons of Zeruiah be too hard for me.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 3.

5849. — declined. *Gideon.* ²² The men of Israel said, . . . Rule thou over us, both thou, and thy son, and thy son's son also: for thou hast delivered us from the hand of Midian. ²³ And Gideon said, . . . I will not rule over you, neither shall my son, . . . the Lord shall rule over you.—*JUDGES*, ch. 8.

5850. — Examination for. *Deacons.* ¹⁰ Let these also first be proved; then let them use the office of a deacon, being found blameless.—*1 TIM.*, ch. 3.

5851. — The Faithful for. "Ten Cities." ^v Lord, thy pound hath gained ten pounds.

¹¹ . Well, thou good servant: because thou hast been faithful in a very little, have thou authority over ten cities.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

5852. — Intrigue for. *Abimelech.* ² Whether is better for you, either that all the sons of Jerubbaal, which are threescore and ten persons, reign over you, or that one reign over you? remember also that I am your bone and your flesh. ³ And his mother's brethren spake of him in the ears of all the men of Shechem all these words.—*JUDGES*, ch. 9.

5853. — by Merit. "Been Faithful." ²⁰ I have gained beside them five talents more. ²¹ His lord said, . . . Well done, thou good and faithful servant: thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things.—*MAT.*, ch. 25.

5854. — Petition for. *James and John.* ²⁵ James and John. . . ²⁷ . Grant unto us that we may sit, one on thy right hand, and the other on thy left hand, in thy glory.—*MARK*, ch. 10.

5855. OFFICE-SEEKING, A Demagogue. *Abdolon.* ⁴ Oh that I were made judge in the land, that every man which hath any suit or cause might come unto me, and I would do him justice! ⁵ . . . when any man came nigh to him to do him obeisance, he put forth his hand, and took him, and kissed him.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 15.

5856. — Trials of. *At Zin.* ⁸ Wherefore have ye made us to come up out of Egypt, . . . unto this evil place? it is no place of seed, or of figs, or of vines, or of pomegranates; neither is there any water to drink. ⁹ And Moses and Aaron went, . . . unto the door of the tabernacle, . . . and they fell upon their faces: and the glory of the Lord appeared unto them.—*NUM.*, ch. 20.

5857. — unsought. *Saul.* ²² He hath hid himself among the staff. ²³ And they ran and fetched him thence: and, . . . he was higher than any of the people from his shoulders and upward. ²⁴ And Samuel said, . . . See ye him whom the Lord hath chosen. . . And all the people shouted, . . . God save the king.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 10.

5858. — — *David.* ¹¹ Are here all thy children? And he said, There remaineth yet the youngest, and, behold, he keepeth the sheep. And Samuel said unto Jesse, Send and fetch him. . . ¹³ . Now he was ruddy, and withal of a beautiful countenance, and goodly to look to. And the Lord said, Arise, anoint him.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 16.

5859. — Undesired. "Fig Tree." ¹⁰ The trees said to the fig tree, Come thou, and reign over us. ¹¹ But the fig tree said, . . . Should I forsake my sweetness, and my good fruit, and go to be promoted over the trees?—*JUDGES*, ch. 9.

5860. OFFICE-HOLDER, A blameless. *Daniel.* ³ The king thought to set him over the whole realm. ⁴ Then the presidents and princes sought to find occasion against Daniel concerning the kingdom; but they could find none occasion nor fault; forasmuch as he was faithful.—*DAN.*, ch. 6.

5861. — — *Samuel.* ³ Behold, here I am: witness against me before the Lord, whose ox have I taken? or whose ass have I taken? or whom have I defrauded? whom have I oppressed? or of whose hand have I received any bribe to blind mine eyes therewith? and I will restore it you. ⁴ And they said, Thou hast not defrauded us.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 12.

5862. — *A dishonest. Judas.* ¹ Why was not this ointment sold for three hundred pence, and given to the poor? ² This he said, not that he cared for the poor; but because he was a thief, and had the bag.—**JOHN**, ch. 12.

5863. *OFFICE-HOLDER'S Prayer.* *Solomon.* ¹ O Lord my God, thou hast made thy servant king.. and I *am but* a little child: I know not *how* to go out or come in. ² Give therefore thy servant an understanding heart to judge thy people, that I may discern between good and bad: for who is able to judge this thy so great a people?—**1 KINGS**, ch. 3.

5864. *OFFICERS, Church. Various.* ¹ God hath set some in the church, first apostles, secondarily prophets, thirdly teachers, after that miracles, then gifts of healings, helps, governments, diversities of tongues.—**1 COR.**, ch. 12.

5865. — *Qualifications of. Deacons.* ¹ Brethren, look ye out among ye seven men of honest report, full of the Holy Ghost and wisdom, whom we may appoint over this business.—**ACTS**, ch. 6.

5866. — — *Deacons.* ¹ Likewise must the deacons be grave, not double-tongued, not given to much wine, not greedy of filthy lucre; ² Holding the mystery of the faith in a pure conscience.—**1 TIM.**, ch. 3.

5867. — — *Bishop.* ¹ A bishop then must be blameless, the husband of one wife, vigilant, sober, of good behaviour, given to hospitality, apt to teach; ² Not given to wine, no striker, not greedy of filthy lucre; but patient, not a brawler, not covetous.—**1 TIM.**, ch. 3.

5868. — *Responsibility of. Saul.* ¹ The people took of the spoil, sheep and oxen, the chief of the things which should have been utterly destroyed, to sacrifice unto the Lord.. ² Because thou hast rejected the word of the Lord, he hath also rejected thee from being king.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 15.

5869. — — *Jethro said,* ¹ Thou shalt provide.. able men, such as fear God, men of truth, hating covetousness; and place such over them, to be rulers of thousands, and rulers of hundreds, rulers of fifties, and rulers of tens.—**EX.**, ch. 18.

5870. — *Selection of. David's.* ¹ Over the king's treasures was Azmaveth.. and over the storehouses in the fields, in the cities, and in the villages, and in the castles, was Jehonathan.—**1 CHRON.**, ch. 27.

5871. — *unconverted. Evidence.* ¹ Then answered them the Pharisees, Are ye also deceived? ² Have any of the rulers or of the Pharisees believed on him?—**JOHN**, ch. 7.

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5873. — *rebuked. Shunammite.* ¹⁷ When she came to the man of God..she caught him by the feet: but Gehazi came near to thrust her away. And the man of God said, Let her alone; for her soul is vexed within her: and the Lord hath hid it from me.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 4. [Her child was dead.]

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5876. — Deception by. "Forgetteth." "Be ye doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving your own selves. "For if any be a hearer of the word, and not a doer, he is like unto a man beholding his natural face in a glass : "and goeth his way, and straightway forgetteth what manner of man he was.—**JAMES**, ch. 1.

5877. — A great. "Did it not." "Lord, when saw we thee a hungered, or athirst, or a stranger, or naked, or sick, or in prison, and did not minister unto thee ? "Inasmuch as ye did it not to one of the least of these, ye did it not to me. "And these shall go away into everlasting punishment.—**MAT.**, ch. 25.

5878. — An inexcusable. *The Judgment.* [See No. 5877.]

5879. — The Nobles'. Building Wall. "But their nobles put not their necks to the work of their Lord. "Moreover the old gate repaired Jehoiada.—**NEH.**, ch. 3.

5880. — Sin of. "Weightier Matters." "Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites ! for ye pay tithe of mint and anise and cummin, and have omitted the weightier matters of the law, judgment, mercy, and faith.—**MAT.**, ch. 23.

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5881. OMNIPOTENCE in Creation. *Job.* "He stretcheth out the north over the empty place, and hangeth the earth upon nothing.—**JOB**, ch. 26. [See chap.]

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5882. OMNISCIENCE, Confession of. *David.* "O Lord, thou hast searched me, and known me. "Thou knowest my downsitting and mine uprising ; thou understandest my thought afar off.—**PS.** 139. [See chapter.]

5883. ONE great Care. *Martha.* "Martha was cumbered about much serving...and said, Lord, dost thou not care that my sister hath left me to serve alone ? bid her therefore that she help me. "And Jesus answered...Martha, thou thou art careful and troubled about many things : "But one thing is needful ; and Mary hath chosen that good part.—**LUKE**, ch. 10.

5884. — for God. *Moses.* [A golden calf was made.] "When Moses saw that the people were naked... "Then Moses stood in the gate of the camp, and said, Who is on the Lord's side ? let him come unto me. And all the sons of Levi gathered...unto him.—**EX.**, ch. 32.

5885. — with God. *Elijah.* "I, even I only, remain a prophet of the Lord ; but Baal's prophets are four hundred and fifty men. "And call ye on the name of your gods, and I will call on the name of the Lord : and the God that answereth by fire, let him be God.—1 **KINGS**, ch. 18.

5886. — — David. "To the Philistine, Thou comest to me with a sword, and with a spear, and with a shield : but I come to thee in the name of the Lord of hosts, the God of the armies of Israel, whom thou hast defied.—1 **SAM.**, ch. 17.

5887. — Action of. *Samson.* "The Philistines shouted against him : and the Spirit of the Lord came mightily upon him, and the cords that were upon his arms became as flax that was burnt with fire, and his bands loosed. "And he found a new jawbone of an ass...and took it, and slew a thousand men.—**JUDGES**, ch. 15.

5888. — Evil of. *At Abel.* "Sheba...hath lifted up his hand...against David : deliver him only, and I will depart from the city... "They cut off the head of Sheba...and cast it out to Joab. And he blew a trumpet, and they retired from the city.—2 **SAM.**, ch. 20.

5889. — Victory by. *Shamgar.* "Shamgar...slew of the Philistines six hundred men with an oxgoad : and he also delivered Israel.—**JUDGES**, ch. 3.

5890. OPINION, Control of. *Achish.* "Achish called David, and said...thy going out and thy coming in with me in the host is good in my sight : for I have not found evil in thee since the day of thy coming unto me...nevertheless the lords favour thee not. "Wherefore now return...that thou displease not the lords of the Philistines.—1 **SAM.**, ch. 29.

5891. — Change of. *Paul.* "No doubt this man is a murderer, whom, though he hath escaped the sea, yet vengeance suffereth not to live. "And he shook off the beast into the fire, and felt no harm. "Howbeit they looked when he should have swollen, or fallen down dead suddenly : but after they had looked a great while, and saw no harm come to him, they changed their minds, and said that he was a god.—**ACTS**, ch. 28.

5892. — Preconceived. *Naaman.* "I thought, He will surely come out...and call on the name of the Lord...and strike his hand over the place, and recover the leper. "Are not

Abana and Pharpar, rivers of Damascus, better than all the waters of Israel?—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

5893. OPINIONS concealed. Believers. [See No. 5894.]

5894. — divided. Public. ¹² Some said, He is a good man : others said, Nay ; but he deceiveth the people. ¹³ Howbeit no man spake openly of him for fear of the Jews.—JOHN, ch. 7.

5895. — Diverse. Of Paul. ⁸ We have found this man a pestilent fellow, and a mover of sedition among all the Jews throughout the world, and a ringleader of the sect of the Nazarenes : ⁹ Who also hath gone about to profane the temple. . . ¹⁶ . . . herein do I exercise myself, to have always a conscience void of offence toward God, and toward men.—ACTS, ch. 24.

5896. — — Of Christ. ⁴⁰ Many of the people . . . said, Of a truth this is the Prophet. ⁴¹ Others said, This is the Christ, But some said, Shall Christ come out of Galilee ? ⁴² Hath not the Scripture said, That Christ cometh . . . out of the town of Bethlehem, where David was ? ⁴³ So there was a division among the people.—JOHN, ch. 7.

5897. — Opposite. Cloud. ²⁰ It came between the camp of the Egyptians and the camp of Israel ; and it was a cloud and darkness to them, but it gave light by night to these.—EX., ch. 14.

5898. — prejudiced. Job's Friends. [Elihu.] ³ Against his three friends was his wrath kindled, because they had found no answer, and yet had condemned Job.—JOB, ch. 32.

5899. — Undecided. At Carmel. ²¹ Elijah . . . said, How long halt ye between two opinions ? if the Lord be God, follow him : but if Baal, then follow him. And the people answered him not a word.—1 KINGS, ch. 18.

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5900. OPPOSITION, Malicious. Diotrefes. ¹ Diotrefes, who loveth to have the preeminence among them, receiveth us not. ¹⁰ Wherefore, if I come, I will remember his deeds which he doeth, prating against us with malicious words : and not content therewith, neither doth he himself receive the brethren, and forbiddeth

them that would, and casteth them out of the church.—3 JOHN, ch. 1.

5901. — by Ridicule. Builders. ¹⁹ When Sanballat the Horonite, and Tobiah the servant, the Ammonite, and Geshem the Arabian, heard it, they laughed us to scorn, and despised us, and said, What is this thing that ye do ? will ye rebel against the king ? ²⁰ Then answered I . . . The God of heaven, he will prosper us ; therefore we his servants will arise and build.—NEH., ch. 2.

5902. — Unmoved by. Nehemiah. [See No. 5901.]

5903. — Weakened by. Jews. ⁴ The people of the land weakened the hands of the people of Judah, and troubled them in building, ⁵ And hired counsellors against them, to frustrate their purpose.—EZRA, ch. 4.

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5904. OPPORTUNITY in Extremity. *Widow of Zarephath.* ¹⁵ She went and did according to the saying of Elijah; and she, and he, and her house, did eat *many* days. ¹⁶ And the barrel of meal wasted not, neither did the cruse of oil fail. —1 KINGS, ch. 17.

5905. — A favourable. *Eunuch.* ³⁶ They came unto a certain water: and the eunuch said, See, *here* is water; what doth hinder me to be baptized? ³⁷ And Philip said, If thou believest with all thine heart, thou mayest. I believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God. —ACTS, ch. 8.

5906. — improved. *Blind Men.* ³¹ The multitude rebuked them, because they should hold their peace: but they cried the more, saying, Have mercy on us, O Lord, *thou* Son of David. ³² And Jesus stood still, and called them. —MAT., ch. 20.

5907. — Quails. ³¹ There went forth a wind from the Lord, and brought quails from the sea, and let *them* fall by the camp. ³² And the people stood up all that day, and all *that* night, and all the next day, and they gathered the quails. —NUM., ch. 11.

5908. — The last. *Offering Isaac.* ¹⁰ Abraham stretched forth his hand, and took the knife to slay his son. ¹¹ And the Angel of the Lord called unto him out of heaven, and said, Abraham, Abraham. —GEN., ch. 22.

5909. — A lost. *Young Ruler.* ²¹ If thou wilt be perfect, go and sell that thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven: and come and follow me. ²² But when the young man heard that saying, he went away sorrowful: for he had great possessions. —MAT., ch. 19.

5910. — limited. *Fig Tree.* ⁸ Lord, let it alone this year also, till I shall dig about it, and dung it: ⁹ And if it bear fruit, *well*: and if not, *then* after that thou shalt cut it down. —LUKE, ch. 13.

5911. — Neglect of. *Ahab.* [Benhadad had been spared and honoured.] ⁴⁰ As thy servant was busy here and there, he was gone. ⁴² Thus saith the Lord, Because thou hast let go out of *thy* hand a man whom I appointed to utter destruction, therefore thy life shall go for his life, and thy people for his people. ⁴³ And the king of Israel went to his house heavy and displeased. —1 KINGS, ch. 20.

5912. — passed. *Fig Tree.* ¹⁹ When he saw a fig tree in the way, he came to it, and found nothing thereon, but leaves only, and said unto it, Let no fruit grow on thee henceforward for ever. And presently the fig tree withered away. —MAT., ch. 21.

5913. — Readiness for. *Miriam.* ¹ Shall I go and call to thee a nurse of the Hebrew women, that she may nurse the child for thee? ² And Pharaoh's daughter said to her, Go. And the maid went and called the child's mother. —EX., ch. 2.

5914. — sought. *Judas.* ¹⁵ What wilt ye give me, and I will deliver him unto you? And they covenanted with him for thirty pieces of silver. ¹⁶ And from that time he sought opportunity to betray him. —MAT., ch. 26.

5915. — A special. *Mordecai to Esther.* ¹⁴ If thou altogether holdest thy peace at this

time, *then* shall there enlargement and deliverance arise to the Jews from another place; but thou and thy father's house shall be destroyed: and who knoweth whether thou art come to the kingdom for *such* a time as this? —ESTHER, ch. 5.

5916. — unperceived. *Jerusalem.* ⁴¹ He beheld the city, and wept over it, ⁴² Saying, If thou hadst known, even thou, at least in this thy day, the things *which* belong unto thy peace! but now they are hid from thine eyes. —LUKE, ch. 19.

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5917. OPPRESSION of Avarice. *Jews.* ⁵ Making the ephah small, and the shekel great, and falsifying the balances by deceit? ⁶ That we may buy the poor for silver, and the needy for a pair of shoes; *yea*, and sell the refuse of the wheat? —AMOS, ch. 8.

5918. — Deliverance from. *Jubilee.* ¹¹ If thy brother, a Hebrew. . . be sold unto thee, and serve thee six years; then in the seventh year thou shalt let him go free from thee. ¹² And. . . thou shalt not let him go away empty. —DEUT., ch. 15.

5919. — in Famine. *Jews.* ³ Some. . . said, We have mortgaged our lands, vineyards, and houses, that we might buy corn, because of the dearth. ⁴ There were also that said, We have borrowed money for the king's tribute. —NUM., ch. 5.

5920. — of Servants. *Law.* ¹⁴ Thou shalt not oppress a hired servant that is poor and needy, *whether he be* of thy brethren, or of thy strangers that are in thy land. —DEUT., ch. 24.

5921. — of Slaves. *In Egypt.* ⁸ The tale of the bricks, which they did make heretofore. . . ye shall not diminish. . . for they be idle; therefore they cry, saying, Let us go and sacrifice to our God. ⁹ Let there more work be laid upon the men. —EX., ch. 5.

5922. — unendurable. *In Egypt.* ¹¹ The same. . . evil entreated our fathers, so that they cast out their young children, to the end they might not live. —ACTS, ch. 7.

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5923. ORDER out of Chaos. *Creation.* ² The earth was without form, and void; and darkness was upon the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters. ³ And God said, Let there be light: and there was light. —GEN., ch. 1.

5924. — in the Church. *Corinth.* ³¹ Ye may all prophesy one by one, that all may learn, and all may be comforted. ³² And the spirits of the prophets are subject to the prophets. ³³ For

God is not the *author* of confusion, but of peace. —1 COR., ch. 14.

5925. — *regarded.* 5000 *fed.* ³⁸ He commanded them to make all sit down by companies upon the green grass. ⁴⁰ And they sat down in ranks, by hundreds, and by fifties.—MARK, ch. 6.

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5926. ORDINATION, Apostolic. *By Jesus.* ¹¹ He went out into a mountain to pray, and continued all night in prayer to God. ¹³ And when it was day, he called unto him his disciples : and of them he chose twelve, whom also he named apostles.—LUKE, ch. 6.

5927. — *End of.* *Apostles.* ¹⁴ He ordained twelve, that they should be with him, and that he might send them forth to preach, ¹⁵ And to have power to heal sicknesses, and to cast out devils.—MARK, ch. 3.

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5928. ORNAMENTS, Female. *Christian.* ³ Whose adorning, let it not be that outward adorning of plaiting the hair, and of wearing of gold, or of putting on of apparel ; ⁴ But let it be the hidden man of the heart, even the ornament of a meek and quiet spirit, which is in the sight of God of great price.—1 PETER, ch. 3.

5929. — *Inspiration for.* *For Tabernacle.* ³¹ He hath filled him with the spirit of God.. ³²..to devise curious works, to work in gold, and in silver, and in brass, ³³ And in the cutting of stones, to set them, and in carving of wood, to make any manner of cunning work.—EX., ch. 35.

5930. — *Sacrifice of.* *At Sinai.* ³ All the people brake off the golden earrings..and brought them unto Aaron. ⁴ And he..fashioned it with a graving tool, after he had made it a molten calf : and they said, These be thy gods. EX. ch. 32.

5931. — *Stripped of.* *Jews.* ¹⁶ Because the daughters of Zion are haughty, and walk with stretched forth necks and wanton eyes, walking and mincing as they go, and making a tinkling with their feet. ¹⁸ In that day the Lord will take away the bravery of their tinkling ornaments about their feet, and their cauls, and their round tires like the moon.—ISA., ch. 3. [See chapter.]

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5933. OSTENTATION forbidden. *Christians.* ⁸ Be not ye called Rabbi : for one is your Master, even Christ ; and all ye are brethren. ⁹ And call no man your father..for one is your Father, which is in heaven. ¹⁰ Neither be ye called masters : for one is your Master, even Christ.—MAT., ch. 23.

5934. — — — *"Before Men."* ² When thou doest thine alms, do not sound a trumpet before thee, as the hypocrites do in the synagogues and in the streets, that they may have glory of men. Verily I say unto you, They have their reward. ³ But when thou doest alms, let not thy left hand know what thy right hand doeth.—MAT., ch. 6.

5935. — — — *for a Purpose.* *Absalom.* ¹ Absalom prepared him chariots and horses, and fifty men to run before him.—2 SAM., ch. 15.

5936. — — — *in Prayer.* *Scribes.* ⁴¹ Which devour widows' houses, and for a shew make long prayers : the same shall receive greater damnation.—LUKE, ch. 20.

5937. — *Religious.* *Pharisees.* ⁸ All their works they do for to be seen of men : they make broad their phylacteries, and enlarge the borders of their garments, ⁹ And love the uppermost rooms at feasts, and the chief seats in the synagogues, ¹⁰ And greetings in the markets, and to be called of men, Rabbi.—MAT., ch. 23.

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5938. — *OSTRACISM, A blessed.* *Jesus said,* ²² Blessed are ye, when men shall hate you, and when they shall separate you from their company, and shall reproach you, and cast out your name as evil, for the Son of man's sake. ²³..leap for joy : for, behold, your reward is great in heaven.—LUKE, ch. 6.

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5940. PACIFICATION, Gifts for. *Esau.* ¹¹ When Esau..asketh thee, saying, Whose art thou ? and whither goest thou ? and whose are these before thee ? ¹⁸ Then thou shalt say, They be thy servant Jacob's ; it is a present sent unto my lord Esau..he is behind us.—GEN., ch. 32.

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5941. PANIC, Death makes a. *In Egypt.* ²³ The Egyptians were urgent upon the people, that they might send them out of the land in haste; for they said, We be all dead men.—Ex., ch. 12.

5942. — A disastrous. *At Red Sea.* ²⁴ The Lord looked . . . through the pillar of fire and of the cloud, and troubled the host of the Egyptians, ²⁵ And took off their chariot wheels, that they drove them heavily: so that the Egyptians said, Let us flee from the face of Israel; for the Lord fighteth for them.—Ex., ch. 14.

5943. — A marvellous. *Four Lepers.* ⁶ The Lord had made the host of the Syrians to hear a noise of chariots, and a noise of horses, even the noise of a great host: and they said, . . . Lo, the king of Israel hath hired against us the kings of the Hittites, and . . . of the Egyptians. . . ⁷ Wherefore they . . . fled in the twilight, and left their tents, and their horses, and their asses, even the camp as it was, and fled for their life.—2 KINGS, ch. 7.

5944. — from Reports. *In Jericho.* [Rahab said,] ¹ I know . . . your terror is fallen upon us, and that all the inhabitants of the land faint because of you. ¹⁰ For we have heard how the Lord dried up the water of the Red sea.—JOSH., ch. 2.

5945. — from Surprise. *Midianites.* ²⁰ The three companies blew the trumpets, and brake the pitchers, and held the lamps in their left hands, and the trumpets in their right hands to blow *withal*: and they cried, The sword of the Lord, and of Gideon. ²¹ And they stood . . . round about the camp: and all the host ran, and cried, and fled.—JUDGES, ch. 7.

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5946. PARADOX, A strong. *Spiritually dead.* ²¹ Another of his disciples said, . . . Lord, suffer me first to go and bury my father. ²² But Jesus said . . . Follow me; and let the dead bury their dead.—MAT., ch. 8.

5947. PARADISE near by. *To Thief.* ⁴² Lord, remember me when thou comest into thy kingdom. ⁴³ And Jesus said unto him, Verily I say unto thee, To day shalt thou be with me in paradise.—LUKE, ch. 23.

5948. — Unspeakable. *Paul.* ⁴ He was caught up into paradise, and heard unspeakable words, which it is not lawful for a man to utter.—2 COR., ch. 12.

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5949. PARDON, Conditioned. *Forgiveness.* ²³ When ye stand praying, forgive, if ye have sought against any; that your Father also which is in heaven may forgive you your trespasses. ²⁴ But if ye do not forgive, neither will your Father . . . forgive your trespasses.—MARK, ch. 11.

5950. — Unexpected. *Adulteress.* ¹⁰ Woman, where are those thine accusers? hath no man condemned thee? ¹¹ She said, No man, Lord. And Jesus said unto her, Neither do I condemn thee; go, and sin no more.—JOHN, ch. 8.

5951. — A wise. *Ammonites defeated.* ¹⁹ The people said unto Samuel, Who is he that said, Shall Saul reign over us? bring the men, that we may put them to death. ¹³ And Saul said, There shall not a man be put to death this day: for to day the Lord hath wrought salvation in Israel.—1 SAM., ch. 11.

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5952. PARENT, An angry. *Saul.* ²⁰ Saul's anger was kindled against Jonathan, and he said . . . Thou son of the perverse rebellious woman, do not I know that thou hast chosen the son of Jesse to thine own confusion?—1 SAM., ch. 20.

5953. — Ambitious. *Zebedee's Wife.* ²⁰ Came to him the mother of Zebedee's children with her sons, worshipping him, and desiring a certain thing. . . ²¹ . . . She saith . . . Grant that these my two sons may sit, the one on thy right hand, and the other on the left, in thy kingdom.—MAT., ch. 20.

5954. — An affectionate. *David.* ²⁰ Absalom fled . . . to Geshur, and was there three years. ²⁹ And the soul of king David longed to go forth unto Absalom: for he was comforted concerning Amnon, seeing he was dead.—2 SAM., ch. 13.

5955. — bereaved, A. *David.* ²³ The king was much moved, and went up to the chamber over the gate, and wept: and as he went, thus he said, O my son Absalom! my son, my son Absalom! would God I had died for thee, O Absalom, my son, my son!—2 SAM., ch. 18.

5956. — Distress of a. *Dumb Spirit.* ²² Ofttimes it hath cast him into the fire, and into the waters, to destroy him: but if thou canst do any thing, have compassion on us, and help us.—MARK, ch. 9.

5957. — A forgiving. *Prodigal Son.* ²¹ Father, I have sinned against heaven, and in thy sight, and am no more worthy to be called thy son. ²² But the father said . . . Bring forth the best robe, and put it on him; and put a ring on his hand, and shoes on his feet.—LUKE, ch. 15.

5958. — A governing. *Abraham.* ¹⁹ I know him, that he will command his children and his household after him, and they shall keep the way of the Lord, to do justice and judgment.—GEN., ch. 18.

5959. — A heedless. *Jephthah.* ²⁰ Jephthah vowed . . . If thou shalt without fail deliver the children of Ammon into my hands, ²¹ . . . whatsoever cometh forth of the doors of my house to meet me, when I return in peace, . . . I will offer it up for a burnt offering. ²⁴ . . . and behold, his daughter came out to meet him with timbrels and with dances. . . His only child.—JUDGES, ch. 11.

5960. — Instruction of a. *Samson's Mother.* ¹² Manoah said, . . . How shall we order the child, and how shall we do unto him? ¹³ And the angel of the Lord said unto Manoah, Of all that I said unto the woman let her beware.—JUDGES, ch. 13.

5961. — Influence of. *Rehob.* ⁶ We will drink no wine: for Jonadab the son of Rehob our father commanded us, saying, Ye shall drink no wine, neither ye, nor your sons for ever.—JER., ch. 35.

5962. — A pious. *Samuel's Mother.* ¹¹ She vowed, . . . O Lord of hosts, if thou wilt indeed look on the affliction of thine handmaid, and remem-

ber me, and not forget thine handmaid, but wilt give unto thine handmaid a man child, then I will give him unto the Lord all the days of his life, and there shall no razor come upon his head.—1 SAM., ch. 1.

5963. — *Respect for. Esau's.* "Esau hated Jacob because, his father blessed him: and Esau said in his heart, The days of mourning for my father are at hand; then will I slay my brother Jacob.—GEN., ch. 27.

5964. — *Responsibility of. Vows.* "If a woman...vow a vow unto the Lord, and bind herself by a bond, being in her father's house in her youth; 'And her father hear her vow, and her bond...and her father shall hold his peace.—NUM., ch. 30.

5965. — *Sons like. Athaliah.* "The sons of Athaliah, that wicked woman, had broken up the house of God; and also all the dedicated things...did they bestow upon Baalim.—2 CHRON., ch. 24.

5966. PARENTS' Piety, Benefits from. David's. "Thou shalt sleep with thy fathers, I will set up thy seed after thee, and I will establish his kingdom. "Heshall build a house for my name, and I will establish the throne of his kingdom for ever.—2 SAM., ch. 7.

5967. — *To Jeroboam.* "I will take the kingdom out of his son's hand, and will give it unto thee, even ten tribes. "And unto his son will I give one tribe, that David my servant may have a light alway before me in Jerusalem.—1 KINGS, ch. 11.

5968. — *to correct. Proverb.* "The rod and reproof give wisdom: but a child left to himself bringeth his mother to shame.. "Correct thy son, and he shall give thee rest: yea, he shall give delight unto thy soul.—PROV., ch. 29.

5969. — *Care for. David.* "He said unto the king of Moab, Let my father and my mother, I pray thee, come forth, and be with you, till I know what God will do for me.—1 SAM., ch. 22.

5970. — *Children of wicked. At Beth-el.* "Elisha went, unto Beth-el: and...there came forth little children out of the city, and mocked him...Go up, thou bald-head.. "And he...cursed them in the name of the Lord. And there came forth two she-bears out of the wood, and tare forty and two children of them.—2 KINGS, ch. 2.

5971. — *Esteem for. Proverb.* "Children's children are the crown of old men; and the glory of children are their fathers.—PROV., ch. 17.

5972. — *Example of. Abijam.* [A golden calf was set up at Bethel.] "He walked in all the sins of his father, which he had done before him: and his heart was not perfect with the Lord his God.—1 KINGS, ch. 15.

5973. — *followed. Example.* "If we had been in the days of our fathers, we would not have been partakers with them in the blood of the prophets. "Wherefore ye be witnesses unto yourselves, that ye are the children of them which killed the prophets. "Fill ye up then the measure of your fathers.—MAT., ch. 23.

5974. — *Amaziah.* "He did that which was right in the sight of the Lord, yet not like David his father; he did according to all

things as Joash his father did. "Howbeit the high places were not taken away.—2 KINGS, ch. 14.

5975. — *Honour for. Fifth Command.* "Honour thy father and thy mother: that thy days may be long upon the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee.—EX., ch. 20.

5976. — *Involving Children. "Blood upon."* "Pilate...took water, and washed his hands before the multitude, saying, I am innocent of the blood of this just person: see ye to it. "Then answered all the people, and said, His blood be on us, and on our children.—MAT., ch. 27.

5977. — *to be just. "Provoke not."* "Ye fathers, provoke not your children to wrath: but bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord.—EPA., ch. 6.

5978. — *Partiality of. Unhappy.* "The boys grew: and Esau was a cunning hunter, a man of the field; and Jacob was a plain man, dwelling in tents. "And Isaac loved Esau, because he did eat of his venison: but Rebekah loved Jacob.—GEN., ch. 25.

5979. — *punished. Eli.* "The ark of God was taken; and the two sons of Eli, Hophni and Phinehas, were slain. "when he made mention of the ark of God...he fell from off the seat backward by the side of the gate, and his neck brake, and he died.—1 SAM., ch. 4.

5980. — *Responsibility of. Eli's.* "The Lord said to Samuel, Behold, I will do a thing in Israel, at which both the ears of every one that heareth it shall tingle.. "I will judge his house for ever for the iniquity which he knoweth; because his sons made themselves vile, and he restrained them not.—1 SAM., ch. 3.

5981. — *Limited.* "His disciples asked...who did sin, this man, or his parents, that he was born blind? "Jesus answered, Neither hath this man sinned, nor his parents: but that the works of God should be made manifest in him.—JOHN, ch. 9.

5982. — *Sins of. Idols.* "Thou shalt not bow down thyself to them, nor serve them: for I the Lord thy God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation of them that hate me.—EX., ch. 20.

5983. — *Ahab's.* "Ahab said to Elijah, Hast thou found me, O mine enemy? And he answered, I have found thee: because thou hast sold thyself to work evil in the sight of the Lord. "Behold, I will bring evil upon thee, and will take away thy posterity.—1 KINGS, ch. 21.

5984. — *to teach. The Law.* "These words...shall be in thine heart: "And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up.—DEUT., ch. 6.

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5985. PARTIALITY, Complaint against. *Grecians.* 'There arose a murmuring of the Grecians against the Hebrews, because their widows were neglected in the daily ministration.—ACTS, ch. 6.

5986. — Improper. Wealth. 'Ye have respect to him that weareth the gay clothing, and say..Sit thou here in a good place; and say to the poor, Stand thou there, or sit here under my footstool: 'Are ye not then partial in yourselves?—JAMES, ch. 2.

5987. — Justifiable. Joseph's. [He had revealed himself.] 'To all of them he gave each man changes of raiment; but to Benjamin he gave three hundred pieces of silver, and five changes of raiment.—GEN., ch. 45.

5988. — manifested. Jacob. 'Israel loved Joseph more than all his children, because he was the son of his old age; and he made him a coat of many colours. 'And when his brethren saw that their father loved him more..they hated him, and could not speak peaceably unto him.—GEN., ch. 37.

5989. — Surprising. Joseph's House. 'He..sent messes unto them from before him; but Benjamin's mess was five times so much as any of theirs. And they drank, and were merry with him.—GEN., ch. 43.

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5992. PAST, Memory of the. *Job.* 'O that I were as in months past, as in the days when God preserved me; 'When his candle shined upon my head, and when by his light I walked through darkness; 'As I was in the days of my youth, when the secret of God was upon my tabernacle.—JOB, ch. 29.

5993. PASSION, Conquest of. *Proverb.* 'He that is slow to anger is better than the mighty; and he that ruleth his spirit than he that taketh a city.—PROV., ch. 16.

5994. PATIENCE, Divine. *Wicked Husbandmen.* 'The husbandmen took his servants, and beat one, and killed another, and stoned another. 'Again, he sent other servants more than the first: and they did unto them likewise. 'But last of all he sent unto them his son, saying, They will reverence my son.—MAT., ch. 21.

5995. — Exemplar of. Jesus. 'Consider him that endured such contradiction of sinners against himself, lest ye be wearied and faint in your minds. 'Ye have not yet resisted unto blood, striving against sin.—HEB., ch. 12.

5996. — Labour of. Fig Tree. 'Lord, let it alone this year also, till I shall dig about it, and dung it: 'And if it bear fruit, well: and if not, then after that thou shalt cut it down.—LUKE, ch. 13.

5997. — maintained. Absalom's Rebellion. 'He cast stones at David, and at all the servants..and all the mighty men were on his right hand and on his left. 'And thus said Shimei when he cursed, Come out, come out, thou bloody man, and thou man of Belial.—2 SAM., ch. 16.

5998. — needful. "Fret not." 'Rest in the Lord, and wait patiently for him: fret not thyself because of him who prospereth in his way, because of the man who bringeth wicked devices to pass. 'Cease from anger, and forsake wrath: fret not thyself in any wise to do evil.—PS. 37.

5999. — Picture of. "Husbandman." 'Be patient therefore, brethren, unto the coming of the Lord. Behold, the husbandman waiteth for the precious fruit of the earth, and hath long patience for it, until he receive the early and latter rain. 'Be ye also patient.—JAMES, ch. 5.

6000. — rewarded. Seeker's. 'I waited patiently for the Lord; and he inclined unto me, and heard my cry. 'He brought me up also out of a horrible pit, out of the miry clay, and set my feet upon a rock, and established my goings. 'And he hath put a new song in my mouth, even praise unto our God.—PS. 40.

6001. — tested. Creditor. 'The same servant..found one of his fellow servants, which owed him a hundred pence: and he..took him by the throat, saying, Pay me that thou owest. 'And his fellow servant fell down at his feet..saying, Have patience with me, and I will pay thee all. 'And he would not; but..cast him into prison.—MAT., ch. 18.

6002. — *Saul the King.* ⁹ The children of Belial said, How shall this man save us? And they despised him, and brought him no presents. But he held his peace.—1 SAM., ch. 10.

6003. — *Without Abishai.* [See No. 5997.] ⁹ Then said Abishai, Why should this dead dog curse my lord the king? let me go over, I pray thee, and take off his head. ¹⁰ And the king said, What have I to do with you, ye sons of Zeruiah? so let him curse, because the Lord hath said unto him, Curse.—2 SAM., ch. 16.

6004. — *in Waiting. For Promise.* ³⁵ Cast not away therefore your confidence, which hath great recompense of reward. ³⁶ For ye have need of patience, that, after ye have done the will of God, ye might receive the promise.—HEB., ch. 10.

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for Christ. [Paul and Silas] laid many stripes 8448
Faithful. Were stoned..sawn asunder, were 8449
Subdued. Bt the people..died, therefore..we 8451
Support. Sufferings of this present time not w. 8450

SUFFERINGS.

Apostolic. [Paul] Five times..stripes..thrice 8452
Chosen. Moses..choosing rather to suffer..than 8453
Recompensed. Moses..had respect unto the r. 8454
Sacred. Remove this cup..not my will[Jesus] 8455

6005. PATRIOTISM, Absorbing. *Nehemiah.* ² Why is thy countenance sad, seeing thou art not sick? this is nothing else but sorrow of heart. Then I was very sore afraid, ³ And said..Let the king live for ever: why should not my countenance be sad, when the city, the place of my fathers' sepulchres, lieth waste, and the gates thereof are consumed with fire?—NEH., ch. 2.

6006. — *Appeal to.* *Nehemiah.* ¹¹ Our adversaries said, They shall not know, neither see, till we come in the midst among them, and slay them, and cause the work to cease. ¹⁴ Be not ye afraid of them: remember the Lord..and fight for your brethren, your sons, and your daughters, your wives, and your houses.—NEH., ch. 4.

6007. — *of Children.* *Walls built.* ⁴³ That day they offered great sacrifices, and rejoiced: for God had made them rejoice with great joy: the wives also and the children rejoiced: so that the joy of Jerusalem was heard even afar off.—NEH., ch. 12.

6008. — *A dangerous.* *Assassin.* ¹⁴ The children of Israel served Eglon..eighteen years. ¹⁶ But Ehud made him a dagger which had two edges, of a cubit length; and he did gird it under his raiment upon his right thigh. ¹⁷ And he brought the present unto Eglon king of Moab [and killed him].—JUDGES, ch. 3.

6009. — *Deed of.* *Moses.* ¹¹ When Moses was grown..he went out unto his brethren, and looked on their burdens: and he spied an Egyptian smiting a Hebrew. ¹² And he looked this way and that way, and when he saw that there was no man, he slew the Egyptian, and hid him in the sand.—EX., ch. 2.

6010. — *Generous.* *Nehemiah.* ¹⁷ There were at my table a hundred and fifty of the Jews and rulers, besides those that came unto us from among the heathen. ¹⁸ Now that which was prepared for me daily was one ox and six choice sheep; also fowls..and once in ten days store of all sorts of wine: yet for all this required not I the bread of the governor, because the bondage was heavy upon this people.—NEH., ch. 5.

6011. — *Longing of.* *Jacob.* ²⁸ When Rachel had borne Joseph..Jacob said unto Laban, Send me away, that I may go unto..my country.—GEN., ch. 30.

6012. — *Survival of.* *Hadad.* ²¹ Hadad said..Let me..go to mine own country. ²² Then Pharaoh said..But what hast thou lacked with me that, behold, thou seekest to go to thine own country? And he answered, Nothing: howbeit let me go in any wise.—1 KINGS, ch. 11.

6013. — *self-sacrificing.* *Moses.* ²¹ Said, Oh, this people have sinned a great sin, and

have made them gods of gold. ²² Yet now, if thou wilt forgive their sin—; and if not, blot me, I pray thee, out of thy book which thou hast written.—*Ex.*, ch. 32.

6014.—*Sacrifices of. Nehemiah.* ¹⁴ I and my brethren have not eaten the bread of the governor. ¹⁵ But the former governors .were chargeable unto the people, and had taken of them bread and wine, besides forty shekels of silver; yea, even their servants bare rule over the people: but so did not I, because of the fear of God.—*Neh.*, ch. 5.

6015.—*Sentiments of. Moses.* ¹⁸ Moses went .to Jethro his father in law, and said. . Let me go, I pray thee, and return unto my brethren which are in Egypt, and see whether they be yet alive.—*Ex.*, ch. 4.

6016. *PASTOR, Need of a. No Shepherd.* ²² When he saw the multitudes, he was moved with compassion on them, because they fainted, and were scattered abroad, as sheep having no shepherd.—*Mat.*, ch. 9.

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6017. *PAYMENT, Prompt. Proverb.* ²⁸ Say not unto thy neighbour, Go, and come again, and to morrow I will give: when thou hast it by thee.—*Prov.*, ch. 3.

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Abundant. Entered. . . Simon's . . ship . . of fishes	7369
Benevolence. Call the poor . . recompensed at the	7370
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Declined. Not take from a thread to a shoelatchet	7372
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Future. Moses . . had respect unto the recompense	7374
Gracious. Give me to drink . . Is not this the Christ	7375
Grace. Unprofitable servants . . done our duty	7376
Labourers. He that reapeth receiveth wages	7377
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Back. Borrow jewels of silver . . gold	9255
Changed. [Laban] changed my wages ten times	9256
Daily. Not abide with thee all night	9257
" Neither shall the sun go down on it	9258
Others. Made them equal unto us	9259
Unimportant. Take this child . . give thee wages	9260
Withheld. Hire of the labourers . . crieth	9261
Recompense. Receive a hundredfold now	6904

6018. *PEACE, Cost of. About \$27.* ¹⁰ Menahem exacted the money of Israel, even of all the mighty men of wealth, of each man fifty shekels of silver, to give to the king of Assyria. So the king of Assyria . . stayed not there in the land.—*2 Kings*, ch. 15.

6019.—*condemned. Jehu.* ¹⁷ Joram said, Take a horseman, and send to meet them, and let him say, *Is it peace?* ¹⁸ So there went one on horseback to meet him, and said, Thus saith the king, *Is it peace?* And Jehu said, What hast thou to do with peace? turn thee behind me.—*2 Kings*, ch. 8.

6020.—*commanded. By Jesus.* ²⁸ He arose, and rebuked the wind, and said unto the sea, Peace, be still. And the wind ceased, and there was a great calm.—*Mark*, ch. 4.

6021.—*Disposition for. Abram.* ⁸ Abram said unto Lot, Let there be no strife, I pray thee. . we be brethren. ⁹ *Is not the whole land*

before thee? separate thyself, I pray thee, from me: if *thou wilt take* the left hand, then I will go to the right; or if *thou depart* to the right hand, then I will go to the left.—*Gen.*, ch. 13.

6022.—*Intercession for. Ambassage.* ²¹ What king, going to make war against another king, sitteth not down first, and consulteth whether he be able with ten thousand to meet. . him with twenty thousand? ²² Or else, while the other is yet a great way off, he sendeth an ambassage, and desireth conditions of peace.—*Luke*, ch. 14.

6023.—*Insecure. "Healed Slightly."* ¹⁰ From the least even unto the greatest is given to covetousness, from the prophet even unto the priest every one dealeth falsely. ¹¹ For they have healed the hurt of the daughter of my people slightly, saying, Peace, peace; when there is no peace.—*Jer.*, ch. 8.

6024.—*Jesus brings. Resurrection.* ²² After eight days again his disciples were within, and Thomas with them: then came Jesus, the doors being shut, and stood in the midst, and said, Peace be unto you.—*John*, ch. 20.

6025.—*Kingdom of. Messiah's.* ⁴ The wolf also shall dwell with the lamb, and the leopard shall lie down with the kid; and the calf and the young lion and the fatling together; and a little child shall lead them. ⁵ And the cow and the bear shall feed; their young ones shall lie down together: and the lion shall eat straw like the ox.—*Isa.*, ch. 11.

6026.—*Legacy of. Christ's.* ²¹ Peace I leave with you, my peace I give unto you: not as the world giveth, give I unto you. Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid.—*John*, ch. 14.

6027.—*National. Solomon.* ⁴ My God hath given me rest on every side, so that there is neither adversary nor evil occurrent. ⁵ And, behold, I purpose to build a house unto the name of the Lord.—*1 Kings*, ch. 5.

6028.—*Offering for. Sinner's.* ¹² The men that died not were smitten with the emerods: and the cry of the city went up to heaven. . ⁴ Then said they, What shall be the trespass offering which we shall return to him? They answered, Five golden emerods, and five golden mice, according to the number of the lords of the Philistines.—*1 Sam.*, chs. 5, 6.

6029.—*Pledge of. Rainbow.* ¹⁴ When I bring a cloud over the earth. . the bow shall be seen in the cloud: ¹⁵ And I will remember my covenant, which is between me and you and every living creature of all flesh; and the waters shall no more become a flood to destroy all flesh.—*Gen.*, ch. 9.

6030.—*Plea for. Abner's.* ²⁶ Shall the sword devour for ever? knowest thou not that it will be bitterness in the latter end? how long shall it be then, ere thou bid the people return from following their brethren? ²⁷ And Joab said . . unless thou hadst spoken, surely then in the morning the people had gone up every one from following his brother.—*2 Sam.*, ch. 2.

6031.—*purchased. About \$1,811,000.* ¹⁹ Pul the king of Assyria came against the land: and Menahem gave Pul a thousand talents of silver, that his hand might be with him to confirm the kingdom in his hand.—*2 Kings*, ch. 15.

6032. — *High Price of Pilate.* ²⁴ When Pilate saw that he could prevail nothing, but that rather a tumult was made, he took water, and washed his hands before the multitude, saying, I am innocent of the blood of this just person: see ye to it.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

6033. — *with Sin, No. "Sword."* ²⁴ Think not that I am come to send peace on earth: I came not to send peace, but a sword.—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

6034. — *Tribute for. Hazael.* ¹⁸ Jehoash king of Judah took all the hallowed things that his fathers, kings of Judah, had dedicated, and all the gold that was found in the treasures of the house of the Lord, and in the king's house, and sent it to Hazael king of Syria: and he went away from Jerusalem.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 12.

6035. — *Typical, "Own Vine."* ²⁵ Judah and Israel dwelt safely, every man under his vine and under his fig tree, from Dan even to Beersheba, all the days of Solomon.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 4.

6036. — *Untarnished. Saul.* ¹⁹ The people said unto Samuel, Who is he that said, Shall Saul reign over us? bring the men, that we may put them to death. ¹³ And Saul said, There shall not a man be put to death this day: for to day the Lord hath wrought salvation in Israel.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 11.

6037. — *Universal. Millennium.* ⁴ He shall judge among the nations, and they shall beat their swords into ploughshares, and their spears into pruninghooks: nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more.—*ISA.*, ch. 9.

6038. — *Ten Years of. In Judah.* ¹ Asa reigned. In his days the land was quiet ten years. ² And Asa did that which was good and right in the eyes of the Lord.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 14.

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Assurance. Would he have shewed us all these	53
Denied. Ye brought. torn, and the lame..sick	55
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of Piety. In every nation he that feareth..worketh	58
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RECONCILIATION.

Noble. Esau ran to meet him, and embraced	6005
Strange. The same day Pilate and Herod were	6006
Worship. Leave there thy gifts..first be reconciled	6007

6039. PEEVISHNESS, Jealous. *Saul.* ¹ The women answered one another as they played, and said, Saul hath slain his thousands, and David his ten thousands. ⁸ And Saul was very wroth, and he said, They have ascribed unto David ten thousands, and to me they have ascribed but thousands: and what can he have more but the kingdom?—*1 SAM.*, ch. 18.

6040. — *Natural. Nabal.* ³ The man was Nabal, and the name of his wife Abigail; and she was a woman of good understanding, and of a beautiful countenance: but the man was churlish and evil in his doings.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 25.

6041. PENITENCE, Blessedness of. Beatitude. ³ Blessed are the poor in spirit: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. ⁴ Blessed are they that

mourn: for they shall be comforted.—*MAT.*, ch. 5.

6042. — *regarded. Josiah.* ²⁷ Because thine heart was tender, and thou didst humble thyself before God, when thou heardest his words against this place, and humbledst thyself before me, and didst rend thy clothes, and weep before me; I have even heard thee also, saith the Lord. ²⁸ Behold, thou shalt be gathered to thy grave in peace.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 34.

6043. — *Ahab.* ²⁹ Seest thou how Ahab humbleth himself before me? because he humbleth himself before me, I will not bring the evil in his days: but in his son's days will I bring the evil upon his house.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 21.

6044. — *True. Publican.* ¹³ The publican, standing afar off, would not lift up so much as his eyes unto heaven, but smote upon his breast, saying, God be merciful to me a sinner. ¹⁴ I tell you, this man went down to his house justified rather than the other.—*LUKE*, ch. 18.

6045. — *Tears of. Peter.* ²⁸ The second time the cock crew. And Peter called to mind the word that Jesus said. Before the cock crow twice, thou shalt deny me thrice. And when he thought thereon, he wept.—*MAT.*, ch. 14.

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Revival. Great multitude..wept sore	906
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6046. PENURY, Benevolence in. Widow. ⁴³ This poor widow hath cast more in, than all they which have cast into the treasury: ⁴⁴ For all they did cast in of their abundance; but she of her want did cast in all that she had, even all her living.—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

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6047. PEOPLE feared. At Jerusalem. ⁴¹ Taught daily in the temple. But the chief priests and the scribes and the chief of the people sought to destroy him, ⁴² And could not find what they might do: for all the people were very attentive to hear him.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

6048. — *King Herod.* ⁴ John said unto him, It is not lawful for thee to have her. ⁵ And when he would have put him to death, he feared the multitude, because they counted him as a prophet.—*MAT.*, ch. 14.

6049. — *Offering for the. Law.* ²⁸ If his sin, which he hath sinned, come to his knowledge; then he shall bring his offering, a kid of the goats, a female without blemish, for his sin.—*LEV.*, ch. 4. [See verses 27-31.]

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MASSES.

Bible. Set up these stones..write plainly..law	5352
Neglected. Sheep not having a shepherd	5253

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Greatest. He that is least in the kingdom..is gr.	5398
Indispensable. Except these [sallors] abide in the	5399
Picked. Saul saw any strong man..took him	5390
Simple. 300..their simplicity..knew not anything	5391

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6050. PERFUME, A sacred. Inimitable. ²⁴ The Lord said unto Moses, Take unto thee sweet spices, stacte, and onycha, and galbanum; these sweet spices with pure frankincense: of each

shall there be a like *weight*: ³⁰ Whosoever shall make like unto that, to smell thereto, shall even be cut off from his people.—*Ex.*, ch. 30.

6051. PERFECTION, Aim at. *In Obedience.* ²¹ Ye shall observe to do therefore as the Lord your God hath commanded you: ye shall not turn aside to the right hand or to the left. ²² Ye shall walk in all the ways which the Lord your God hath commanded you, that ye may live, and that it may be well with you, and that ye may prolong your days in the land.—*Deut.*, ch. 5.

6052. — the Object. *Of Preaching.* ²⁸ Whom we preach, warning every man, and teaching every man in all wisdom; that we may present every man perfect in Christ Jesus: ²⁹ Whereunto I also labour, striving according to his working, which worketh in me mightily.—*Col.*, ch. 1.

6053. — Price of. *Young Ruler.* ³⁰ All these things have I kept from my youth up: what lack I yet? ³¹ Jesus said unto him, If thou wilt be perfect, go and sell that thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven: and come and follow me.—*Mat.*, ch. 19.

6054. — proposed. *“Leaving Principles.”* ¹ Therefore leaving the principles of the doctrine of Christ, let us go on unto perfection; not laying again the foundation of repentance from dead works, and of faith toward God.—*Heb.*, ch. 6.

6055. — required. *“Walk before Me.”* ¹ When Abram was ninety years old and nine, the Lord appeared to Abram, and said unto him, I am the Almighty God; walk before me, and be thou perfect. ² And I will make my covenant between me and thee.—*Gen.*, ch. 17.

6056. — Service in. *Altar.* ¹⁸ He, that hath a blemish, he shall not approach: a blind man, or a lame, or he that hath a flat nose, or any thing superfluous, ¹⁹ Or a man that is brokenfooted, or brokenhanded, ²⁰ Or crookedbacked, or a dwarf, or that hath a blemish in his eye, or be scurvy, or scabbed.—*Lev.*, ch. 21.

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FAULTLESS.

Condemnation of. Pilate said...no fault in him 3085
Official. Sought...occasion against Daniel...nor f. 3086

INNOCENT.

Mediation. Ye shall not see my face except your 4502
Punishment by. He...without sin cast the first stone 4503

INNOCENCE.

Avenge. Murderers...David...cut off their hands 4505
Boldness. With whomsoever...it be found, let him 4506
Betrayed. I have betrayed innocent blood...Judas 4507
Convincing. All understood...it was not of the king 4508
Conduct of. Some bade me kill thee...mine eye s. 4509
False. Pilate washed his hands...I am innocent 4510
Proved. G. shut the lions' mouths...innocency 4511
Protected. Should I not spare...not discern...right 4512

HOLINESS.

Acknowledged. Put off thy shoes from thy feet 3996
“ Loose thy shoe from off thy foot 3997
Alarming. Who is able to stand before this holy G. 3998
Celebration. Holy, holy, holy is the L. of hosts 3999
Conspicuous. Holiness to the Lord...upon Aaron's 4000
Chosen. Ye shall be unto me...a holy nation 4001
Church. A glorious church not having spot...holy 4002
Prayer. That ye may be filled with all the fulness 4003
In Old Age. Abram...90 years old 6055

6057. PERIL from Assassins. *At Jerusalem.* ¹² Certain of the Jews banded together, and bound themselves under a curse, saying that they would neither eat nor drink till they had killed Paul. ¹³ And they were more than forty which had made this conspiracy.—*Acts*, ch. 23.

6058. — Fasting in. *Shipwrecked.* ²² Paul besought them all to make meat, saying, This day is the fourteenth day that ye have tarried and continued fasting... ²⁴ Wherefore I pray you to take some meat; for this is for your health.—*Acts*, ch. 27.

6059. — Imminent. *“A Step.”* ¹ David fled from Naioth...and came and said before Jonathan, What have I done? what is mine iniquity? and what is my sin before thy father, that he seeketh my life?... ² Truly, as the Lord liveth, and as thy soul liveth, there is but a step between me and death.—*1 Sam.*, ch. 20.

6060. — Praying in. *Sea of Galilee.* ²³ There came down a storm of wind on the lake: and they were filled with water, and were in jeopardy. ²⁴ And they...awoke him, saying, Master, Master, we perish. Then he arose, and rebuked the wind.—*LUKE*, ch. 8.

6061. — Sleeping in. *Jonah* ⁵ Was fast asleep. ⁶ So the shipmaster...said unto him, What meanest thou, O sleeper? arise, call upon thy God, if so be that God will think upon us, that we perish not.—*JONAH*, ch. 1.

6062. — Time of. *At Red Sea.* ¹⁰ When Pharaoh drew nigh, the children of Israel lifted up their eyes, and behold, the Egyptians marched after them; and they were sore afraid: and...cried out unto the Lord.—*Ex.*, ch. 14.

6063. — Voluntary. *Three Captains.* ¹⁷ David...said, Oh that one would give me drink of the water of the well of Beth-lehem, that is at the gate! ¹⁸ And the three brake through the host of the Philistines, and drew water out of the well of Beth-lehem, that was by the gate...and brought it to David: but David...poured it out to the Lord.—*1 CHRON.*, ch. 11.

6064. — — Sin of. [See No. 6063.] ¹⁹ And said, My God forbid it me, that I should do this thing: shall I drink the blood of these men that have put their lives in jeopardy? for with the jeopardy of their lives they brought it: therefore he would not drink it.—*1 CHRON.*, ch. 11.

6065. PERILS, Many. *Paul.* ²⁸ Thrice was I beaten with rods, once was I stoned, thrice I suffered shipwreck, a night and a day I have been in the deep; ²⁹ In journeyings often, in perils of waters, in perils of robbers, in perils by mine own countrymen, in perils by the heathen, in perils in the city, in perils in the wilderness, in perils in the sea, in perils among false brethren.—*2 Cor.*, ch. 11.

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Angels urge. Brought them forth..speak in the 878
Apostolic. Whom ye put in prison are..in the t. 879
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Brazen. Ahab said to Elijah. Art thou..troubleth 881
Innocence. With whom..be found, let him die 882
Influence. Saw the boldness of P. and J..took 883
Right. When thou seest..more than thou..not 884
Sinners. Jeroboam..served Baal..reared an altar 885
Shame. Absalom..tent upon the roof..concubines 886
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Daring. Paul would have entered..suffered him n. 1771
Faith. L. that delivered me..Hon..this Phillistine 1772
Ground. With him..arm of flesh, but with us..Lord 1773
Honouring. Let us go up at once and possess it 1774
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Escape. Disciples let him down by night in a b. 1909
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Threat. So let the gods do..make thy life 4636

Watching. Eli sat watching..heart trembled 444

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6066. PERPLEXITY from Success. *At Ekron.*

"All the lords of the Philistines..said, Send away the ark of the God of Israel..to his own place, that it slay us not, and our people: for there was a deadly destruction throughout all the city; the hand of God was very heavy there. —1 SAM., ch. 5.

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DESPERATION.

Boldness. I will go in unto the king..if I perish 2218

Effort. Why sit we here till we die? 2219

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Sacrifices. King of Moab took his eldest son 2221

Dilemma. The baptism of John, whence was it? 2207

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6067. PERSISTENCE necessary. "Stayed up his Hands." ¹² Moses' hands were heavy; and they took a stone, and put it under him, and he sat thereon; and Aaron and Hur stayed up his hands, the one on the one side, and the other on the other side; and his hands were steady until the going down of the sun. ¹³ And Joshua discomfited Amalek.—Ex., ch. 17.

6068. — in Prayer. *Jacob.* ²⁶ Let me go, for the day breaketh. And he said, I will not let thee go, except thou bless me. ²⁷ And he said..What is thy name. And he said, Jacob. ²⁸ And he said, Thy name shall be called no more Jacob, but Israel: for as a prince hast thou power with God and with men, and hast prevailed.—Gen., ch. 32.

6069. — rewarded. *The Shunammite.* ²⁹ He said to Gehazi..take my staff in thy hand, and go thy way..and lay my staff upon the face of the child. ³⁰ And the mother of the child said, As the Lord liveth, and as thy soul liveth, I will not leave thee. And he arose, and followed her.—2 Kings, ch. 4.

6070. — Unchangeable. *Mordecai.* ² Mordecai bowed not, nor did him reverence. ³ Then the king's servants, which were in the king's gate, said unto Mordecai, Why transgressest thou the king's commandment? ⁴..they spake daily unto him, and he hearkened not.—ESTHER, ch. 3.

6071. — Undiscouraged. *Barthelemy.* ⁴⁸ Many charged him that he should hold his peace: but he cried the more a great deal, *Thou Son of David, have mercy on me.* ⁴⁹ And Jesus stood still, and commanded him to be called.—MARK, ch. 10.

6072. — — "Importunity." ⁵ Which of you shall have a friend, and..at midnight..say unto him, Friend, lend me three loaves..Trouble me not: the door is now shut, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot rise and give thee. ⁶..Though he will not rise and give him, because he is his friend, yet because of his importunity he will rise and give him as many as he needeth.—LUKE, ch. 11.

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Evil. As the L. liveth..I will not leave thee 2262

" We will certainly..burn incense to the queen 2260

Fixed. In every city bonds..none..move me 2261

Resolute. Absalom said..set it on fire 2263

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PERSEVERANCE.

Confident. Neither death nor life..separate me 6097

Exhortation. Barnabas exhorted..with purpose 6098

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Success by. I have fought a good fight..crown 6103

" Delliath pressed him daily..told her 6104

Test. If ye continue in my word, then..disciples 6105

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6073. PERSON, Character more than. *Vision of Sheel.* ²⁴ Then Peter . . said, Of a truth, I perceive that God is no respecter of persons : ²⁵ But in every nation he that feareth him, and worketh righteousness, is accepted with him.—*ACTS*, ch. 10.

6074. PERSONS not respected. *Plague of Death.* ²² At midnight the Lord smote all the firstborn in the land of Egypt, from the firstborn of Pharaoh that sat on his throne unto the firstborn of the captive that was in the dungeon ; and all the firstborn of cattle.—*EX.*, ch. 12.

6075. — Respect for. *Clothing.* ³ And ye have respect to him that weareth the gay clothing, and say unto him, Sit thou here in a good place, and say to the poor, Stand thou there, or sit here under my footstool : ⁴ Are ye not then partial ?—*JAMES*, ch. 2.

6076. — — Prejudice. ¹ Miriam and Aaron spake against Moses because of the Ethiopian woman whom he had married . . ¹⁰ . . Miriam became leprous, white as snow.—*NUM.*, ch. 12.

6077. PERSECUTOR arrested, A. *Saul.* ⁴ He fell to the earth, and heard a voice saying . . Saul, Saul, why persecutest thou me ? ⁵ And he said, Who art thou, Lord ? And the Lord said, I am Jesus whom thou persecutest : it is hard for thee to kick against the pricks. ⁶ And he trembling and astonished said, Lord, what wilt thou have me to do ?—*ACTS*, ch. 9.

6078. PERSECUTORS Lawless. *At Thessalonica.* ⁵ The Jews . . moved with envy, took unto them certain lewd fellows of the baser sort, and gathered a company, and set all the city on an uproar, and assaulted the house of Jason, and sought to bring them out to the people.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

6079. — Prayer for. *On the Cross.* ³⁴ Then said Jesus, Father, forgive them ; for they know not what they do.—*LUKE*, ch. 23.

6080. — — Stephen. ⁵⁵ They stoned Stephen, calling upon God, and saying, Lord Jesus, receive my spirit. ⁶⁰ And he kneeled down, and cried with a loud voice, Lord, lay not this sin to their charge. And when he had said this, he fell asleep.—*ACTS*, ch. 7.

6081. — Unbelieving. *Wedding Feast.* ³ They made light of it, and went their ways, one to his farm, another to his merchandise : ⁶ And the remnant took his servants, and entreated them spitefully, and slew them.—*MAT.*, ch. 22.

6082. PERSECUTION in Adversity. *Shimei.* [Fleeing from Absalom,] ⁵ Shimei . . cursed still as he came. ⁶ And he cast stones at David, and at all the servants of king David . . and all the mighty men were on his right hand and on his left. ⁷ And thus said Shimei . . Come out, come out, thou bloody man, and thou man of Belial.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 16.

6083. — Associated in. *Lazarus.* ¹⁰ The chief priests consulted that they might put Lazarus also to death ; ¹¹ Because that by reason of him many of the Jews went away, and believed on Jesus.—*JOHN*, ch. 12.

6084. — Born to. *"Flesh."* [See No. 6088.] ²² He that was born after the flesh persecuted him that was born after the Spirit, even so it is now.—*GAL.*, ch. 4.

6085. — Blessed. *"Scattered."* ¹ There was a great persecution against the church . . at Jerusalem ; and they were all scattered abroad throughout the regions of Judea and Samaria, except the apostles. ⁴ . . They that were scattered abroad went every where preaching the word.—*ACTS*, ch. 8.

6086. — Escape from. *Paul.* ²² In Damascus the governor . . kept the city of the Damascenes with a garrison, desirous to apprehend me : ²³ And through a window in a basket was I let down by the wall, and escaped his hands.—*2 COR.*, ch. 11.

6087. — Honoured by. *Apostles.* ⁴⁰ When they had called the apostles, and beaten them, they commanded that they should not speak in the name of Jesus, and let them go. ⁴¹ And they departed from . . the council, rejoicing that they were counted worthy to suffer shame for his name.—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

6088. — Juvenile. *Ishmael.* ⁸ Abraham made a great feast the same day that Isaac was weaned. ⁹ And Sarah saw the son of Hagar the Egyptian . . mocking.—*GEN.*, ch. 21.

6089. — Joy in. *Paul and Silas.* [See No. 6091.] ²⁵ At midnight Paul and Silas prayed, and sang praises unto God : and the prisoners heard them.—*ACTS*, ch. 16.

6090. — overruled. *At Antioch.* ²⁶ Some of them were men of Cyprus and Cyrene, which, when they were come to Antioch, spake unto the Grecians, preaching the Lord Jesus. ²⁷ And the hand of the Lord was with them : and a great number believed, and turned unto the Lord.—*ACTS*, ch. 11.

6091. — Painful. *At Philippi.* ²² When they had laid many stripes upon them, they cast them into prison, charging the jailer to keep them safely : ²⁴ Who . . thrust them into the inner prison, and made their feet fast in the stocks.—*ACTS*, ch. 16.

6092. — promised. *"With Persecution."* ²⁹ There is no man that hath left house, or brethren, or sisters, or father, or mother, or wife, or children, or lands, for my sake, and the gospel's, ³⁰ But he shall receive a hundredfold now in this time, houses, and brethren, and sisters, and mothers, and children, and lands, with persecutions ; and in the world to come eternal life.—*MARK*, ch. 10.

6093. — — "Own Household." ³⁴ Think not that I am come to send peace on earth : I came not to send peace, but a sword. ³⁵ For I am come to set a man at variance against his father, and the daughter against her mother. . . ³⁶ And a man's foes shall be they of his own household.—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

6094. — in Slavery. *Pharaoh.* ¹⁶ There is no straw given . . and they say to us, Make brick : and, behold, thy servants are beaten ; but the fault is in thine own people. ¹⁷ But he said, Ye are idle, ye are idle : therefore ye say, Let us go and do sacrifice to the Lord.—*EX.*, ch. 5.

6095. — Subtle. *Of Daniel.* ⁵ Then said these men, We shall not find any occasion against this Daniel, except we find it against him concerning the law of his God. ⁶ Then these presidents and princes . . said . . King Darius, live for ever. ⁷ . . make a firm decree, that whosoever shall ask a petition of any god or man for thirty

days, save of thee, O king, he shall be cast into the den of lions.—DAN., ch. 6.

6096. — *Unmoved by. Paul.* ²² I go bound in the spirit unto Jerusalem, not knowing the things that shall befall me there: ²³ Save that the Holy Ghost witnesseth in every city, saying that bonds and afflictions abide me. ²⁴ But none of these things move me, neither count I my life dear unto myself.—ACTS, ch. 20.

Also see:

Recompensed. Receive a hundredfold now..life 6093

6097. PERSEVERANCE, Confident. Paul. ²¹ I am persuaded, that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, ²² Nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.—ROM., ch. 8.

6098. — *Exhortation to. Barnabas.* ²² They sent forth Barnabas, that he should go as far as Antioch. ²³ Who, when he came, and had seen the grace of God, was glad, and exhorted them all, that with purpose of heart they would cleave unto the Lord.—ACTS, ch. 11.

6099. — *Encouragement to. Not Forgotten.* ¹⁴ Zion said, The Lord hath forsaken me. ¹⁵ Can a woman forget her sucking child, that she should not have compassion on the son of her womb? yea, they may forget, yet will I not forget thee. ¹⁶ Behold, I have graven thee upon the palms of my hands; thy walls are continually before me.—ISA., ch. 49.

6100. — *For Zion.* ¹ For a small moment have I forsaken thee; but with great mercies will I gather thee. ² In a little wrath I hid my face from thee for a moment; but with everlasting kindness will I have mercy on thee, saith the Lord thy Redeemer. ¹⁰ For the mountains shall depart, and the hills be removed; but my kindness shall not depart from thee, neither shall the covenant of my peace be removed.—ISA., ch. 54.

6101. — *Help to. Meditation.* ¹⁸ When I said, My foot slippeth; thy mercy, O Lord, held me up. ¹⁹ In the multitude of my thoughts within me thy comforts delight my soul.—PS. 94.

6102. — *in Prayer. "Unjust Judge."* ⁴ He would not for a while: but afterward he said within himself, Though I fear not God, nor regard man; ⁵ Yet because this widow troubleth me, I will avenge her, lest by her continual coming she weary me.—LUKE, ch. 18.

6103. — *Success by. Paul.* ¹ I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith: ² Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day.—2 TIM., ch. 4.

6104. — *Delilah.* ¹⁶ When she pressed him daily with her words, and urged him, so that his soul was vexed unto death; ¹⁷ That he told her all his heart, and said unto her, There hath not come a razor upon my head; for I have been a Nazarite unto God.—JUDGES, ch. 16.

6105. — *Test of. Discipleship.* ³⁰ Many believed on him. ³¹ Then said Jesus.. If ye continue in my word, then are ye my disciples indeed.—JOHN, ch. 8.

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6106. PERSUASION no Excuse. Adam. ¹⁷ Because thou hast hearkened unto the voice of thy wife, and hast eaten of the tree, of which I commanded thee, saying, Thou shalt not eat of it: cursed is the ground for thy sake; in sorrow shalt thou eat of it all the days of thy life.—GEN., ch. 3.

6107. — *ineffective. Paul.* ¹² We, and they of that place, besought him not to go up to Jerusalem. ¹³ Then Paul answered, What mean ye to weep and to break mine heart? for I am ready not to be bound only, but also to die at Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus. ¹⁴ And when he would not be persuaded, we ceased, saying, The will of the Lord be done.—ACTS, ch. 21.

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6108. PERVERTER, A famous. "*Made Israel sin.*" ³⁶ Jeroboam the son of Nebat, and in his sin wherewith he made Israel to sin, to provoke the Lord. . . to anger with their vanities.—1 Kings, ch. 16.

6109. — A wicked. *Elymas.* ⁹ Elymas the sorcerer. . . withstood them, seeking to turn away the deputy from the faith.—Acts, ch. 13.

6110. PERVERSION of Good. "*Brazen Serpent.*" ⁴ He removed the high places, and brake the images, and cut down the groves, and brake in pieces the brazen serpent that Moses had made : for unto those days the children of Israel did burn incense to it : and he called it Nehushtan.—2 Kings, ch. 18.

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 " Liberty of yours. become a s. 8403
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6111. PESTILENCE, Choice of. *David.* ¹³ Shall seven years of famine come. . . or wilt thou flee three months before thine enemies. . . or that there be three days' pestilence in thy land ? ¹⁴ And David said unto Gad, I am in a great strait : let us fall now into the hand of the Lord ; for his mercies are great : and let me not fall into the hand of man.—2 SAM., ch. 24.

6112. — Punishment by. *Israel.* [See No. 6111.] ¹⁵ So the Lord sent a pestilence upon Israel from the morning even to the time appointed : and there died of the people from Dan

even to Beer-sheba seventy thousand men.—2 SAM., ch. 24.

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Destroying. There died of the plague 14,700 6183

6113. PET, Domestic. "*Lamb.*" ² The poor man had nothing, save one little ewe lamb, which he had bought and nourished up : and it grew up together. . . with his children ; it did eat of his own meat, and drank of his own cup, and lay in his bosom, and was unto him as a daughter.—2 SAM., ch. 12.

6114. PETITION denied. *Martha's.* ⁴⁰ Lord, dost thou not care that my sister hath left me to serve alone ? bid her therefore that she help me. ⁴¹ And Jesus answered and said unto her, Martha, Martha, thou art careful and troubled about many things : ⁴² But one thing is needful ; and Mary hath chosen that good part, which shall not be taken away from her.—LUKE, ch. 10.

6115. — — Rehoboam. ⁴ Make thou the grievous service of thy father, and his heavy yoke which he put upon us, lighter, and we will serve thee. ¹⁴ My father made your yoke heavy, and I will add to your yoke : my father also chastised you with whips, but I will chastise you with scorpions.—1 Kings, ch. 12.

6116. — rejected. *By Pharaoh.* ³ The God of the Hebrews hath met with us : let us go, we pray thee, three days' journey into the desert, and sacrifice unto the Lord our God ; lest he fall upon us with pestilence, or with the sword. ⁴ And the king of Egypt said. . . Wherefore do ye, Moses and Aaron, let the people from their works ? get you unto your burdens.—EX., ch. 5.

See PRAYER and references.

6117. PHARISEES, Hypocrisy of. *Jesus said,* ⁴³ Woe unto you, Pharisees ! for ye tithe mint and rue and all manner of herbs, and pass over judgment and the love of God : these ought ye to have done, and not to leave the other undone.—LUKE, ch. 11. [See context.]

Also see :

Hindering. Ye shut up the kingdom. . . against men 8229
 Proselyters. Ye compass sea and land to make one 8237

6118. PHILANTHROPY, Creditable. *Prison.* ⁸ Ebed-melech. . . spake to the king, saying, ⁹ . . . these men have done evil in all that they have done to Jeremiah the prophet, whom they have cast into the dungeon ; and he is like to die for hunger in the place where he is : for there is no more bread in the city.—JER., ch. 38.

6119. — Divine. *Jesus.* ²⁴ Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing every sickness and every disease among the people.—MAT., ch. 9.

6120. — — Of Jesus. ³⁸ God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Ghost and with power : who went about doing good, and healing all that were oppressed of the devil ; for God was with him.—Acts, ch. 10.

6121. — inculcated. *Enemies.* ⁴⁴ Ye have heard that it hath been said, Thou shalt love thy neighbour, and hate thine enemy. ⁴⁵ But I say unto you, Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them which despitefully use you, and persecute you.—MAT., ch. 5.

6122. — Noble. *Samaritan.* ²³ A certain

Samaritan... had compassion on him, ²⁴ And went to him, and bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine, and set him on his own beast, and brought him to an inn, and took care of him.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

6123. — *Practical. Moses.* ⁹ Pharaoh's daughter said, Take this child away, and nurse it for me, and I will give thee thy wages. And the woman took the child, and nursed it.—*EX.*, ch. 2.

6124. — *Pious. Barnabas.* ²⁶ Barnabas, (which is, being interpreted, The son of consolation),... ²⁷ Having land, sold it, and brought the money, and laid it at the apostles' feet.—*ACTS*, ch. 4.

6125. — *Preference in. To Believers.* ¹⁰ As we have therefore opportunity, let us do good unto all men, especially unto them who are of the household of faith.—*GAL.*, ch. 6.

6126. — *Revival of. Communistic.* ⁴⁴ All that believed were together, and had all things common; ⁴⁵ And sold their possessions and goods, and parted them to all men, as every man had need.—*ACTS*, ch. 2.

See BENEVOLENCE and LOVE.

6127. PHILOSOPHER, A converted. *At Athens.* ²² When they heard of the resurrection of the dead, some mocked: and others said, We will hear thee again of this matter... ²⁴ Howbeit certain men clave unto him, and believed: among the which was Dionysius the Areopagite.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

6128. — *A proverbial. Solomon.* ²⁸ He spake three thousand proverbs: and his songs were a thousand and five.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 4.

6129. PHYSICIAN, The Great. *Jesus.* ⁹ He spake to his disciples, that a small ship should wait on him because of the multitude, lest they should throng him. ¹⁰ For he had healed many; inasmuch that they pressed upon him for to touch him, as many as had plagues.—*MARK*, ch. 3.

6130. — *Jesus went. healing every sickness.* [See No. 6119.]

6131. — *Jesus.* ⁴⁰ Now when the sun was setting, all they that had any sick with divers diseases brought them unto him; and he laid his hands on every one of them, and healed them.—*LUKE*, ch. 4.

6132. — *Unsuccessful.* *"Nothing bettered."* ²³ A certain woman... had an issue of blood twelve years, ²⁴ And had suffered many things of many physicians, and had spent all that she had, and was nothing bettered, but rather grew worse.—*MARK*, ch. 5.

6133. — *wrongly sought.* *King Asa.* ¹² Asa... was diseased in his feet, until his disease was exceeding great: yet in his disease he sought not to the Lord, but to the physicians.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 16.

See DISEASE and references.

6134. PICTURES, Destruction of. *Canaanites.* ²³ Ye shall drive out all the inhabitants of the land from before you, and destroy all their pictures, and destroy all their molten images.—*NUM.*, ch. 33.

6135. PIETY acknowledged. *Joseph's.* ²¹ The Lord was with Joseph, and gave him favour in the sight of the keeper of the prison. ²² And the

keeper of the prison committed to Joseph's hand all the prisoners that were in the prison; and whatsoever they did there, he was the doer of it.—*GEN.*, ch. 39.

6136. — *Assurance from. Micah.* ¹² Micah consecrated the Levite; and the young man became his priest, and was in the house of Micah. ¹³ Then said Micah, Now know I that the Lord will do me good, seeing I have a Levite to my priest.—*JUDGES*, ch. 17.

6137. — *in Old Age. Proverb.* ²¹ The hoary head is a crown of glory, if it be found in the way of righteousness.—*PROV.*, ch. 16.

6138. — *Anna.* ²⁷ She was a widow of about fourscore and four years, which departed not from the temple, but served God with fastings and prayers night and day.—*LUKE*, ch. 2.

6139. — *Enoch.* ²² Enoch walked with God after he begat Methuselah three hundred years... ²⁴ And Enoch walked with God: and he was not: for God took him.—*GEN.*, ch. 5.

6140. — *Abram.* ¹ When Abram was ninety years old and nine, the Lord appeared to Abram, and said unto him, I am the Almighty God; walk before me, and be thou perfect.—*GEN.*, ch. 17.

6141. — *begets Confidence.* *Joseph.* ⁴ Joseph found grace in his sight, and he served him: and he made him overseer over his house, and all that he had he put into his hand. ⁶... he knew not aught he had, save the bread which he did eat.—*GEN.*, ch. 39.

6142. — *Consistent.* *"Blameless."* ¹ Priest named Zacharias... and his wife... Elisabeth. ⁶... they were both righteous before God, walking in all the commandments and ordinances of the Lord blameless.—*LUKE*, ch. 1.

6143. — *a Cloak for Sin.* *Long Prayers.* ¹⁴ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye devour widows' houses, and for a pretence made long prayer: therefore ye shall receive the greater damnation.—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

6144. — *Herod.* ⁸ And he sent them to Bethlehem, and said, Go and search diligently for the young child; and when ye have found him, bring me word again, that I may come and worship him also.—*MAT.*, ch. 2.

6145. — *Decision of.* *Daniel.* ⁸ Daniel purposed in his heart that he would not defile himself with the portion of the king's meat, nor with the wine which he drank: therefore he requested of the prince of the eunuchs that he might not defile himself.—*DAN.*, ch. 1.

6146. — *Devotional.* *Jesus.* ³⁵ In the morning, rising up a great while before day, he went out and departed into a solitary place, and there prayed. ³⁶ And Simon, and they that were with him, followed after him.—*MARK*, ch. 1.

6147. — *amid Depravity.* *Noah.* ⁹ Noah was a just man and perfect in his generations, and Noah walked with God... ¹¹ The earth also was corrupt before God; and the earth was filled with violence.—*GEN.*, ch. 6.

6148. — *disparaged.* *By Contrast.* ¹⁴ Ye have said, It is vain to serve God: and what profit is it that we have kept his ordinance, and that we have walked mournfully before the Lord of hosts? ¹⁵ And now we call the proud happy;

yea, they that work wickedness are set up; yea, they that tempt God are even delivered.—*MAT.*, ch. 3.

6149. — — *By Contrast.* ¹ But as for me, my feet were almost gone; my steps had well nigh slipped. ² For I was envious at the foolish, when I saw the prosperity of the wicked. ³ For there are no bands in their death: but their strength is firm. ⁴ They are not in trouble as other men; neither are they plagued like other men.—*PS.* 73. [See Psalm.]

6150. — *Exhortation to. Early.* ¹ Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth, while the evil days come not, nor the years draw nigh, when thou shalt say, I have no pleasure in them; ² While the sun, or the light, or the moon, or the stars, be not darkened, nor the clouds return after the rain.—*ECC.*, ch. 12. [See verses 3-7.]

6151. — *Evidence of. Fruit.* ¹ Beware of false prophets, which come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ravening wolves. ² Ye shall know them by their fruits. Do men gather grapes of thorns, or figs of thistles?—*MAT.*, ch. 7.

6152. — *Energetic. King Hezekiah.* ⁴ He removed the high places, and brake the images, and cut down the groves, and brake in pieces the brazen serpent that Moses had made: for unto those days the children of Israel did burn incense to it: and he called it Nehushtan.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 18.

6153. — *Extraordinary. Hezekiah.* ⁴ He trusted in the Lord God of Israel; so that after him was none like him among all the kings of Judah, nor any that were before him. ⁶ For he clave to the Lord, and departed not from following him, but kept his commandments. ⁷ And the Lord was with him: and he prospered whithersoever he went forth.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 18.

6154. — *Early. Josiah.* ¹ Josiah was eight years old when he began to reign. ² And he did that which was right in the sight of the Lord, and walked in all the way of David his father, and turned not aside to the right hand or to the left.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 22.

6155. — *Exulting. Virgin Mary.* ⁴ Mary said, My soul doth magnify the Lord, ⁴¹ And my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Saviour.—*LUKE*, ch. 1.

6156. — *exalted. By Contrast.* [See No. 6149.] ¹⁸ Surely thou didst set them in slippery places: thou castedst them down into destruction. ¹⁹ How are they brought into desolation, as in a moment! they are utterly consumed with terrors. ²⁰ As a dream when one awaketh.—*PS.* 73. [See Psalm.]

6157. — *A false. "Went not."* ²⁸ A certain man had two sons; and he came to the first, and said, Son, go work to day in my vineyard. ²⁹ He answered, I will not; but afterwards he repented, and went. ³⁰ The second said, I go, sir; and went not.—*MAT.*, ch. 21.

6158. — *Fruit of. "Blessed the Work."* ⁹ Then Satan answered the Lord, and said, Doth Job fear God for naught? ¹⁰ Hast not thou made a hedge about him, and about his house, and about all that he hath on every side? thou hast blessed the work of his hands, and his substance is increased in the land.—*JOB*, ch. 1.

6159. — *for Government. Rulers.* ²¹ Thou shalt provide out of all the people able men, such as fear God, men of truth, hating covetousness; and place such over them, to be rulers of thousands, and rulers of hundreds, rulers of fifties, and rulers of tens: ²² And let them judge the people at all seasons.—*EX.*, ch. 18.

6160. — *Inward and Outward. Hand and Heart.* ² Who shall ascend into the hill of the Lord? or who shall stand in his holy place? ⁴ He that hath clean hands, and a pure heart.—*PS.* 24.

6161. — *lost in Old Age. Solomon.* ⁴ When Solomon was old, his wives turned away his heart after other gods: and his heart was not perfect with the Lord.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 11.

6162. — *the best Legacy. Mantle of Elijah.* ⁹ Elijah said unto Elisha, Ask what I shall do for thee, before I be taken away from thee. And Elisha said, I pray thee, let a double portion of thy spirit be upon me. ¹⁴ And he took the mantle of Elijah that fell from him, and smote the waters, and said, Where is the Lord God of Elijah? And they parted hither and thither.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 2.

6163. — *Maternal. Hannah.* ¹¹ She vowed . . . O Lord of hosts, if thou wilt indeed look on the affliction of thine handmaid, and remember me, and wilt give unto thine handmaid a man child; then I will give him unto the Lord all the days of his life.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 1.

6164. — *An Office-holder's. Daniel.* ⁴ The presidents and princes sought to find occasion against Daniel concerning the kingdom; but they could find none . . . forasmuch as he was faithful. ⁵ Then said these men, We shall not find any occasion . . . except we find it against him concerning the law of his God.—*DAN.*, ch. 6.

6165. — — *Obadiah.* ³ Ahab called Obadiah, which was the governor of his house. (Now Obadiah feared the Lord greatly: ⁴ . . . when Jezebel cut off the prophets of the Lord. Obadiah took a hundred prophets, and hid them by fifty in a cave, and fed them with bread and water.)—*1 KINGS*, ch. 18.

6166. — — *Nehemiah.* ² Why is thy countenance sad, seeing thou art not sick? this is nothing else but sorrow of heart. Then I was very sore afraid, ³ And said unto the king, Let the king live for ever: why should not my countenance be sad, when the city, the place of my fathers' sepulchres, lieth waste, and the gates thereof are consumed with fire?—*NEH.*, ch. 2.

6167. — *Only outward. Pharisees.* ²⁸ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye make clean the outside of the cup and of the platter, but within they are full of extortion and excess.—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

6168. — *Preservation by. Wisdom.* ¹⁰ When wisdom entereth into thine heart, and knowledge is pleasant unto thy soul; ¹¹ Discretion shall preserve thee, understanding shall keep thee: ¹² To deliver thee from the way of the evil man, from the man that speaketh froward things; ¹³ Who leave the paths of uprightness, to walk in the ways of darkness.—*PROV.*, ch. 2.

6169. — *Prosperity by. Isaac.* ¹⁸ Isaac sowed in that land, and received in the same year a hundredfold: and the Lord blessed him.

¹² And the man waxed great, and went forward, and grew until he became very great.—GEN., ch. 26.

6170. — — — *Job.* ⁹ Satan answered the Lord. Doth Job fear God for naught? ¹⁰ Hast not thou made a hedge about him, and about his house, and about all that he hath on every side? thou hast blessed the work of his hands, and his substance is increased in the land.—JOB, ch. 1.

6171. — — — *Proverb.* ⁹ Honour the Lord with thy substance, and with the firstfruits of all thine increase: ¹⁰ So shall thy barns be filled with plenty, and thy presses shall burst out with new wine.—PROV., ch. 3.

6172. — — — *Obed-edom.* ¹² It was told king David, saying, The Lord hath blessed the house of Obed-edom, and all that pertaineth unto him, because of the ark of God.—2 KINGS, ch. 18.

6173. — — — *Promotion by Joseph.* ²⁸ Can we find such a one as this is, a man in whom the spirit of God is? ²⁹ And Pharaoh said unto Joseph, Forasmuch as God hath shewed thee all this, there is none so discreet and wise as thou art: ⁴⁰ Thou shalt be over my house, and according unto thy word shall all my people be ruled: only in the throne will I be greater than thou.—GEN., ch. 41.

6174. — — — *Paternal.* *Job.* ⁶ Rose up early in the morning, and offered burnt offerings according to the number of them all: for Job said, It may be that my sons have sinned, and cursed God in their hearts. Thus did Job continually. ⁸ And the Lord said unto Satan, Hast thou considered my servant Job, that there is none like him in the earth, a perfect and an upright man, one that feareth God and escheweth evil?—JOB, ch. 1.

6175. — — — *Primitive.* *At Jerusalem.* ⁴² They continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers. ⁴³ And sold their possessions and goods, and parted them to all men, as every man had need.—ACTS, ch. 2.

6176. — — — *Phariseals.* *Prayer.* ¹¹ Pharisee stood and prayed thus with himself, God, I thank thee, that I am not as other men are, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this publican.—LUKE, ch. 18.

6177. — — — *Repelled by.* *The Wicked.* ²⁰ When Aaron and all the children of Israel saw Moses, behold, the skin of his face shone; and they were afraid, to come nigh him.—EX., ch. 34.

6178. — — — *Unrighteous.* *Hateful.* ²¹ I hate, I despise your feast days, and I will not smell in your solemn assemblies.—AMOS, ch. 5. [See more at No. 7539.]

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6179. *PILLAGE of Sanctuary.* *Nebuchadnezzar.* ¹² The house of the Lord, did the Chaldees break in pieces, and carried the brass of them to Babylon. ¹⁴ And the pots. shovels. snuffers. spoons, and all the vessels of brass wherewith they ministered, took they away. ¹⁵ And the firepans. bowls, and such things as were of gold, in gold, and of silver, in silver, the captain of the guard took away.—2 KINGS, ch. 25.

6180. — — — *Shishak.* ²⁸ Shishak king of Egypt came up against Jerusalem: ²⁹ And he took away the treasures of the house of the Lord, and. of the king's house he even took away all: and he took away all the shields of gold which Solomon had made.—1 KINGS, ch. 14.

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6181. *PITY of Animals.* *Dogs.* ²⁰ A certain beggar named Lazarus. was laid at his gate, full of sores. ²¹ And desiring to be fed with the crumbs which fell from the rich man's table: moreover the dogs came and licked his sores.—LUKE, ch. 16.

6182. — — — *Divine.* *Paternal.* ¹³ Like as a father pitieth his children, so the Lord pitieth them that fear him. ¹⁴ For he knoweth our frame; he remembereth that we are dust.—PS. 103.

6183. — — — *Injustice in.* *Seducers.* ⁴ If thy brother, the son of thy mother, or thy son, or thy daughter, or the wife of thy bosom, or thy friend, which is as thine own soul, entice thee secretly, saying, Let us go and serve other gods. ⁵ Thou shalt not consent unto him, nor hearken unto him; neither shall thine eye pity him, neither shalt thou spare, neither shalt thou conceal him: ⁹ But thou shalt surely kill him.—DEUT., ch. 13.

6184. — — — *Womanly.* *Pharaoh's Daughter.* ⁵ When she saw the ark among the flags, she sent her maid to fetch it. ⁶ And when she had opened it, she saw the child: and, behold, the babe wept. And she had compassion on him,

and said, *This is one of the Hebrews' children.*—Ex., ch. 2.

6185. — of the Wicked. *Prodigal.* ¹⁴ When he had spent all, there arose a mighty famine in that land; and he began to be in want. ¹⁵ And he joined himself to a citizen, and he sent him into his fields to feed swine. ¹⁶ And he would fain have filled his belly with the husks that the swine did eat: and no man gave unto him.—LUKE, ch. 15.

6186. — Without. *Jonah.* ¹⁰ God saw their works, that they turned from their evil way; and God repented of the evil, that he had said that he would do unto them; and he did it not.—JONAH, ch. 3. ¹ But it displeased Jonah exceedingly, and he was very angry. ² And he said, O Lord, was not this my saying, when I was yet in my country?—JONAH, ch. 4.

6187. — *Five Kings of Canaan.* ²⁴ Joshua called for all the men of Israel, and said unto the captains of the men of war which went with him, Come near, put your feet upon the necks of these kings. And they came near, and put their feet upon the necks of them. ²⁵ And Joshua said unto them, Fear not, nor be dismayed, be strong and of good courage.—JOSH., ch. 10.

6188. — — *"Robbed, and half dead."* ³¹ A certain priest, when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. ³² And likewise a Levite came and looked on him, and passed by on the other side.—LUKE, ch. 10.

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6189. *PLAGUE of Blood. The First.* ³⁰ All the waters that were in the river were turned to blood. ³¹ And the fish that was in the river died; and the river stank, and the Egyptians could not drink of the water of the river; and there was blood throughout all the land of Egypt.—Ex., ch. 7.

6190. — of Boils. *The Sixth.* ⁸ Take to you handfuls of ashes of the furnace, and let Moses sprinkle it toward the heaven in the sight of Pharaoh. ⁹ And it shall become small dust in all the land of Egypt, and shall be a boil breaking forth with blains upon man, and upon beast.—Ex., ch. 9.

6191. — of Darkness. *The Ninth.* ²² There was a thick darkness in all the land of Egypt three days: ²³ They saw not one another, neither rose any from his place for three days: but all the children of Israel had light in their dwellings.—Ex., ch. 10.

6192. — of Death. *The Tenth.* ²⁹ At midnight the Lord smote all the firstborn in the land of Egypt, from the firstborn of Pharaoh that sat on his throne unto the firstborn of the captive that was in the dungeon; and all the firstborn of cattle. ³⁰ And Pharaoh rose up in the night, he, and all his servants, and all the Egyptians; and there was a great cry in Egypt: for there was not a house where there was not one dead.—Ex., ch. 12.

6193. — Destructive. *For Murmuring.* ⁴⁹ They that died in the plague were fourteen thousand and seven hundred, besides them that died about the matter of Korah.—NUM., ch. 16.

6194. — of Frogs. *The Second.* ³ The river shall bring forth frogs abundantly, which shall go up and come into thine house, and into thy

bedchamber, and upon thy bed, and into the house of thy servants, and upon thy people, and into thine ovens, and into thy kneadingtroughs: ⁴ And the frogs shall come up both on thee, and upon thy people, and upon all thy servants.—Ex., ch. 8.

6195. — of Flies. *The Fourth.* ²⁴ There came a grievous swarm of flies into the house of Pharaoh, and into his servants' houses, and into all the land of Egypt: the land was corrupted by reason of the swarm of flies.—Ex., ch. 8.

6196. — of Hail. *The Seventh.* ²¹ There was hail, and fire mingled with the hail, very grievous, such as there was none like it in all the land of Egypt since it became a nation. ²² And the hail smote, all that was in the field, both man and beast; and the hail smote every herb of the field, and brake every tree of the field. ²³ Only in the land of Goshen.—Ex., ch. 9.

6197. — of Locusts. *The Eighth.* ¹⁵ They covered the face of the whole earth, so that the land was darkened; and they did eat every herb of the land, and all the fruit of the trees which the hail had left: and there remained not any green thing in the trees, or in the herbs of the field, through all the land of Egypt.—Ex., ch. 10.

6198. — of Lice. *The Third.* ¹⁷ Aaron stretched out his hand with his rod, and smote the dust of the earth, and it became lice in man, and in beast; all the dust of the land became lice throughout all the land of Egypt.—Ex., ch. 8.

6199. — of Murrain. *The Fifth.* ⁵ The hand of the Lord is upon thy cattle which is in the field, upon the horses, upon the asses, upon the camels, upon the oxen, and upon the sheep: *there shall be a very grievous murrain.* ¹ And Pharaoh sent, and, behold, there was not one of the cattle of the Israelites dead.—Ex., ch. 9.

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6200. *PLAN, Man's. Naaman.* ¹³ Abana and Pharpar, may I not wash in them, and be clean? So he turned and went away in a rage. ¹⁴ And his servants said, My father, if the prophet had bid thee do some great thing, wouldst thou not have done it? how much rather then, when he saith to thee, Wash, and be clean?—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

6201. *PLANS defeated, Man's. Babel.* ⁴ Go to, let us build us a city, and a tower, whose top may reach unto heaven; and let us make us a name, lest we be scattered abroad. ¹ Go to, let us go down, and there confound their language, that they may not understand one another's speech. ³ So the Lord scattered them abroad.—GEN., ch. 11.

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6202. PLEA, An affecting. Queen Esther. ¹ Esther the queen..said, If I have found favour in thy sight, O king, and if it please the king, let my life be given me at my petition, and my people at my request: ⁴ For we are sold, I and my people, to be destroyed, to be slain, and to perish.—*ESTHER*, ch. 7.

6203. — of Patriotism. Queen Esther. ⁶ For how can I endure to see the evil that shall come unto my people? or how can I endure to see the destruction of my kindred? ⁷ Then the king Ahasuerus said unto Esther the queen and to Mordecai the Jew.. ⁸ Write ye also for the Jews, as it liketh you, in the king's name, and seal it with the king's ring.—*ESTHER*, ch. 8.

6204. PLEADING, Importunate. Canaanite. ¹⁴ But he..said, I am not sent but unto the lost sheep of the house of Israel. ²⁵ Then came she and worshipped him, saying, Lord, help me. ²⁶ But he answered.. It is not meet to take the children's bread, and to cast it to dogs. ²⁷ And she said, Truth, Lord: yet the dogs eat of the crumbs which fall from their masters' table. ²⁸ Then Jesus..said unto her, O woman, great is thy faith: be it unto thee even as thou wilt.—*MAT.*, ch. 15.

6205. — in Prayer. Moses. ¹⁵ If thou shalt kill all this people as one man, then the nations which have heard the fame of thee will speak, saying, ¹⁶ Because the Lord was not able to bring this people into the land which he swore unto them, therefore he hath slain them in the wilderness. ¹⁷ And now, I beseech thee, let the power of my Lord be great.—*NUM.*, ch. 14.

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6206. PLEASURE, Business before. At Laban's. ²³ There was set meat before him to eat: but he said, I will not eat, until I have told mine errand. And he said, Speak on. ²⁴ And he said, I am Abraham's servant.—*GEN.*, ch. 24.

6207. — Bitter end of. King Benhadad. ¹⁶ Ben-hadad was drinking himself drunk in the pavilions, he and..the thirty and two kings that helped him. ¹⁷ And the young men of the princes of the provinces went out first.. ²⁰ And they slew every one his man: and the Syrians fled; and Israel pursued them: and Ben-hadad the king of Syria escaped on a horse.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 20.

6208. — Expensive. Proverb. ¹⁷ He that loveth pleasure shall be a poor man: he that loveth wine and oil shall not be rich.—*PROV.*, ch. 21.

6209. — the End. Rich Fool. ¹⁹ I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years; take thine ease, eat, drink, and

be merry. ²⁰ But God said unto him, *Thou fool*, this night thy soul shall be required of thee: then whose shall those things be, which thou hast provided?—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

6210. — An Ingrate's. Absalom. ¹ Ahithophel said..I will arise and pursue after David this night: ² And I will come upon him while he is weary and weak handed, and will make him afraid: and all the people that are with him shall flee; and I will smite the king only: ⁴ And the saying pleased Absalom well.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 17.

6211. — Moderation in. Satiety. ¹⁶ Hast thou found honey? eat so much as is sufficient for thee, lest thou be filled therewith, and vomit it. ¹⁷ Withdraw thy foot from thy neighbour's house; lest he be weary of thee, and so hate thee.—*PROV.*, ch. 25.

6212. — Temptation in. Paradise. ⁶ When the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was pleasant to the eyes..she took of the fruit thereof, and did eat; and gave also unto her husband.—*GEN.*, ch. 3.

6213. — Golden Calf made. ⁶ They rose up early on the morrow, and offered burnt offerings, and brought peace offerings; and the people sat down to eat and to drink, and rose up to play.—*EX.*, ch. 32.

6214. — Unsatisfying. Solomon. ¹ I said in mine heart, Go to now, I will prove thee with mirth; therefore enjoy pleasure..vanity..³..wine..houses..vineyards, gardens..orchards..pools of water..servants..cattle..silver..gold..singers..musical instruments..my wisdom remained..whatsoever mine eyes desired.. ¹¹ Then I looked on all the works that my hands had wrought, and on the labour that I had laboured to do: and, behold, all was vanity and vexation of spirit, and there was no profit under the sun.—*ECCL.*, ch. 2.

6215. PLEASURES, Brief. Murmurers for Flesh. ¹⁹ Ye shall not eat one day, nor two days, nor five days, neither ten days, nor twenty days; ²⁰ But even a whole month, until it come out at your nostrils, and it be loathsome unto you: because that ye have despised the Lord..saying, Why came we forth out of Egypt?—*NUM.*, ch. 11.

6216. — False. Backsliders. ¹⁹ Be astonished, O ye heavens, at this.. ²³ For my people have committed two evils; they have forsaken me the fountain of living waters, and hewed them out cisterns, broken cisterns, that can hold no water.—*ISA.*, ch. 2.

6217. — poisoned. Haman. ¹¹ Haman told them of the glory of his riches, and the multitude of his children, and all the things wherein the king had promoted him.. ¹² Haman said.. Esther the queen did let no man come in with the king unto the banquet..but myself; and to morrow am I invited..with the king. ¹³ Yet all this availeth me nothing, so long as I see Mordecai the Jew sitting at the king's gate.—*ESTHER*, ch. 5.

6218. — renounced. Moses. ²⁴ By faith Moses..refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter; ²⁵ Choosing rather to suffer affliction with the people of God, than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season; ²⁶ Esteeming the reproach of Christ greater riches than the treas-

ures in Egypt : for he had respect unto the recompense of the reward.—HEB., ch. 11.

6219. — rejected. *Darius.* ¹⁸ The king went to his palace, and passed the night fasting : neither were instruments of music brought before him : and his sleep went from him. ¹⁹ Then the king arose very early in the morning, and went in haste unto the den of lions.—DAN., ch. 6.

6220. — Ruinous. *Prodigal.* ¹³ The younger son gathered all together, and took his journey into a far country, and there wasted his substance in riotous living.—LUKE, ch. 15. [See No. 6185.]

6221. — of Sin. *Sacrilege.* ² The king and his princes, his wives and his concubines, drank in them. ⁴ They drank wine, and praised the gods of gold, and of silver, of brass, of iron, of wood, and of stone. ⁵ In the same hour came forth fingers of a man's hand, and wrote over against the candlestick upon the plaster of the wall.—DAN., ch. 5.

6222. — — Reversed. ⁴ Why art thou, being the king's son, lean from day to day?.. And Amnon said.. I love Tamar, my brother Absalom's sister.. ¹⁵ Then Amnon hated her exceedingly ; so that the hatred wherewith he hated her was greater than the love wherewith he had loved her. And Amnon said unto her, Arise, be gone.—2 SAM., ch. 13.

6223. — — Deceptive. ¹⁵ When Jezebel heard that Naboth was stoned.. Jezebel said to Ahab, Arise, take possession of the vineyard of Naboth.. which he refused to give thee for money.. ¹⁶ Ahab rose up to go down to the vineyard of Naboth the Jezreelite, to take possession of it. ²⁷ And.. when Ahab heard those words.. he rent his clothes, and put sackcloth upon his flesh, and fasted, and lay in sackcloth, and went softly.—1 KINGS, ch. 21.

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6224. PLENTY, Land of. *Canaan.* ¹ Thy God bringeth thee into a good land, a land of brooks of water, of fountains and depths that spring out of valleys and hills ; ² A land of wheat, and barley, and vines, and fig trees, and pomegranates ; a land of oil olive, and honey ; ³ A land wherein thou shalt eat bread without scarceness, thou shalt not lack any thing in it ; a land whose stones are iron, and out of whose hills thou mayest dig brass.—DEUT., ch. 8.

6225. — to Poverty, From. *Dives.* ¹⁹ There was a certain rich man, which was clothed in purple and fine linen, and fared sumptuously every day.. ²².. also died, and was buried ; ²³ And in hell he lifted up his eyes, being in torments.. ²⁴ And he cried.. Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus, that he may dip the tip of his finger in water, and cool my tongue ; for I am tormented in this flame.—LUKE, ch. 16.

6226. POEM, The oldest. *At Red Sea.* ¹ I will sing unto the Lord, for he hath triumphed gloriously : the horse and his rider hath he thrown into the sea. ² The Lord is my strength and song, and he is become my salvation : he is my God, and I will prepare him a habitation ; my father's God, and I will exalt him. ³ The Lord is a man of war : the Lord is his name.—EX., ch. 15. [See chapter.]

6227. POET, A voluminous. *Solomon.* ³ His fame was in all nations round about.. ²² And he spake three thousand proverbs : and his songs were a thousand and five.—1 KINGS, ch. 4.

6228. POISON, Antidote for. *"Death in the Pot."* ³⁹ One went.. to gather herbs and found a wild vine, and gathered thereof wild gourds his lap full, and came and shred them into the pot of pottage : for they knew them not. ⁴⁰.. They cried out.. O thou man of God, there is death in the pot. And they could not eat thereof. ⁴¹ But he said, Then bring meal. And he cast it into the pot ; and he said, Pour out for the people, that they may eat. And there was no harm in the pot.—2 KINGS, ch. 4.

6229. POLICY before Principle. *Egyptians.* ⁹ Behold, the.. children of Israel are more and mightier than we. ¹⁰ Come on, let us deal wisely with them, lest they multiply, and.. when there falleth out any war, they join also unto our enemies, and fight against us, and so get them up out of the land.—EX., ch. 1.

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6231. POLYGAMY, Destructive. *Solomon.* ⁸ He had seven hundred wives, princesses, and

three hundred concubines : and his wives turned away his heart.—1 KINGS, ch. 11.

6232. POLITENESS, Cultivated. Stoics and Epicureans. ¹⁹ They . . . brought him unto Areopagus, saying, May we know what this new doctrine, whereof thou speakest, is? ²⁰ For thou bringest certain strange things to our ears : we would know therefore what these things mean.—ACTS, ch. 17.

6233. — **Inoculated. As Guests.** ¹⁰ When thou art bidden, go and sit down in the lowest room ; that when he that bade thee cometh, he may say unto thee, Friend, go up higher ; then shalt thou have worship in the presence of them that sit at meat with thee.—LUKE, ch. 14.

6234. — **a Mask. Joab.** ⁹ Joab said to Amasa, Art thou in health, my brother? And Joab took Amasa by the beard with the right hand to kiss him. ¹⁰ But Amasa took no heed to the sword that was in Joab's hand : so he smote him therewith in the fifth rib.—2 SAM., ch. 20.

6235. — **Tender. Joseph.** ²¹ Is your father well, the old man of whom ye spake? Is he yet alive?—GEN., ch. 43.

6236. POLITICS, Condemnation of. Jesus. ³ We found this fellow perverting the nation, and forbidding to give tribute to Cesar, saying that he himself is Christ a King. ⁴ And Pilate asked him, saying, Art thou the King of the Jews? And he answered him and said, Thou sayest it.—LUKE, ch. 23.

6237. — **Devices in. Absalom.** ⁴ Oh that I were made judge in the land, that every man which hath any suit or cause might come unto me, and I would do him justice! ⁵ . . . when any man came nigh to him to do him obeisance, he put forth his hand, and took him, and kissed him.—2 SAM., ch. 15.

6238. — **Influence of. Pilate.** ¹² Pilate sought to release him : but the Jews cried out, saying, If thou let this man go, thou art not Cesar's friend : whosoever maketh himself a king speaketh against Cesar. ¹³ When Pilate therefore heard that saying, he brought Jesus forth, and sat down in the judgment seat.—JOHN, ch. 12.

6239. POLITICS in Religion. Tribute. ¹⁵ The Pharisees . . . took counsel how they might entangle him in his talk. ¹⁶ And they sent . . . their disciples with the Herodians, saying, . . . What thinkest thou? Is it lawful to give tribute unto Cesar, or not?—MAT., ch. 22.

6240. POLITICIANS, Plot of. Against Daniel. ¹ Then this Daniel was preferred above the presidents and princes, because an excellent spirit was in him ; and the king thought to set him over the whole realm. ⁴ Then the presidents and princes sought to find occasion against Daniel concerning the kingdom ; but they could find none occasion nor fault. ⁵ Then said these men, We shall not find any occasion against this Daniel, except we find it against him concerning the law of his God.—DAN., ch. 6.

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6241. POOR, Angels honour the. Lazarus. ²² The beggar died, and was carried by the angels into Abraham's bosom.—LUKE, ch. 16.

6242. — **Great Benevolence to the. Zac-**

cheus. ⁹ Zaccheus stood, and said unto the Lord ; Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor.—LUKE, ch. 19.

6243. — — **Job.** ¹⁸ I was eyes to the blind, and feet was I to the lame. ¹⁹ I was a father to the poor : and the cause which I knew not I searched out. ²¹ And I brake the jaws of the wicked, and plucked the spoil out of his teeth.—JOB, ch. 29.

6244. — — **Antiochians.** ²² Great dearth throughout all the world . . . in the days of Claudius Cesar. ²³ Then the disciples, every man according to his ability, determined to send relief unto the brethren which dwelt in Judea : ²⁴ Which also they did . . . by the hands of Barnabas and Saul.—ACTS, ch. 11.

6245. — — **Dorcas.** ²⁶ There was at Joppa a certain disciple named . . . Dorcas : this woman was full of good works and almsdeeds which she did.—ACTS, ch. 9.

6246. — — **Grecians.** ²⁵ I go unto Jerusalem to minister unto the saints. ²⁶ For it hath pleased them of Macedonia and Achaia to make a certain contribution for the poor saints which are at Jerusalem.—ROM., ch. 15.

6247. — — **Primitive Church.** ¹ When the number of the disciples was multiplied, there arose a murmuring of the Grecians against the Hebrews, because their widows were neglected in the daily ministration.—ACTS, ch. 6.

6248. — **Ever with the. Church.** ⁸ The poor always ye have with you ; but me ye have not always.—JOHN, ch. 12.

6249. — **chosen. Gideon.** ¹⁴ Go in this thy might, and thou shalt save Israel from the hand of the Midianites : have not I sent thee? ¹⁵ And he said, O my Lord, wherewith shall I save Israel? behold, my family is poor in Manasseh, and I am the least in my father's house.—JUDGES, ch. 6.

6250. — **God's care of the. Oil increased.** ¹ One of the wives of the sons of the prophets spake unto Elisha . . . my husband is dead ; and . . . did fear the Lord : and the creditor is come to take . . . my two sons to be bondmen. . . . And he said, Go, sell the oil, and pay thy debt, and live thou and thy children of the rest.—2 KINGS, ch. 4.

6251. — **Eagerness of the. Bartimeus.** ⁴⁶ Blind Bartimeus . . . sat by the highway side begging. ⁴⁷ And when he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out and say, Jesus, thou Son of David, have mercy on me. ⁴⁸ And many charged him that he should hold his peace, but he cried the more a great deal.—MARK, ch. 10.

6252. — **enriched. The. Jacob.** ¹⁰ I am not worthy of the least of all the mercies . . . which thou hast shewed unto thy servant ; for with my staff I passed over this Jordan ; and now I am become two bands.—GEN., ch. 32.

6253. — **Extortions from the. Rich Men.** ⁴ O ye that swallow up the needy, even to make the poor of the land to fail. . . . Saying, When will the new moon be gone, that we may sell corn? and the sabbath, that we may set forth wheat, making the ephah small, and the shekel great, and falsifying the balances by deceit? ⁵ That we may buy the poor for silver, and the

needy for a pair of shoes ; yea, and sell the refuse of the wheat ?—*Amos*, ch. 8.

6254. — forgotten, *The Deliverer*. ¹⁴ There came a great king, and besieged it, and built great bulwarks against it. ¹⁵ Now there was found in it a poor wise man, and he by his wisdom delivered the city ; yet no man remembered that same poor man.—*EccL*, ch. 9.

6255. — Gospel for the. *At Nazareth*. ¹⁷ He found the place where it was written, ¹⁸ The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor ; he hath sent me to heal the brokenhearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind.—*LUKE*, ch. 4.

6256. — — “ *Great Supper*.” ²⁰ And another said, I have married a wife : and therefore I cannot come. ²¹ Then the master of the house being angry, said to his servant, Go out quickly into the streets and lanes of the city, and bring in hither the poor, and the maimed, and the halt, and the blind.—*LUKE*, ch. 14.

6257. — Hospitality of the. *Widow of Zarephath*. ¹⁸ I have not a cake, but a handful of meal in a barrel, and a little oil in a cruse : and, behold, I am gathering two sticks, that I may go in and dress it for me and my son, that we may eat it, and die. ¹⁹ And Elijah said, Fear not ; go and do as thou hast said : but make me thereof a little cake first.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 17.

6258. — Homeless. *Jesus*. ²⁰ The foxes have holes, and the birds of the air have nests ; but the Son of man hath not where to lay his head.—*MAT.*, ch. 8.

6259. — Indifference to the. *Dives*. ²⁰ There was a certain beggar named Lazarus, which was laid at his gate, full of sores, ²¹ And desiring to be fed with the crumbs which fell from the rich man's table : moreover the dogs came and licked his sores.—*LUKE*, ch. 16.

6260. — Investment for the. *Proverb*. ¹⁷ He that hath pity upon the poor lendeth unto the Lord ; and that which he hath given will he pay him again.—*PROV.*, ch. 19.

6261. — — *Proverb*. ²¹ He that giveth unto the poor shall not lack : but he that hideth his eyes shall have many a curse.—*PROV.*, ch. 28.

6262. — oppressed. “ *One little Eve Lamb*.” ⁴ There came a traveller unto the rich man, and he spared to take of his own flock, to dress for the wayfaring man, but took the poor man's lamb, and dressed it for the man.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 12.

6263. — Provision for the. *Law*. ²⁶ At the end of three years thou shalt bring forth all the tithe of thine increase the same year, and shalt lay it up within thy gates : ²⁹ And the Levite, (because he hath no part nor inheritance with thee,) and the stranger, and the fatherless, and the widow, which are within thy gates, shall come, and shall eat and be satisfied ; that the Lord thy God may bless thee in all the work of thine hand which thou doest.—*DEUT.*, ch. 14.

6264. — — *Law*. ¹⁹ When thou cuttest down thine harvest, and hast forgot a sheaf, thou shalt not go again to fetch it. ²⁰ When thou beatest thine olive tree, thou shalt not go over the boughs again. ²¹ When thou gatherest the grapes of thy vineyard, thou shalt not glean

it afterward : it shall be for the stranger, for the fatherless, and for the widow.—*DEUT.*, ch. 24.

6265. — remembered. *In Rejoicing*. ²² As the days wherein the Jews rested from their enemies, and the month which was turned unto them from sorrow to joy, and from mourning into a good day : that they should make them days of feasting and joy, and of sending portions one to another, and gifts to the poor.—*ESTHER*, ch. 9.

6266. — God remembers the. *Not Forgotten*. ¹⁸ The needy shall not always be forgotten : the expectation of the poor shall not perish for ever.—*PS.* 9.

6267. — — “ *Sighing*.” ⁵ For the oppression of the poor, for the sighing of the needy, now will I arise, saith the Lord ; I will set him in safety from him that puffeth at him.—*PS.* 12.

6268. — Reminded by the. “ *Thou wast*.” [See No. 6264.] ²² Thou shalt remember that thou wast a bondman in the land of Egypt : therefore I command thee to do this thing.—*DEUT.*, ch. 24.

6269. — Rewards from the. *Job*. ¹⁹ Because I delivered the poor that cried, and the fatherless, and him that had none to help him. ²² The blessing of him that was ready to perish came upon me : and I caused the widow's heart to sing for joy.—*JOB*, ch. 29.

6270. — Rejection of the. *Proverb*. ¹³ Whoso stoppeth his ears at the cry of the poor, he also shall cry himself, but shall not be heard.—*PROV.*, ch. 21.

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6271. POPULARITY a Burden. *Jesus*. ²¹ Come ye yourselves apart into a desert place, and rest a while : for there were many coming and going, and they had no leisure so much as to eat. ²² And they departed into a desert place by ship privately. ²³ And the people saw them departing, and many knew him, and ran afoot thither out of all cities, and outwent them, and came together unto him.—*MAT.*, ch. 6.

6272. — courted. *Herod*. ¹ Herod the king stretched forth his hands to vex certain of the church. ² And he killed James the brother of John with the sword. ³ And because he saw it pleased the Jews, he proceeded further to take Peter also.—*ACTS*, ch. 12.

6273. — A Demagogue's. “ *Stole the Hearts*.” ⁴ Absalom said, Oh that I were made judge in the land, that every man which hath any suit or cause might come unto me, and I would do him justice ! ⁵ And it was so, that when any man came nigh to him to do him obeisance, he put forth his hand, and took him, and kissed him.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 15.

6274. — A Deceiver's. *Simon Magus*. ⁹ There was a certain man, called Simon, which used sorcery, and bewitched the people of Samaria, giving out that himself was some great one : ¹⁰ To whom they all gave heed, from the least to the greatest, saying, This man is the great power of God.—*ACTS*, ch. 8.

6275. — *Early. David's.* ³⁰ The princes of the Philistines went forth : and . . David behaved himself more wisely than all the servants of Saul ; so that his name was much set by.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 18.

6276. — *Envy of. At Antioch.* ⁴⁴ The next sabbath day came almost the whole city together to hear the word of God. ⁴⁵ But when the Jews saw the multitudes, they were filled with envy, and spake against those things which were spoken by Paul, contradicting and blaspheming.—*ACTS*, ch. 13.

6277. — *An honourable. Solomon.* ³³ He spake also of beasts, and of fowl, and of creeping things, and of fishes. ³⁴ And there came of all people to hear the wisdom of Solomon, from all kings of the earth, which had heard of his wisdom.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 4.

6278. — *Love of. Rulers.* ⁴³ Among the chief rulers . . many believed on him ; but because of the Pharisees they did not confess him, lest they should be put out of the synagogue : ⁴⁴ For they loved the praise of men more than the praise of God.—*JOHN*, ch. 12.

6279. — *Loss of. Jesus.* ³⁴ Whoso eateth my flesh, and drinketh my blood, hath eternal life ; and I will raise him up at the last day. ³⁵ Many therefore of his disciples . . said, This is an hard saying ; who can hear it ? . . ³⁶ From that time many of his disciples went back, and walked no more with him.—*JOHN*, ch. 6.

6280. — *Sacrifice to. Felix.* ²¹ After two years Porcius Festus came into Felix' room : and Felix, willing to shew the Jews a pleasure, left Paul bound.—*ACTS*, ch. 24.

6281. — *The Saviour's. By Deeds.* ² From Jerusalem . . Idumea, and from beyond Jordan ; and they about Tyre and Sidon, a great multitude, when they had heard what great things he did, came unto him.—*MARK*, ch. 3.

6282. — *undesired. By Jesus.* ⁴⁴ See thou say nothing to any man : but go thy way, shew thyself to the priest, and offer for thy cleansing . . ⁴⁵ But he went out, and began to publish it much, and to blaze abroad the matter, insomuch that Jesus could no more openly enter into the city, but was without in desert places : and they came to him from every quarter.—*MARK*, ch. 1.

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6283. *POPULATION, Increase of. In Egypt.* ¹ The children of Israel were fruitful, and increased abundantly, and multiplied, and waxed exceeding mighty ; and the land was filled with them.—*EX.*, ch. 1.

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6284. *POSITION, Love of. Scribes.* ⁴⁴ Beware of the scribes, which desire to walk in long robes, and love greetings in the markets, and

the highest seats in the synagogues, and the chief rooms at feasts.—*LUKE*, ch. 20.

6285. — *not a Gift. Preparation for.* ⁴⁰ But to sit on my right hand and on my left hand is not mine to give ; but it shall be given to them for whom it is prepared.—*MARK*, ch. 10.

6286. — *Petition for. James and John.* ³¹ They said . . Grant unto us that we may sit, one on thy right hand, and the other on thy left hand, in thy glory.—*MARK*, ch. 10.

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6287. *POSSESSION, Condition of. Merit.* ² Every place that the sole of your foot shall tread upon, that have I given unto you, as I said unto Moses. ⁴ From the wilderness and this Lebanon even unto . . the river Euphrates.—*JOSEPH.*, ch. 1.

6288. *POSSESSIONS, Extensive. Christians.* ²¹ For all things are yours ; ²² Whether Paul, or Apollos, or Cephas, or the world, or life, or death, or things present, or things to come ; all are yours.—*1 COR.*, ch. 3.

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6289. *POSTERS, Biblical. Commands.* ⁹ Thou shalt write them upon the posts of thy house, and on thy gates. ⁵ And thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thine heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy might.—*DEUT.*, ch. 6.

6290. *POSTERITY desired. Abram.* ³ Lord God, what wilt thou give me, seeing I go childless, and the steward of my house is Eliezer of Damascus ? ⁵ And he . . Look now toward heaven, and tell the stars, if thou be able to number them : and he said unto him, So shall thy seed be.—*GEN.*, ch. 15.

6291. *POVERTY, Affection with. Ruth.* ¹⁶ Entreat me not to leave thee, or to return . . for whither thou goest, I will go ; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge : thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God : ¹⁷ Where thou diest, will I die, and there will I be buried : the Lord do so to me, and more also, if aught but death part thee and me.—*RUTH*, ch. 1.

6292. — *Benevolence with. "Two Mites."* ⁴¹ Many that were rich cast in much. ⁴² And there came a certain poor widow, and she threw in two mites, which make a farthing.—*MARK*, ch. 12.

6293. — *Macedonians.* ⁹ In a great trial of affliction, the abundance of their joy and their deep poverty abounded unto the riches of their liberality. ³ For to their power, I bear record, yea, and beyond their power they were willing of themselves ; ⁴ Praying us with much

entreaty that we would receive the gift.—2 Cor., ch. 8.

6294. — Born to. *Jesus.* ²² They brought him to Jerusalem, to present him to the Lord; ²⁴ And to offer a sacrifice according to that which is said in the law of the Lord, A pair of turtledoves, or two young pigeons.—*LUKE*, ch. 2. [This was the offering of persons in moderate poverty.]

6295. — Cause of. *Idleness.* ¹⁹ He that tilleth his land shall have plenty of bread; but he that followeth after vain persons shall have poverty enough.—*PROV.*, ch. 28.

6296. — — *Proverb.* ³⁰ Be not among winebibbers; among riotous eaters of flesh: ²¹ For the drunkard and the glutton shall come to poverty: and drowsiness shall clothe a man with rags.—*PROV.*, ch. 23.

6297. — Consolation in. *Proverb.* ²² A poor man is better than a liar.—*PROV.*, ch. 19.

6298. — Dangers of. *Prayer of Agur.* ⁸ Give me neither poverty nor riches; feed me with food convenient for me: ⁹ Lest I be full, and deny thee, and say, Who is the Lord? or lest I be poor, and steal, and take the name of my God in vain.—*PROV.*, ch. 30.

6299. — from Famine. *At Jerusalem.* ¹ There was a great cry of the people and of their wives against their brethren the Jews. ³ Some said, We have mortgaged our lands, vineyards, and houses, that we might buy corn, because of the dearth.—*Neh.*, ch. 5.

6300. — no Hinderance. *David.* ²² Saul commanded his servants, saying, Commune with David secretly, and say, Behold, the king hath delight in thee, and all his servants love thee: now therefore be the king's son in law. ²³ David said, Seemeth it to you a light thing to be a king's son in law, seeing that I am a poor man, and lightly esteemed?—1 *SAM.*, ch. 18.

6301. — inevitable. *Egyptians.* ²⁰ Joseph bought all the land of Egypt for Pharaoh; for the Egyptians sold every man his field, because the famine prevailed over them: so the land became Pharaoh's.—*GEN.*, ch. 47.

6302. — known. *Jesus.* ⁴³ This poor widow hath cast more in, than all they which have cast into the treasury: ⁴⁴ For all they did cast in of their abundance; but she of her want did cast in all that she had, even all her living.—*MARK*, ch. 13.

6303. — to Plenty, From. *Lazarus.* ²⁰ There was a certain beggar, laid at his gate, full of sores, ²¹ And desiring to be fed with the crumbs which fell from the rich man's table: moreover the dogs came and licked his sores. ²² the beggar died, and was carried by the angels into Abraham's bosom.—*LUKE*, ch. 16.

6304. — Protected by. *Not Captives.* ¹¹ The rest of the people that were left in the city, and the fugitives that fell away to the king of Babylon, with the remnant of the multitude, did Nebuzar-adan the captain of the guard carry away. ¹² But left of the poor of the land to be vinedressers and husbandmen.—2 *KINGS*, ch. 25.

6305. — of the Sluggard. *Proverb.* ⁴ The sluggard will not plough by reason of the cold; therefore shall he beg in harvest, and have nothing.—*PROV.*, ch. 20.

6306. — — *Proverb.* ¹⁰ Yet a little sleep, a little slumber, a little folding of the hands to sleep: ¹¹ So shall thy poverty come as one that travelleth, and thy want as an armed man.—*PROV.*, ch. 6.

6307. — Suffering from. *Paul.* ²¹ In weariness and painfulness, in watchings often, in hunger and thirst, in fastings often, in cold and nakedness.—2 *COR.*, ch. 11.

6308. — and Riches. *Lazarus—Dives.* ¹⁹ There was a certain rich man, which was clothed in purple and fine linen, and fared sumptuously every day.—*LUKE*, ch. 16. [See No. 6303.]

6309. — better than Sin. *Proverb.* [See Nos. 6297 and 6311.]

6310. — Wealth in. *Proverb.* ¹ There is that maketh himself rich, yet hath nothing: there is that maketh himself poor, yet hath great riches.—*PROV.*, ch. 13.

6311. — better than Wealth. *Proverb.* ⁶ Better is the poor man that walketh in his uprightness, than he that is perverse in his ways, though he be rich.—*PROV.*, ch. 28.

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6312. POWER delegated to Faith. *Exorcising.* ¹⁹ Then came the disciples...and said, Why could not we cast him out? ²⁰ And Jesus said, Because of your unbelief: for...if ye have faith as a grain of mustard seed, ye shall say unto this mountain, Remove hence to yonder place; and it shall remove: and nothing shall be impossible unto you.—*MAT.*, ch. 17.

6313. — Endowment of. *Pentecost.* ¹ They were all with one accord in one place. ² And suddenly there came a sound from heaven as of a rushing mighty wind, and it filled all the house where they were sitting. ³ And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them. ⁴ And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.—*ACTS*, ch. 2.

6314. — God given. *Samson.* ²⁴ The woman bare a son, and called his name Samson: and the child grew, and the Lord blessed him. ²⁵ And the Spirit of the Lord began to move him at times in the camp of Dan.—*JUDGES*, ch. 13.

6315. — from God only. *Peter.* ¹¹ As the lame man which was healed held Peter and John, all the people ran...greatly wondering. ¹² And when Peter saw it, he answered, Ye men of Israel, why marvel ye at this? or why look ye so earnestly on us, as though by our own power or holiness we had made this man to walk?—*ACTS*, ch. 3.

6316. — Loss of. *Samson.* ²⁰ She said, The Philistines be upon thee, Samson. And he awoke out of his sleep, and said, I will go out as at other times before, and shake myself. And he wist not that the Lord was departed from him.

¹¹ the Philistines. . . put out his eyes. . . and bound him with fetters of brass; and he did grind in the prison house.—JUDGES, ch. 16.

6317. — *Might or. Spirit.* ⁶ This is the word of the Lord unto Zerubbabel, saying, Not by might, nor by power, but by my Spirit, saith the Lord of hosts. ⁷ Who art thou, O great mountain? before Zerubbabel thou shalt become a plain: and he shall bring forth the headstone thereof with shoutings, crying, Grace, grace unto it.—ZECH., ch. 4.

6318. — *promised.* *To Joshua.* ⁵ There shall not any man be able to stand before thee all the days of thy life: as I was with Moses, so I will be with thee: I will not fail thee, nor forsake thee. ⁶ Be strong and of a good courage.—JOSE., ch. 1.

6319. — *in Prayer.* *Hezekiah.* ²⁰ Then Isaiah . . . sent to Hezekiah, saying, Thus saith the Lord . . . That which thou hast prayed to me against Sennacherib king of Assyria I have heard. ²⁵ And . . . that night . . . the angel of the Lord . . . smote in the camp of the Assyrians a hundred fourscore and five thousand.—ISA., ch. 37.

6320. — *in Preaching.* *Paul's.* ⁸ I was with you in weakness, and in fear, and in much trembling. ⁴ And my speech and my preaching was not with enticing words of man's wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power.—1 COR., ch. 2.

6321. — *Ruling.* *Tempest.* ²² There came down a storm of wind on the lake; and they were filled with water, and were in jeopardy. ²⁴ And they . . . awoke him, saying, Master, Master, we perish. Then he arose, and rebuked the wind, and the raging of the water: and they ceased, and there was a calm.—LUKE, ch. 8.

6322. — *Spiritual.* *Stephen.* ⁹ Disputing with Stephen. ¹⁰ And they were not able to resist the wisdom and the spirit by which he spake.—ACTS, ch. 6.

6323. — *Spirit brings.* *Samson at Lehi.* ¹⁴ The Philistines shouted against him: and the Spirit of the Lord came mightily upon him, and the cords that were upon his arms became as flax that was burnt with fire, and his bands loosed. ¹⁵ And he found a new jawbone of an ass. . . and took it, and slew a thousand men therewith.—JUDGES, ch. 15.

6324. — *suddenly acquired.* *Joseph.* ⁴⁴ Pharaoh said unto Joseph, I am Pharaoh, and without thee shall no man lift up his hand or foot in all the land of Egypt.—GEN., ch. 41.

6325. — *Temptation in.* *Of Jesus.* ⁸ The devil taketh him up into an exceeding high mountain, and sheweth him all the kingdoms of the world, and the glory of them; ⁹ And saith. . . All these things will I give thee, if thou wilt fall down and worship me.—MAT., ch. 4.

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6327. — *in Tears.* *Pharaoh's Daughter.* ⁸ When she saw the ark among the flags, she sent her maid to fetch it. . . ⁶ And when she had opened it. . . behold, the babe wept. And she had compassion on him.—EX., ch. 2.

6328. — *Weakness with.* *King David.* [Job had assassinated Abner.] ³⁸ A prince and a great man fallen this day in Israel? . . . ³⁹ And I

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6332. — *Dangers of.* *Absalom.* ²⁵ In all Israel there was none to be so much praised as Absalom for his beauty: from the sole of his foot even to the crown of his head there was no blemish in him.—2 SAM., ch. 14.

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6334. — Irrepressible. *Triumphal Entry.* ³⁸ Blessed be the King that cometh in the name of the Lord : peace in heaven, and glory in the highest. ³⁹ And some of the Pharisees . . . said . . . Master, rebuke thy disciples. ⁴⁰ And he answered . . . if these should hold their peace, the stones would immediately cry out.—*Luke*, ch. 19.

6335. — with Instruments. *Organs.* ³ Praise him with the sound of the trumpet : praise him with the psaltery and harp. ⁴ Praise him with the timbrel and dance : praise him with stringed instruments and organs.—*Psa.* 150.

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6339. — Offering of. *David's.* ²⁰ I will praise the name of God with a song, and will magnify him with thanksgiving. ²¹ This also shall please the Lord better than an ox or bullock that hath horns and hoofs.—*Psa.* 69.

6340. — Reasons for. *Divine.* ¹ Praise ye the Lord : for it is good to sing praises unto our God ; for it is pleasant ; and praise is comely. ² The Lord doth build up Jerusalem : he gathereth together the outcasts of Israel. ³ He healeth the broken in heart, and bindeth up their wounds.—*Psa.* 147. [See Psalm.]

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6343. — Agreement in. *Promise.* ¹⁹ If two of you shall agree on earth as touching any thing that they shall ask, it shall be done for them of my Father which is in heaven. ²⁰ For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them.—*Mat.*, ch. 18.

6344. — strangely answered. *"Serpent."* ⁷ Moses prayed for the people. ⁸ And the Lord said . . . Make thee a fiery serpent, and set it upon a pole ; and . . . every one that is bitten, when he looketh upon it, shall live.—*Num.*, ch. 21. [He gave a cure, but left the serpents.]

6345. — unexpectedly answered. *Rhoda.* ¹⁴ When she knew Peter's voice, she opened not the gate for gladness, but ran in, and told how Peter stood before the gate. ¹⁵ And they said . . . Thou art mad. But she constantly affirmed that it was even so. Then said they, It is his angel.—*Acts*, ch. 12.

6346. — Benevolence with. *Cornelius.* ⁴ The angel . . . said unto him, Thy prayers and thy alms are come up for a memorial before God. ⁵ And now send men to Joppa, and call for one Simon, whose surname is Peter.—*Acts*, ch. 10.

6347. — Boldness by. *Disciples.* ²¹ And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and they spake the word of God with boldness. ²² And the multitude of them that believed were of one heart and of one soul.—*Acts*, ch. 4.

6348. — Boldness in. *High Priest.* ¹⁵ We have not a high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities ; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin. ¹⁶ Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need.—*Heb.*, ch. 4.

6349. — turns the Battle. *Israelites.* ²⁰ The Hagarites were delivered into their hand, and all that were with them : for they cried to God in the battle, and he was entreated of them : because they put their trust in him.—1 *Chron.*, ch. 5.

6350. — Boasting in. *Pharisee.* ¹¹ God, I thank thee, that I am not as other men are, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this publican. ¹² I fast twice in the week, I give tithes of all that I possess.—*Luke*, ch. 18.

6351. — Comfort in. *"When in the Cave."* ¹ With my voice unto the Lord did I make my supplication. ² I poured out my complaint before him ; I shewed before him my trouble. ³ When my spirit was overwhelmed within me, then thou knewest my path.—*Psa.* 142.

6352. — Constant. *Cornelius.* ⁹ A devout man, and one that feared God with all his house, which gave much alms to the people, and prayed to God always.—*Acts*, ch. 10.

6353. — *Closet. Secret.* 'When thou prayest, enter into thy closet, and when thou hast shut thy door, pray to thy Father. . . and thy Father which seeth in secret shall reward thee openly.—MAT., ch. 6.

6354. — *Deliverance by.* *At Dothan.* ¹⁸ When they came down to him, Elisha prayed unto the Lord. . . Smite this people, I pray thee, with blindness. And he smote them with blindness.—2 KINGS, ch. 6. [The Syrians were blinded and captured.]

6355. — *denied.* *Moses.* ²⁵ I pray thee, let me go over, and see the good land that is beyond Jordan, that goodly mountain, and Lebanon. ²⁶ But the Lord was wroth with me for your sakes, and would not hear me: and the Lord said unto me, Let it suffice thee; speak no more unto me of this matter.—DEUT., ch. 3.

6356. — *defeated.* *Transgression.* ²⁷ Saul asked counsel of God, Shall I go down after the Philistines? wilt thou deliver them into the hand of Israel? But he answered him not that day. ²⁸ And Saul said, Draw ye near hither, all the chief of the people; and know and see wherein this sin hath been this day.—1 SAM., ch. 14.

6357. — *End of.* *Acceptance.* ¹ When Solomon had made an end of praying, the fire came down from heaven, and consumed the burnt offering and the sacrifices. . . ⁹ And the priests could not enter. . . because the glory of the Lord had filled the Lord's house.—2 CHRON., ch. 7.

6358. — *Encouragement to.* *Jesus said,* ⁹ What man is there of you, whom if his son ask bread, will he give him a stone? ¹⁰ Or if he ask a fish, will he give him a serpent? ¹¹ If ye then, being evil, know how to give good gifts unto your children, how much more shall your Father which is in heaven give good things to them that ask him.—MAT., ch. 7.

6359. — *Elevation in.* *Jacob.* ¹¹ Deliver me, I pray thee, from the hand of my brother. . . Esau: for I fear him, lest he will come and smite me, and the mother with the children. . . ²⁹ And Jacob. . . said, Tell me, I pray thee, thy name. And he said, Wherefore is it that thou dost ask after my name? And he blessed him there.—GEN., ch. 23.

6360. — *Early.* *Jesus.* ²⁵ In the morning, rising up a great while before day, he went out, and departed into a solitary place, and there prayed.—MARK, ch. 1.

6361. — *with Effort.* *Elisha.* ²² The child was dead, and laid upon his bed. ²³ He. . . shut the door upon them twain, and prayed unto the Lord. ²⁴ And he. . . lay upon the child, and put his mouth upon his mouth, and his eyes upon his eyes, and his hands upon his hands: and he stretched himself upon the child; and the flesh of the child waxed warm.—2 KINGS, ch. 4.

6362. — *Earnestness in.* *Tears.* ⁷ In the days of his flesh, when he had offered up prayers and supplications with strong crying and tears unto him that was able to save him from death, and was heard in that he feared.—HEB., ch. 5.

6363. — *—* *Gethsemane.* ⁴³ There appeared an angel unto him from heaven, strengthening him. ⁴⁴ And being in an agony he prayed

more earnestly: and his sweat was as it were great drops of blood falling down to the ground.—LUKE, ch. 22.

6364. — *—* *Bartimeus.* ⁴⁷ When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out, and say, Jesus, thou Son of David, have mercy on me. ⁴⁸ And many charged him that he should hold his peace: but he cried the more a great deal, Thou Son of David, have mercy on me.—MARK, ch. 10.

6365. — *Efficiency of.* *Moses.* ¹³ If I have found grace in thy sight, shew me now thy way, that I may know thee, that I may find grace in thy sight: and consider that this nation is thy people. ¹⁴ And he said, My presence shall go with thee.—EX., ch. 33.

6366. — *Frequent.* *Jesus.* ⁴⁴ He left them, and went away again, and prayed the third time, saying the same words.—MAT., ch. 26.

6367. — *Family.* *Job.* ⁵ When the days of their feasting were gone about. . . Job sent and sanctified them, and rose up early in the morning, and offered burnt offerings according to the number of them all: for Job said, It may be that my sons have sinned. . . Thus did Job continually.—JOB, ch. 1.

6368. — *inspired by Fear.* *Israelites.* ¹² The Zidonians. . . the Amalekites, and the Moabites, did oppress you; and ye cried to me, and I delivered you out of their hand. ¹³ Yet ye have forsaken me, and served other gods: wherefore I will deliver you no more.—JUDGES, ch. 10.

6369. — *Forgiveness with.* *Jesus said,* ²⁴ What things soever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them. ²⁵ And when ye stand praying, forgive, if ye have aught against any: that your Father also which is in heaven may forgive you your trespasses. ²⁶ But if ye do not forgive, neither will your Father which is in heaven forgive your trespasses.—MARK, ch. 11.

6370. — *Fraternal.* *Paul.* ⁹ God is my witness, whom I serve with my spirit in the gospel of his Son, that without ceasing I make mention of you always in my prayers; ¹³ Making request, if by any means now at length I might. . . by the will of God to come unto you.—ROM., ch. 1.

6371. — *for Friends.* *Job.* ¹⁰ The Lord turned the captivity of Job, when he prayed for his friends: also the Lord gave Job twice as much as he had before.—JOB, ch. 42.

6372. — *for Guidance.* *In Ordaining.* ²² Appointed two, Joseph called Barsabas. . . and Matthias. ²⁴ And they prayed, and said, Thou, Lord, which knowest the hearts of all men, shew whether of these two thou hast chosen.—ACTS, ch. 1.

6373. — *House of.* *The Church.* ¹³ Jesus went into the temple of God, and cast out all them that sold and bought in the temple, and overthrew the tables of the money changers, and the seats of them that sold doves, ¹⁵ And said. . . It is written, My house shall be called the house of prayer; but ye have made it a den of thieves.—MAT., ch. 21.

6374. — *Hinderances to.* *Jesus.* ³¹ Come ye yourselves apart into a desert place, and rest a while: for there were many coming and going, and they had no leisure so much as to eat.

³³ And they departed into a desert place by ship privately. . . ⁴⁶ And when he had sent them away, he departed into a mountain to pray.—*MAR.*, ch. 6.

6375. — for Help in Prayer. *Canaanite.* My daughter. . . help me. [See No. 6381.]

6376. — for Helpers. *Jesus said.* ²¹ Unto his disciples, The harvest truly is plenteous, but the labourers are few; ²⁸ Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth labourers into his harvest.—*MAT.*, ch. 9.

6377. — with Humiliation. *Manasseh.* ¹² When Manasseh was in affliction, he besought the Lord his God, and humbled himself greatly. . . ¹³ . . . and he was entreated of him, and heard his supplication, and brought him again to Jerusalem into his kingdom.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 33.

6378. — Instruction in. *By Jesus.* ¹ As he was praying in a certain place, when he ceased, one of his disciples said. . . Lord, teach us to pray, as John also taught his disciples. ² And he said. . . When ye pray, say, Our Father which art in heaven.—*LUKE*, ch. 11.

6379. — Incense of. *Zacharias.* ¹⁰ The whole multitude of the people were praying without at the time of incense. ¹¹ And there appeared unto him an angel of the Lord standing on the right side of the altar of incense.—*LUKE*, ch. 1.

6380. — Intercession in. *Moses.* ²¹ Oh, this people have sinned a great sin, and have made them gods of gold. ²² Yet now, if thou wilt forgive their sin—; and if not, blot me, I pray thee, out of thy book which thou hast written.—*EX.*, ch. 32.

6381. — Importunity in. *Canaanite.* ²² Have mercy on me, O Lord, thou son of David; my daughter is grievously vexed with a devil. ²³ But he answered her not a word. And his disciples came. . . saying, Send her away; for she crieth after us. ²⁴ But he answered. . . I am not sent but unto the lost sheep of the house of Israel. ²⁵ Then came she and worshipped him, saying, Lord, help me.—*MAT.*, ch. 15. [See more at No. 6204.]

6382. — — “Three Loaves.” ⁶ A friend of mine in his journey is come to me, and I have nothing to set before him? ⁷ And he from within shall answer. . . Trouble me not: the door is now shut, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot rise and give thee. ⁸ Though he will not rise and give him, because he is his friend, yet because of his importunity he will rise and give him as many as he needeth.—*LUKE*, ch. 11.

6383. — — *Of Moses.* ¹⁵ If thou shalt kill all this people as one man, then the nations which have heard the fame of thee will speak, saying, ¹⁶ Because the Lord was not able to bring this people into the land which he swore unto them, therefore he hath slain them in the wilderness. ¹⁷ And now, I beseech thee, let the power of my Lord be great.—*NUM.*, ch. 14.

6384. — Ignorance in. *John's Mother.* ²¹ She saith. . . Grant that these my two sons may sit, the one on thy right hand, and the other on the left, in thy kingdom. ²² But Jesus answered. . . Ye know not what ye ask. Are ye able to drink of the cup that I shall drink of?—*MAT.*, ch. 20.

6385. — Insincerity in. *Israelites.* ¹⁴ They have not cried unto me with their heart, when they howled upon their beds: they assemble themselves for corn and wine, and they rebel against me.—*HOSEA*, ch. 7.

6386. — Justification by. *Publican.* [See No. 6403.]

6387. — The Model. *Lord's.* ⁹ After this manner therefore pray ye: Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name.—*MAT.*, ch. 6.

6388. — Midday. *Peter.* [See No. 6394.]

6389. — Morn. and Eve. *Tabernacle.* ⁴ Thou shalt put it before the veil that is by the ark of the testimony, before the mercy seat that is over the testimony, where I will meet with thee. ⁷ And Aaron shall burn thereon sweet incense every morning: when he dresseth the lamps, he shall burn incense upon it.—*EX.*, ch. 30.

6390. — of Mariners. *Storm.* ²⁷ They reel to and fro, and stagger like a drunken man, and are at their wit's end. ²⁸ Then they cry unto the Lord in their trouble, and he bringeth them out of their distresses.—*PS.* 107. [See Psalm.]

6391. — for Others. *Intercessory.* ²³ God forbid that I should sin against the Lord in ceasing to pray for you: but I will teach you the good and the right way: ²⁴ Only fear the Lord, and serve him in truth with all your heart.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 12.

6392. — Privilege of. *Solomon.* ³ In Gibeon the Lord appeared to Solomon in a dream by night: and God said, Ask what I shall give thee.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 3.

6393. — Preparation for. *Reformation.* ¹² When ye make many prayers, I will not hear: your hands are full of blood. ¹⁴ Wash ye, make you clean; put away the evil of your doings from before mine eyes; cease to do evil; ¹⁷ Learn to do well; seek judgment, relieve the oppressed, judge the fatherless, plead for the widow.—*ISA.*, ch. 1.

6394. — Place of. *At Joppa.* ⁹ Peter went up upon the housetop to pray about the sixth hour: ¹⁰ And he became very hungry.—*ACTS*, ch. 10.

6395. — — *At Philippi.* ¹³ On the sabbath we went out of the city by a river side, where prayer was wont to be made. . . and spake unto the women which resorted thither.—*ACTS*, ch. 16.

6396. — — *Strange.* ¹ Then Jonah prayed unto the Lord his God out of the fish's belly, ² And said, I cried by reason of mine affliction unto the Lord, and he heard me: out of the belly of hell cried I.—*JONAH*, ch. 2.

6397. — Power in. *Peter out of Prison.* ²¹ When they had prayed, the place was shaken where they were assembled together; and they were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and they spake the word of God with boldness. ²² . . . them that believed were of one heart and of one soul.—*ACTS*, ch. 4.

6398. — Persistent. “Steady.” ¹¹ Moses' hands were heavy. . . and Aaron and Hur stayed up his hands, the one on the one side, and the other on the other side; and his hands were steady until the going down of the sun. ¹² And Joshua discomfited Amalek and his people with the edge of the sword.—*EX.*, ch. 17.

6399. — *Protracted.* *Jesus.* ¹⁹ He went out into a mountain to pray, and continued all night in prayer to God. ¹⁸ And when it was day, he called unto him his disciples : and of them he chose twelve, whom also he named apostles.—*LUKE*, ch. 6.

6400. — *Power of.* *Intercessory.* ²⁹ Oh, let not the Lord be angry, and I will speak yet but this once : Peradventure ten shall be found there. And he said, I will not destroy it for ten's sake.—*GEN.*, ch. 18.

6401. — *Pleading in.* *Moses.* [See Nos. 6380, 6383, 6437.]

6402. — *Perseverance in.* *Unjust Judge.* ³ A widow . . . came . . . saying, Avenge me of mine adversary. ⁴ And he would not for a while ; but afterward he said within himself, Though I fear not God, nor regard man ; ⁵ Yet because this widow troubleth me, I will avenge her, lest by her continual coming she weary me.—*LUKE*, ch. 18.

6403. — *Penitence in.* *Publican.* ¹³ The publican, standing afar off, would not lift up so much as his eyes unto heaven, but smote upon his breast, saying, God be merciful to me a sinner. ¹⁴ I tell you, this man went down to his house justified rather than the other.—*LUKE*, ch. 18.

6404. — *evil Persistence in.* *Israel.* ⁶ The thing displeased Samuel, when they said, Give us a king to judge us : and Samuel prayed unto the Lord.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 8. ⁹ O Israel, thou hast destroyed thyself. ¹⁰ I will be thy king : where is any other that may save thee in all thy cities ? and thy judges of whom thou saidst, Give me a king and princes ? ¹¹ I gave thee a king in my anger, and took him away in my wrath.—*HOSEA*, ch. 13.

6405. — *Regular.* *David.* ¹⁶ As for me, I will call upon God ; and the Lord shall save me. ¹⁷ Evening, and morning, and at noon, will I pray, and cry aloud : and he shall hear my voice.—*PS.* 55.

6406. — *Revengeful.* *Samson.* ²⁷ There were upon the roof about three thousand men and women, that beheld while Samson made sport. ²⁸ And Samson . . . said, O Lord God, remember me, I pray thee, and strengthen me, I pray thee, only this once, O God, that I may be at once avenged of the Philistines for my two eyes.—*JUDGES*, ch. 16.

6407. — *Revived by.* *Hannah.* ¹³ Hannah, she spake in her heart ; only her lips moved, but her voice was not heard. ¹⁴ And Hannah answered and said, No, my lord, I am a woman of a sorrowful spirit. ¹⁵ So the woman went her way, and did eat, and her countenance was no more sad.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 1.

6408. — *for physical.* *Relief.* *Jeroboam.* [See No. 6418.]

6409. — *rejected.* *Saul's.* ⁵ When Saul saw the host of the Philistines, he was afraid, and his heart greatly trembled. ⁶ And when Saul inquired of the Lord, the Lord answered him not, neither by dreams, nor by Urim, nor by prophets.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 28.

6410. — *Saul.* ²⁵ I pray thee, pardon my sin, and turn again with me, that I may worship the Lord. ²⁶ And Samuel said unto Saul, I will not return with thee : for thou hast rejected

the word of the Lord, and the Lord hath rejected thee.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 15.

6411. — *Rescued by.* *At Philippi.* ²⁴ Their feet fast in the stocks. ²⁵ And at midnight Paul and Silas prayed, and sang praises unto God : and the prisoners heard them. ²⁶ And suddenly there was a great earthquake, so that the foundations of the prison were shaken : and immediately all the doors were opened, and every one's bands were loosed.—*ACTS*, ch. 16.

6412. — *refused.* *Wanderer's.* ¹⁰ Thus saith the Lord. Thus have they loved to wander, they have not refrained their feet, therefore the Lord doth not accept them ; he will now remember their iniquity, and visit their sins. ¹¹ Then said the Lord unto me, Pray not for this people for their good.—*JER.*, ch. 14.

6413. — *Thorn in the Flesh.* ⁸ For this thing I besought the Lord thrice, that it might depart from me. ⁹ And he said unto me, My grace is sufficient for thee : for my strength is made perfect in weakness.—*2 COR.*, ch. 12.

6414. — *Successful.* *Elijah.* ⁴ Elijah went up to the top of Carmel ; and he cast himself down upon the earth, and put his face between his knees. ⁴⁴ And . . . at the seventh time . . . he said, Behold, there ariseth a little cloud out of the sea, like a man's hand. And he said, . . . say unto Ahab, Prepare thy chariot, and get thee down, that the rain stop thee not.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 18.

6415. — *Secret.* *Gethsemane.* ²⁶ Then cometh Jesus with them unto . . . Gethsemane, and saith unto the disciples, Sit ye here, while I go and pray yonder.—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

6416. — *A short.* *Peter's.* ²⁹ When Peter was come down out of the ship, he walked on the water, to go to Jesus. ³⁰ But when he saw the wind boisterous, he was afraid ; and beginning to sink, he cried, saying, Lord, save me.—*MAT.*, ch. 14.

6417. — *solicited.* *Simon Magus.* ²³ I perceive that thou art in the gall of bitterness, and in the bond of iniquity. ²⁴ Then answered Simon. . . . Pray ye to the Lord for me, that none of these things which ye have spoken come upon me.—*ACTS*, ch. 8.

6418. — *Jeroboam.* ⁴ His hand, which he put forth against him, dried up, so that he could not pull it in again to him. ⁶ And the king . . . said, . . . pray for me, that my hand may be restored me again. And the man of God besought the Lord, and the king's hand was restored him again.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 13.

6419. — *in Sickness.* *Hezekiah.* ⁵ I have heard thy prayer, I have seen thy tears : behold, I will heal thee : on the third day thou shalt go up unto the house of the Lord. ⁶ And I will add unto thy days fifteen years ; and I will deliver thee and this city out of the hand of the king of Assyria.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 20.

6420. — *Supremacy of.* *Elijah.* ¹⁷ Elias was a man subject to like passions as we are, and he prayed earnestly that it might not rain : and it rained not on the earth by the space of three years and six months. ¹⁸ And he prayed again, and the heaven gave rain.—*JAMES*, ch. 5.

6421. — *Success by.* *Poor.* ¹⁷ When the poor and needy seek water, and there is none, and their tongue faileth for thirst, I the Lord will

hear them, *I* will not forsake them. ¹⁸ I will open rivers in high places, and fountains in the midst of the valleys: I will make the wilderness a pool of water, and the dry land springs of water.—*ISA.*, ch. 41.

6422. — *Sorrow removed by. Hagar.* ¹⁵ She cast the child under one of the shrubs. ¹⁶ . . . and sat . . . a good way off, as it were a bowshot: for she said, Let me not see the death of the child. And she . . . lifted up her voice, and wept. ¹⁷ And God heard the voice of the lad.—*GEN.*, ch. 21.

6423. — — *Hannah.* [See No. 6407.]

6424. — *vs. the sword. Hezekiah prayed,* ¹⁶ Lord, bow down thine ear, and hear: open, Lord, thine eyes, and see: and hear the words of Sennacherib, which hath sent him to reproach the living God. ²⁵ . . . the angel of the Lord went out, and smote in the camp of the Assyrians a hundred fourscore and five thousand.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 19.

6425. — *A Sceptic's. Thief.* ²⁸ One of the malefactors which were hanged railed on him, saying, If thou be Christ, save thyself and us.—*LUKE*, ch. 23.

6426. — *Transformation by. Jesus* ²⁸ Took Peter and John and James, and went up into a mountain to pray. ²⁹ And as he prayed, the fashion of his countenance was altered, and his raiment was white and glistening.—*LUKE*, ch. 9.

6427. — *Unintimidated in. Daniel.* ¹⁰ When Daniel knew that the writing was signed, he went into his house; and, his windows being open in his chamber toward Jerusalem, he kneeled upon his knees three times a day, and prayed, and gave thanks before his God, as he did aforetime.—*DAN.*, ch. 6.

6428. — *Union in. Moses.* [See No. 6398.]

6429. — *Union in. Church.* ⁵ Peter . . . was kept in prison: but prayer was made without ceasing of the church unto God for him. ⁷ And, behold, the angel of the Lord came upon him, and a light shined in the prison: and he smote Peter on the side, and raised him up, saying, Arise up quickly. And his chains fell off from his hands.—*ACTS*, ch. 12.

6430. — *unanswered. At Carmel.* ²⁶ Called on the name of Baal from morning even until noon, saying, O Baal, hear us. But there was no voice, nor any that answered. And they leaped upon the altar which was made.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 18.

6431. — — *Pharisee.* [See No. 6403.]

6432. — — *David.* ¹⁶ Besought God for the child; and David fasted, and went in, and lay all night upon the earth. ¹⁸ And . . . on the seventh day . . . the child died.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 12.

6433. — *Unavailing. Saints'.* ¹³ Son of man, when the land sinneth against me by trespassing grievously, then will I . . . break the staff of the bread . . . and will send famine upon it, and will cut off man and beast from it: ¹⁴ Though these three men, Noah, Daniel, and Job, were in it, they should deliver but their own souls by their righteousness.—*EZEK.*, ch. 14.

6434. — *Vigilance in. Samuel.* ¹⁰ The word of the Lord unto Samuel. ¹¹ It repenteth me that I have set up Saul to be king: for he is turned back from following me, and hath not performed my commandments. And it grieved

Samuel; and he cried unto the Lord all night.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 15.

6435. — — *Jacob.* ²⁴ Jacob was left alone; and there wrestled a man with him until the breaking of the day. ²⁸ And he said, Let me go, for the day breaketh. And he said, I will not let thee go, except thou bless me.—*GEN.*, ch. 32.

6436. — *withholds Vengeance. Calf made.* ¹⁰ Now therefore let me alone, that my wrath may wax hot against them, and that I may consume them: and I will make of thee a great nation. ¹¹ And Moses besought the Lord.—*EX.*, ch. 32.

6437. — — *Spies' evil Report.* ¹⁹ Pardon, I beseech thee, the iniquity of this people according unto the greatness of thy mercy, and as thou hast forgiven this people, from Egypt even until now. ²⁰ And the Lord said, I have pardoned according to thy word.—*NUM.*, ch. 14.

6438. — *for Victory. Asa.* ¹¹ Asa . . . said, Lord, it is nothing with thee to help, whether with many, or with them that have no power: help us, O Lord our God; for we rest on thee, and in thy name we go against this multitude. O Lord, thou art our God; let not man prevail against thee. ¹² So the Lord smote the Ethiopians before Asa.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 14.

6439. — *witnessed. Jesus.* ⁴⁸ Nathanael saith, Whence knowest thou me? Jesus answered, Before that Philip called thee, when thou wast under the fig tree, I saw thee.—*JOHN*, ch. 1.

6440. — *Wonderful. Paul's.* ¹⁴ For this cause I bow my knees unto the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, ¹⁵ Of whom the whole family in heaven and earth is named, ¹⁶ That he would grant you.—*EPH.*, ch. 3.

6441. — *Waiting in. Jesus.* ²² When he had sent the multitudes away, he went up into a mountain apart to pray: and when the evening was come, he was there alone.—*MAT.*, ch. 14.

6442. — *Whispered. Hannah.* ¹² As she continued praying before the Lord, Eli marked her mouth. ¹³ Now Hannah, she spake in her heart; only her lips moved, but her voice was not heard; therefore Eli thought she had been drunken.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 1.

6443. — *tested. At Carmel.* ²² Let them choose one bullock . . . and cut it in pieces, and lay it on wood, and put no fire under: and I will dress the other bullock, and lay it on wood, and put no fire under: ²⁴ And call ye on the name of your gods, and I will call on the name of the Lord: and the God that answereth by fire, let him be God.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 18.

6444. — — *The Nobleman.* ²⁸ Then inquired he . . . the hour when he began to amend. And they said, Yesterday at the seventh hour the fever left him. ²⁹ So the father knew that it was at the same hour, in the which Jesus said . . . Thy son liveth: and himself believed, and his whole house.—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

6445. — — *Gideon's.* ²¹ I will put a fleece of wool in the floor; and if the dew be on the fleece only, and if be dry upon all the earth besides, then shall I know that thou wilt save Israel by mine hand, as thou hast said. ²² And it was so: for he . . . wringed the dew out of the fleece, a bowl full of water.—*JUDGES*, ch. 6.

6446. PRAYERS helpful. *Peter released.* [See No. 6429.]

6447. — solicited. *Saints.* "Pharaoh sent. for Moses and Aaron, and said. I have sinned this time: the Lord is righteous, and I and my people are wicked. "Entreat the Lord (for it is enough) that there be no more mighty thunders and hail; and I will let you go.—Ex., ch. 9.

6448. — for show. *Pharisees.* "Which devour widows' houses, and for a shew make long prayers: the same shall receive greater damnation.—LUKE, ch. 20.

6449. — Useless. *Badites.* "At noon. . . Elijah mocked them, and said, Cry aloud: for he is a god; either he is talking, or he is pursuing, or he is in a journey, or peradventure he sleepeth, and must be awaked. "And they cried aloud, and cut themselves after their manner with knives and lancets, till the blood gushed out upon them.—1 KINGS, ch. 18.

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6450. PREACHERS called. *Paul.* "Though I preach the gospel, I have nothing to glory of: for necessity is laid upon me; yea, woe is unto me, if I preach not the gospel! "For if I do this thing willingly, I have a reward: but if against my will, a dispensation of the gospel is committed unto me.—1 Cor., ch. 9.

6451. — Duty of. *Paul.* "Preach the word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all longsuffering and doctrine.—2 TIM., ch. 4.

6452. — Instructive. *Ezra.* "He read therein before the street. . . from the morning until midday, before the men and the women, and those that could understand; and the ears of all the people were attentive unto the book of the law.—NEH., ch. 8.

6453. PREACHING, Alarming. "Trembled." "As he reasoned of righteousness, temperance, and judgment to come, Felix trembled, and answered, Go thy way for this time; when I have a convenient season, I will call for thee.—ACTS, ch. 24.

6454. — forbidden. *Peter and John.* "That it spread no further among the people, let us straitly threaten them, that they speak henceforth to no man in this name. "And they. . . commanded them not to speak at all, nor teach in the name of Jesus. "But Peter and John answered. . . Whether it be right in the sight of God to hearken unto you more than unto God, judge ye. "For we cannot but speak the things which we have seen and heard.—ACTS, ch. 4.

6455. — Fruitful. "Hundredfold." "He that received seed into the good ground is he that heareth the word, and understandeth it; which also beareth fruit, and bringeth forth, some a hundredfold, some sixty, some thirty.—MAT., ch. 13.

6456. — Hinderances in. *Riches.* "He also that received seed among the thorns is he that heareth the word; and the care of this world, and the deceitfulness of riches, choke the word, and he becometh unfruitful.—MAT., ch. 13.

6457. — to the Ignorant. "Understandeth it not." "When any one heareth the word of the kingdom, and understandeth it not, then cometh the wicked one, and catcheth away that which was sown in his heart. This is he which received seed by the way side.—MAT., ch. 13.

6458. — Joyful. *Shepherds.* "When they had seen it, they made known abroad the saying which was told them concerning this child.—LUKE, ch. 2.

6459. — to Masses. *Beyond Jordan.* "There went great multitudes with him: and he turned, and said. . . "If any man come to me, and hate not his father, and mother, and wife, and children, and brethren, and sisters, yea, and his own life also, he cannot be my disciple.—LUKE, ch. 14.

6460. — Opinions of. *Contrary.* "We preach Christ crucified, unto the Jews a stumblingblock, and unto the Greeks foolishness; "But unto them which are called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God, and the wisdom of God.—1 Cor., ch. 1.

6461. — Purpose in. *Perfection.* "Whom we preach, warning every man, and teaching every man in all wisdom; that we may present every man perfect in Christ Jesus: "Whereunto I also labour, striving according to his working, which worketh in me mightily.—Cor., ch. 1.

6462. — ridiculed. *At Athens.* "Certain philosophers of the Epicureans, and of the Sto-

ics, encountered him. And some said, What will this babbler say?—*Acts*, ch. 17.

6463. — *Strength in. Paul.* ³ I was with you in weakness, and in fear, and in much trembling. ⁴ And my speech and my preaching was not with enticing words of man's wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power.—*1 Cor.*, ch. 2.

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6464. PRECEDENT, Use of. Holy Bread. ² Thy disciples do that which is not lawful to do upon the sabbath day. ³ But he said . . . Have ye not read what David did, when he was a hungered, and they that were with him; ⁴ How he entered into the house of God, and did eat the shewbread, which was not lawful for him to eat, neither for them which were with him, but only for the priests?—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

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6465. PRECEDENCE, Yielding. John Baptist. ²⁸ Ye yourselves bear me witness, that I said, I am not the Christ, but that I am sent before him. ²⁹ He must increase, but I must decrease.—*JOHN*, ch. 3.

6466. PREJUDICE, Alarm from. Egyptians. ⁹ He said unto his people, Behold . . . Israel are more and mightier than we. ¹⁰ Come on, let us deal wisely with them, lest they multiply, and it come to pass, that, when there falleth out any war, they join also unto our enemies, and fight against us, and so get them up out of the land.—*Ex.*, ch. 1.

6467. — *Blindness of. "Vail."* ¹⁵ Even unto this day, when Moses is read, the vail is upon their heart. ¹⁶ Nevertheless when it shall turn to the Lord, the vail shall be taken away.—*2 Cor.*, ch. 3.

6468. — *against Children. Disciples.* ¹⁵ They brought . . . infants, that he would touch them: but when his disciples saw it, they rebuked them. ¹⁶ But Jesus called them . . . and

said, Suffer little children to come unto me, and forbid them not; for of such is the kingdom of God.—*LUKE*, ch. 18.

6469. — *of Custom. Samaritan Woman.* ¹⁷ His disciples . . . marvelled that he talked with the woman: yet no man said, What seekest thou? or, Why talkest thou with her?—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

6470. — *Communion removes. Nathanael.* ⁴⁵ Nathanael saith . . . Whence knowest thou me? ⁴⁶ Nathanael answered . . . Rabbi, thou art the Son of God; thou art the King of Israel.—*JOHN*, ch. 1.

6471. — *Concession to. Paul's.* ¹ Then came he to Derbe and Lystra . . . a certain disciple was there, named Timotheus, the son of a certain woman, which was a Jewess, and believed; but his father was a Greek. ³ Him would Paul have to go forth with him; and took and circumcised him because of the Jews which were in those quarters: for they knew all that his father was a Greek.—*Acts*, ch. 16.

6472. — *Destructive. Pharisees.* ²⁹ All the people that heard him, and the publicans, justified God, being baptized with the baptism of John. ³⁰ But the Pharisees and lawyers rejected the counsel of God against themselves, being not baptized of him.—*LUKE*, ch. 7.

6473. — *National. Samaritan.* ⁹ Saith the woman of Samaria . . . How is it that thou, being a Jew, askest drink of me, which am a woman of Samaria? for the Jews have no dealings with the Samaritans.—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

6474. — *Sodomites.* ⁹ This one fellow came in to sojourn, and he will needs be a judge: now will we deal worse with thee, than with them. And they pressed sore upon the man, even Lot, and came near to break the door.—*GEN.*, ch. 19.

6475. — *an Obstacle. Philip saith.* ⁴⁵ We have . . . him, of whom Moses in the law, and the prophets, did write, Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph. ⁴⁶ And Nathanael said . . . Can there any good thing come out of Nazareth? Philip saith unto him, Come and see.—*JOHN*, ch. 1.

6476. — *Obstinate. Jewish.* ⁵ He saith unto the man, Stretch forth thine hand. And he stretched it out: and his hand was restored whole as the other. ⁶ And the Pharisees went forth, and straightway took counsel with the Herodians against him, how they might destroy him.—*MARK*, ch. 3.

6477. — *Offended. The Carpenter.* ³ Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary, the brother of James, and Joses, and of Juda, and Simon? and are not his sisters here with us? And they were offended at him.—*MARK*, ch. 6.

6478. — *against Piety. In Egypt.* ¹⁷ We will certainly . . . burn incense unto the queen of heaven, and to pour out drink offerings unto her, as we have done, we, and our fathers . . . in the cities of Judah . . . for then had we plenty of victuals, and were well, and saw no evil. ¹⁸ But since we left off to burn incense to the queen of heaven, and to pour out drink offerings unto her, we have wanted all things, and have been consumed by the sword and by the famine.—*JER.*, ch. 44.

6479. — *Race. Ethiopian.* ¹ Miriam and Aaron spake against Moses because of the Ethiopian woman whom he had married: for he

had married an Ethiopian woman.—NUM., ch. 12.

6480. — removed. *Peter.* ²⁸ Ye know how that it is an unlawful thing for a man that is a Jew to keep company, or come unto one of another nation ; but God hath shewed me that I should not call any man common or unclean. ²⁹ Therefore came I unto you.—ACTS, ch. 10.

6481. — Sectarian. *John's.* ²⁸ John answered him, saying, Master, we saw one casting out devils in thy name, and he followeth not us : and we forbade him, because he followeth not us. ²⁹ But Jesus said, Forbid him not : for there is no man which shall do a miracle in my name, that can lightly speak evil of me.—MARK, ch. 9.

6482. — Super-religious. *Pharisee.* ²⁸ Did wipe them with the hairs of her head, and kissed his feet, and anointed them with the ointment. ²⁹ Now when the Pharisee which had bidden him saw it, he spake within himself, saying, This man, if he were a prophet, would have known who and what manner of woman this is that toucheth him : for she is a sinner.—LUKE, ch. 7.

6483. — against Sinners. *Pharisees.* ⁴ Zaccheus. .to day I must abide at thy house. ⁵ And he made haste, and came down, and received him joyfully. ⁷ they all murmured, saying, That he was gone to be guest with a man that is a sinner.—LUKE, ch. 19.

6484. — An unhappy. *Priests.* ¹⁴ The blind and the lame came to him in the temple ; and he healed them. ¹⁵ And when the chief priests and scribes saw the wonderful things that he did, and the children crying in the temple, and saying, Hosanna to the son of David ; they were sore displeased.—MAT., ch. 21.

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6486. PREPARATION by anointing. *David.* ¹¹ The youngest . . keepeth the sheep. And Samuel said unto Jesse, Send and fetch him. . ¹² . . he was ruddy, and withal of a beautiful countenance, and goodly to look to. And the Lord said, Arise, anoint him : for this is he. ¹³ Then Samuel took the horn of oil, and anointed him in the midst of his brethren : and the Spirit of the Lord came upon David from that day.—1 SAM., ch. 16.

6487. — appreciated. *Honours.* ³¹ Blessed are those servants, whom the lord when he com-

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6488. — by Blood. *Priests.* ²⁰ Then shalt thou kill the ram, and take of his blood, and put it upon the tip of the right ear of Aaron, and upon the tip of the right ear of his sons, and upon the thumb of their right hand, and upon the great toe of their right foot, and sprinkle the blood upon the altar.—EX., ch. 29.

6489. — for a Blessing. *At Carmel.* ²⁰ Elijah said. .Come near unto me. And all the people came. .And he repaired the altar of the Lord that was broken down.—1 KINGS, ch. 18.

6490. — for Conquest. *Spies.* ¹⁷ Moses sent them to spy out the land of Canaan, and said. . ¹⁸ . .see the land, what it is ; and the people that dwelleth therein, whether they be strong or weak, few or many.—NUM., ch. 13.

6491. — by Fire. *Isaiah's.* ⁵ Woe is me ! for I am undone ; because I am a man of unclean lips. .for mine eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts. ⁶ Then flew one of the seraphims . .having a live coal in his hand. .from off the altar : ⁷ And he laid it upon my mouth, and said, Lo, this hath touched thy lips ; and thine iniquity is taken away, and thy sin purged.—ISA., ch. 6.

6492. — for Heaven. *" Lights burning."* ²⁵ Let your loins be girded about, and your lights burning ; ²⁶ And ye yourselves like unto men that wait for their lord, when he will return from the wedding ; that, when he cometh and knocketh, they may open unto him immediately.—LUKE, ch. 12.

6493. — in Heaven. *" Place."* ² In my Father's house are many mansions : if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. ³ And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself ; that where I am, there ye may be also.—JOHN, ch. 14.

6494. — for the Lord. *" Make straight."* ⁴ Prepare ye the way of the Lord, make his paths straight. ⁵ Every valley shall be filled, and every mountain and hill shall be brought low ; and the crooked shall be made straight, and the rough ways shall be made smooth ; ⁶ And all flesh shall see the salvation of God.—LUKE, ch. 3.

6495. — of Materials. *Temple.* ¹⁴ In my trouble I have prepared for the house of the Lord a hundred thousand talents of gold, and a thousand thousand talents of silver ; and of brass and iron without weight ; for it is in abundance : timber also and stone have I prepared.—1 CHRON., ch. 22.

6496. — of Mind. *Divine.* ⁴⁵ Then opened he their understanding, that they might understand the Scriptures, ⁴⁶ And said. . Thus it is written, and thus it behooved Christ to suffer, and to rise from the dead the third day.—LUKE, ch. 24.

6497. — Neglecting. *Foolish Virgins.* ⁵ They that were foolish took their lamps, and took no oil with them : ⁶ But the wise took oil in their vessels with their lamps.—MAT., ch. 25.

6498. — by Prayer. *Apostles.* ¹³ He went out into a mountain to pray, and continued all night in prayer to God. ¹⁵ And when it was day,

he called *unto him* his disciples : and of them he chose twelve, whom also he named apostles.—LUKE, ch. 6.

6499. — for the Prepared. *John's Mother.* ²¹ She saith.. Grant that these my two sons may sit, the one on thy right hand, and the other on the left, in thy kingdom. ²².. to sit on my right hand, and on my left, is not mine to give, but *it shall be given to them* for whom it is prepared of my Father.—MAT., ch. 20.

6500. — of Strength. *Angel to Elijah.* ¹ Arise and eat ; because the journey is too great for thee. ⁸ And he arose, and did eat and drink, and went in the strength of that meat forty days and forty nights unto Horeb.—1 KINGS, ch. 19.

6501. — by Training. *Courtiers.* ³ Bring certain of the children of Israel, and of the king's seed, and of the princes ; ⁴.. in whom *was* no blemish, but well favoured, and skilful in all wisdom, and cunning in knowledge, and understanding science, and such as *had* ability in them to stand in the king's palace, and whom they might teach the learning and the tongue of the Chaldeans.—DAN., ch. 1.

6502. — Want of. "*Wedding Garment.*" ¹² Friend, how camest thou in hither not having a wedding garment? And he was speechless. ¹³ Then said the king.. Bind him hand and foot, and take him away, and cast *him* into outer darkness ; there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth.—MAT., ch. 22.

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FOUNDATION.

Only. Other foundation can no man lay. 3999
2d Temple. People shouted.. because.. was laid 3401
Various Uses. Build on.. gold.. wood.. stubble 3402
Access after. Moses.. elders.. saw G... feet 50
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Service. S. of G. came upon Saul.. prophecy 444
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6503. PRESENT, A bloody. *To Jehu.* ⁷ When the letter came to them.. they took the king's sons, and slew seventy persons, and put their heads in baskets, and sent *him them* to Jezreel.—JUDGES, ch. 3.

6504. — A conciliatory. *Jacob's.* ¹⁷ He commanded the foremost, saying, When Esau my brother meeteth thee, and asketh.. Whose art thou? and whither goest thou? and whose are these before thee? ¹⁸ Then thou shalt say, *They be thy servant Jacob's* ; it is a present sent unto my lord Esau.—GEN., ch. 32.

6505. — A deceptive. *Ehud.* ¹⁵ By him the children of Israel sent a present unto Eglon the king of Moab. ¹⁶ But Ehud made him a dagger which had two edges, of a cubit length ; and he did gird it under his raiment upon his right thigh.—JUDGES, ch. 3.

6506. PRESENTS, Conciliatory. *Jacob's.* ¹¹ Take of the best fruits in the land in your vessels, and carry down the man a present, a little balm, and a little honey, spices and myrrh, nuts and almonds : ¹² And take double money in your hand ; and the money that was brought again in the mouth of your sacks.—GEN., ch. 43.

6507. — declined. *Jacob's.* ⁹ Esau said, I have enough, my brother ; keep that thou hast unto thyself. ⁸ And he said, What meanest thou by all this drove which I met? And he said,

These are to find grace in the sight of my lord.—GEN., ch. 33.

6508. — of Friendship. *Jonathan's.* ¹ He loved him as his own soul. ⁴ And Jonathan stripped himself of the robe.. and gave it to David, and his garments, even to his sword, and to his bow, and to his girdle.—1 SAM., ch. 18.

6509. — for Favour. *To Elisha.* ⁹ Hazael took a present with him, even of every good thing of Damascus, forty camels' burden, and said, Thy son Ben-hadad king of Syria hath sent me to thee, saying, Shall I recover of this disease?—2 KINGS, ch. 8.

6510. — from Gratitude. *Jacob's.* [See No. 6507.] ¹⁰ Jacob said, Nay, I pray thee.. receive my present at my hand : for therefore I have seen thy face, as though I had seen the face of God, and thou wast pleased with me. ¹¹.. because God hath dealt graciously with me, and because I have enough. And he urged him, and he took *it*.—GEN., ch. 33.

6511. — Influence of. *Rebekah's Brother.* ²⁰ When he saw the earring, and bracelets upon his sister's hands, and when he heard the words of Rebekah.. ²¹.. he said, Come in, thou blessed of the Lord ; wherefore standest thou without? for I have prepared the house, and room for the camels.—GEN., ch. 24.

See other illustrations under :

PRICE.

Extortion. Esau sold his birthright unto Jacob 6550
of Perfection. Go sell.. give.. follow me 6551
Annual. Samuel ministered.. mother.. little cost 172
Contribution. I have given [\$94,101,500] 3514
Temple. [Costing nearly \$4,700,000,000.] 4130
Valued. Widow.. cast more in than all.. treasury 711
See GIFT, GIFTS, GIVERS, and references.

6512. PRESENCE acknowledged. *To Saul.* ¹⁸ One of the servants.. said, Behold, I have seen a son of Jesse the Beth-lehemite, *that is cunning* in playing, and a mighty valiant man, and a man of war, and prudent in matters, and a comely person, and the Lord *is* with him.—1 SAM., ch. 16.

6513. — conditioned. *Covetous Achish.* ¹² Turned *their backs* before their enemies, because they were accursed : neither will I be with you any more, except ye destroy the accursed from among you.—JOSH., ch. 7.

6514. — Effect of. *To Joshua.* ⁵ There shall not any man be able to stand before thee all the days of thy life : as I was with Moses, so I will be with thee ; I will not fail thee, nor forsake thee.—JOSH., ch. 1.

6515. — indicated. *Dedication.* ¹⁰ When the priests were come out of the holy place.. the cloud filled the house of the Lord, ¹¹ So that the priests could not stand to minister because of the cloud : for the glory of the Lord had filled the house of the Lord.—1 KINGS, ch. 8.

6516. — indispensable. *To Moses.* ¹⁴ My presence shall go *with thee*, and I will give thee rest. ¹⁵ And he said.. If thy presence go not *with me*, carry us not up hence.—EX., ch. 33.

6517. — of Jesus. *Calms.* ³¹ He went up unto them into the ship ; and the wind ceased : and they were sore amazed in themselves beyond measure, and wondered.—MARK, ch. 6.

6518. — — — *Near.* ¹³ Mary said. they have taken away my Lord, and I know not where they have laid him. ¹⁴ And when she had thus said, she turned herself back, and saw Jesus standing, and knew not that it was Jesus. —JOHN, ch. 20.

6519. — — — *Unconscious of.* [Walking to Emmaus.] ¹⁵ While they communed together and reasoned, Jesus himself drew near, and went with them. ¹⁶ But their eyes were holden that they should not know him. —LUKE, ch. 24.

6520. — — — *Evidenced.* [See No. 6519.] ²² They said one to another, Did not our heart burn within us, while he talked with us by the way, and while he opened to us the scriptures? —LUKE, ch. 24.

6521. — — — *misjudged.* *At Sinai.* ¹⁸ After the earthquake a fire; but the Lord was not in the fire: and after the fire a still small voice. ¹⁹ When Elijah heard it, he wrapped his face in his mantle, and went out, and stood in the entering in of the cave. And, behold, there came a voice unto him. —1 KINGS, ch. 19.

6522. — — — *manifested.* *Cloud.* ¹⁵ On the day that the tabernacle was reared up the cloud covered the tabernacle, and at even there was the appearance of fire, until the morning. ¹⁶ So it was alway. —NUM., ch. 9.

6523. — — — *questioned.* *Jehovah's.* ⁶ I will stand before thee there upon the rock in Horeb; and thou shalt smite the rock, and there shall come water out of it, that the people may drink. And Moses did so in the sight of the elders of Israel. ⁷ And he called the name of the place Massah, and Meribah, because of the chiding of the children of Israel, and because they tempted the Lord, saying, Is the Lord among us, or not? —EX., ch. 17.

6524. — — — *Sign of.* *"Sound."* ²⁴ When thou hearest the sound of a going in the tops of the mulberry trees, then thou shalt bestir thyself: for then shall the Lord go out before thee, to smite the host of the Philistines. ²⁵ And David did so, and smote the Philistines from Geba until thou come to Gazer. —2 SAM., ch. 5.

6525. — — — *Undiscovered.* *Samuel.* ⁶ The Lord called yet again, Samuel: and Samuel arose and went to Eli, and said, Here am I; for thou didst call me. And he answered, I called not, my son: lie down again. —1 SAM., ch. 3.

6526. — — — *withdrawn.* *Israelites.* ⁴⁹ Go not up, for the Lord is not among you. ⁴³ For the Amalekites and the Canaanites are there before you, and ye shall fall by the sword: because ye are turned away from the Lord, therefore the Lord will not be with you. —NUM., ch. 14.

Also see:

Divine. Be not afraid. L. thy G. is with thee 582

6527. PRESERVATION by Association. *To King Jehoram.* ¹⁴ Elisha said, As the Lord of hosts liveth, before whom I stand, surely, were it not that I regard the presence of Jehoshaphat the king of Judah, I would not look toward thee, nor see thee. —2 KINGS, ch. 3.

6528. — — — *by Concealment.* *Rahab.* ⁴ The women took the two men, and hid them, and said thus, There came men unto me, but I wist not whence they were: ⁵ And about the time of

shutting of the gate, when it was dark, the men went out. —JOHN, ch. 2.

6529. — — — *by the Church.* *The Wicked.* ²⁴ Peradventure there be fifty righteous within the city: wilt thou also destroy and not spare the place for the fifty righteous that are therein? —GEN., ch. 18.

6530. — — — *Miraculous.* *Raiment.* ⁴ Thy raiment waxed not old upon thee, neither did thy foot swell, these forty years. —DEUT., ch. 8.

6531. — — — *by Obedience.* *At Zarephath.* ¹⁵ She, and he, and her house, did eat many days. ¹⁶ And the barrel of meal wasted not, neither did the cruse of oil fail, according to the word of the Lord, which he spake by Elijah. —1 KINGS, ch. 17.

6532. — — — *Remarkable.* *Elijah.* ³ Get thee hence, and hide thyself by the brook Cherith. ⁴ Thou shalt drink of the brook; and I have commanded the ravens to feed thee there. —1 KINGS, ch. 17.

6533. — — — *Wonderful.* *Furnace.* ²¹ The king's counsellors saw these men, upon whose bodies the fire had no power, nor was a hair of their head singed, neither were their coats changed, nor the smell of fire had passed on them. —DAN., ch. 3.

See other illustrations under:

GUIDANCE.

Divine. The kine took the straight way. to B. 3761
Explained. Lest peradventure see war and they 3762
Gentle. I will guide thee with mine eye 3763
Promised. Acknowledge him direct thy paths 3764
Waiting. If the cloud were not taken up 3765

SAFETY.

Godly. He that keepeth thee will not slumber 7547
" The beloved shall dwell between his s. 7548
" Hast thou not made a hedge about him 7549
" I will both lay me down in peace and sleep 7550
" He shall cover thee with his feathers 7551
Hiding. Jotham was left; for he hid himself 7552
Mutual. Except these abide in the ship, not be 7553
Supposed. Charging the jailer to keep them safely 7554
See DELIVERANCE and references.

6534. PRESUMPTION avoided. *Proverb.* ¹ Better it is that it be said unto thee, Come up hither; than that thou shouldst be put lower in the presence of the prince whom thine eyes have seen. —PROV., ch. 25.

6535. — — — *Daring.* *At Red Sea.* ²³ The Egyptians pursued, and went in after them to the midst of the sea, even all Pharaoh's horses, his chariots. —EX., ch. 14.

6536. — — — *Failure from.* *Israelites.* ⁴⁴ They presumed to go up unto the hill top; nevertheless the ark of the covenant of the Lord, and Moses, departed not out of the camp. ⁴⁶ Then the Amalekites, and the Canaanites which dwelt in that hill, smote them. —NUM., ch. 13.

6537. — — — *Future.* *"To Morrow."* ¹³ Go to now, ye that say, To day or to morrow we will go into such a city, and continue there a year, and buy and sell, and get gain: ¹⁴ Whereas ye know not what shall be on the morrow. For what is your life? It is even a vapour, that appeareth for a little time, and then vanisheth away. —JAMES, ch. 4.

6538. — — — *from Impatience.* *Saul.* ¹¹ Saul said, Because I saw that the people were scatter-

ed from me, and *that* thou camest not within the days appointed, and *that* the Philistines gathered themselves together at Michmash : ¹⁵ Therefore said I, The Philistines will come down now upon me to Gilgal, and I have not made supplication unto the Lord : I forced myself therefore, and offered a burnt offering.—1 SAM., ch. 13.

6539. — from *Pride*. *King Uzziah*. ¹⁵ His name spread far abroad ; for he was marvellously helped, till he was strong. ¹⁶ But when he was strong, his heart was lifted up to his destruction : for he transgressed . . . and went into the temple of the Lord to burn incense upon the altar of incense.—2 CHRON., ch. 26.

6540. — *Penalty for*. *Esther said*, ¹¹ All . . . the people . . . do know, that whosoever, whether man or woman, shall come unto the king into the inner court, who is not called, *there* is one law of his to put *him* to death, except such to whom the king shall hold out the golden sceptre, that he may live.—ESTHER, ch. 4.

6541. — *Religious. Law*. ³⁰ The prophet, which shall presume to speak a word in my name, which I have not commanded him to speak, or that shall speak in the name of other gods . . . shall die.—DEUT., ch. 18.

6542. — rebuked. *King Uzziah*. ¹⁹ Had a censer in his hand to burn incense : and while he was wroth with the priests, the leprosy even rose up in his forehead . . . in the house of the Lord, from beside the incense altar. ²⁰ And Azariah the chief priest, and all the priests, looked upon him . . . and they thrust him out from thence ; yea, himself hasted also to go out, because the Lord had smitten him.—2 CHRON., ch. 26.

6543. — *Sin of. No Mercy*. ²⁸ He that despised Moses' law died without mercy under two or three witnesses : ²⁹ Of how much sorer punishment, suppose ye, shall he be thought worthy, who hath trodden under foot the Son of God, and hath counted the blood of the covenant, wherewith he was sanctified, an unholy thing, and hath done despite unto the Spirit of grace?—HEB., ch. 11.

6544. — — *Law*. ²⁷ If any soul sin through ignorance, then he shall bring a . . . sin offering. ³⁰ But the soul that doeth *ought* presumptuously, *whether* he be born in the land, or a stranger, the same reproacheth the Lord ; and that soul shall be cut off from among his people. ³¹ Because he hath despised the word of the Lord.—NUM., ch. 15.

6545. — from *Success*. *Ai*. ¹⁵ Joshua and all Israel made as if they were beaten before them, and fled by the way of the wilderness. ¹⁶ And all the people that *were* in Ai were called together to pursue after them . . . and were drawn away from the city.—JOSH., ch. 8.

6546. — *Temptation to*. *Jesus*. ⁸ The devil taketh him up into the holy city, and setteth him on a pinnacle of the temple, ⁶ And saith . . . If thou be the Son of God, cast thyself down : for it is written, He shall give his angels charge concerning thee : and in *their* hands they shall bear thee up.—MAT., ch. 4.

6547. — *Unholy. Sons of Korah*. ⁸ Two hundred and fifty princes . . . men of renown : ² . . . gathered themselves together against Moses

and against Aaron, and said unto them, *Ye take* too much upon you, seeing all the congregation are holy, every one of them, and the Lord is among them.—NUM., ch. 16.

See other illustrations under :

CONFIDENCE.

Believers. Though I walk through the valley . . . d. 1518
Blind. Know I that the L . . . I have a priest 1519
Caution. They are smitten down . . . as at the first 1520
Disappointed. Ark came . . . I. shouted . . . ark taken 1521
False. King [of Al] wist not . . . ambush 1522
Future. Doth deliver . . . trust he will deliver 1523
Intelligent. I know whom I have believed 1524
Joyful. How great is thy goodness . . . trust thee 1525
Over. Is thy servant a dog? . . . do this [Hazeal] 1526
Peril. Have the sentence of death . . . we trust 1527
Piety begets. L. was with Joseph . . . into his hand 1528
Strong. L. delight in us . . . fear them not 1529
Self. Peter said . . . I will lay down my life 1530
Triumphant. Although the fig tree shall not b. 1531
Unwarranted. Let two or three thousand go . . . Al 1532
Unfortunate. Confidence . . . like a broken tooth 1533
Undermining. Neither let Hez. make you trust . . . L 1534
Warranted. L. is my rock, fortress, deliverer 1535

SELF-CONCEIT.

Hopeless. Wise in his own conceit . . . more hope of 7687
Poverty. He that is despised and hath a servant 7688

SELF-CONFIDENCE.

Boasting. L. said to Gideon . . . too many . . . vaunt 7694
Rebuked. I will lay down my life . . . denied me 7695

SELF-RIGHTEOUSNESS.

Caution. Speak not in thine heart . . . my 7724
Corrected. Remember how thou provokedst the 7725
Failure. This man went . . . justified rather . . . other 7726
Mistake. Thou hast said . . . I am clean in thine 7727
Offensive. Stand by thyself ; come not . . . holler 7728
Recital. I am not as other men are, extortioners 7729
Unlawful. Walketh . . . after their own thoughts 7730

Ambition. Seek ye the priesthood also? 330
" Thistle . . . to the cedar of Lebanon 338

6548. PRETENCE, Religious. Pharisees.

¹⁴ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites ! for ye devour widows' houses, and for a pretence make long prayer : therefore ye shall receive the greater damnation.—MAT., ch. 23.

See other illustrations under :

EXCUSE.

Disobedience. Spared the best of the sheep . . . to 2739
False. Wherefore cometh not . . . [David] to meat 2738
Idlers. Lion without . . . I shall be slain 2734
Inadequate. Make us gods . . . as for this Moses 2735

EXCUSES.

Caviller's. Angry . . . made a man . . . whole on the S. 2736
Feeble. The door is now shut . . . in bed . . . cannot 2737
Indolence. Sluggard is wiser . . . render a reason 2738
Loss. I am slow of speech . . . anger of the Lord 2739
Worldly. I have bought a piece of ground . . . oxen 2800

PROFESSION.

Only. Not every one that sayeth L. 6629
Worthless. Son, go work . . . I go sir, and went not 6630

Conceal. Joseph . . . spake roughly . . . whence come 474
Deception. Israel made as if beaten . . . Al 6544
Formalist. I fast . . . I give tithes of all 3373
Lip-service. This people draweth nigh . . . with 5049
Overstrained. Pay tithes of mint . . . have omitted 4985
Guibbles. Swear by the temple, it is nothing . . . gold 4987

6549. PREVARICATION through Fear. Parents. ²¹ By what means he now seeth, we know

not; or who hath opened his eyes, we know not. . .
 "because they feared the Jews: for the Jews
 had agreed already, that if any man did confess
 that he was Christ, he should be put out of the
 synagogue.—JOHN, ch. 9.

See other illustrations under:

DISSEMBLING.

Confession. Achan said..I saw..I took a wedge of 2424
 limited. Other Jews dissembled likewise 2425
 Inconsistency. If thou, being a Jew..lvest after 2426
 Rebuked. I withstood him to the face..separated 2427

EQUIVOCATION.

Fear. I thought..they will slay me..[wife's sake] 2707
 Hypocrites. If we shall say from heaven 2708

EVASION.

Answer by. Is it well with the child?..It is well 2726
 Impossible. Asked us..Have ye another brother? 2727
 by Silence. Let no man know these words 2728

See DECEPTION.

6550. PRICE, Extortioner's. *Jacob.* ²³ Jacob
 said, Swear to me this day; and he swore unto
 him: and he sold his birthright unto Jacob.
²⁴ Then Jacob gave Esau bread and pottage of
 lentiles; and he did eat and drink.—GEN., ch. 25.

6551. — of Perfection. *Young Ruler.* ²¹ Je-
 sus beholding him loved him..One thing thou
 lackest..sell whatsoever thou hast, and give to
 the poor..and come, take up the cross, and fol-
 low me.—MARK, ch. 10.

See other illustrations under:

COST.

Count. Master, I will follow thee whithersoever 1734
 Counted. Gathered books, and burned..50,000 p. 1735
 not Counted. Began to build, and was not able 1736
 Sacrifice. Nay, but I will surely buy it 1737

EXTORTION.

Extraordinary. I am faint..Sell me..thy birthright 2828
 Pious. Pharisees..full of extortion and excess 2829
 Rebuked. Shook my lap..So G. shake out 2830
 Separation. If any brother..be covetous..extor. 2831

6552. PRIDE, Contemptible. *Bramble.* ¹⁵ The
 bramble said unto the trees, If in truth ye
 anoint me king over you, then come and put your
 trust in my shadow; and if not, let fire come
 out of the bramble, and devour the cedars of
 Lebanon.—JUDGES, ch. 9.

6553. — conquered. *Naaman.* ¹² Are not
 Abana and Pharpar, rivers of Damascus, better
 than all the waters of Israel? may I not wash
 in them, and be clean? So he turned and went
 away in a rage..¹⁴ Then went he down, and
 dipped himself seven times in Jordan.—2 KINGS,
 ch. 5.

6554. — Charged with. *David.* ²⁸ Eliab
 his eldest brother heard when he spake unto the
 men..and he said, Why camest thou down
 hither? and with whom hast thou left those few
 sheep in the wilderness? I know thy pride, and
 the naughtiness of thine heart.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

6555. — Cowardice of. *Herod.* [Herodias'
 daughter asked him to kill John.] ²⁶ The king
 was exceeding sorry; yet for his oath's sake, and
 for their sakes which sat with him, he would
 not reject her.—MARK, ch. 6.

6556. — Conceited. *Lopeless.* ¹⁸ Seest
 thou a man wise in his own conceit? there is
 more hope of a fool than of him.—PROV., ch. 26.

6557. — Cruelty of. *Haman.* ⁸ When

Haman saw that Mordecai bowed not..then was
 Haman full of wrath. ⁹ And he thought scorn
 to lay hands on Mordecai alone..wherefore Ha-
 man sought to destroy all the Jews that were
 throughout the whole kingdom of Ahasuerus.—
 ESTHER, ch. 3.

6558. — Deifying. *Prince of Tyrus.* ³ Son
 of man, say unto the prince of Tyrus..thine
 heart is lifted up, and thou hast said, I am a
 god, I sit in the seat of God, in the midst of the
 seas; yet thou art a man, and not God.—EZEK.,
 ch. 28. [See No. 6575.]

6559. — Disdainful. *Pharaoh.* ⁹ Pharaoh
 said, Who is the Lord, that I should obey his
 voice to let Israel go? I know not the Lord,
 neither will I let Israel go.—EX., ch. 5.

6560. — Downfall of. *Haman.* ¹¹ Then
 took Haman the apparel and the horse, and ar-
 rayed Mordecai, and brought him on horseback
 through the street of the city, and proclaimed
 before him, Thus shall it be done unto the man
 whom the king delighteth to honour.—ESTHER,
 ch. 6.

6561. — A Father's. *Haman.* ¹⁰ Sent and
 called for his friends, and Zeresh his wife.
¹¹ And Haman told them of the..multitude of
 his children, and all the things wherein the king
 had promoted him.—ESTHER, ch. 5.

6562. — humbled. *David.* [See No. 6568.]
¹⁰ David's heart smote him after that he had
 numbered the people. And David said unto the
 Lord, I have sinned greatly in that I have done..
¹² So the Lord sent a pestilence upon Israel..
 and there died of the people from Dan even to
 Beer-sheba seventy thousand men.—2 SAM., ch.
 24.

6563. — Humiliation of. *Divine.* ¹⁰ Enter
 into the rock, and hide thee in the dust, for fear
 of the Lord, and for the glory of his majesty.
¹¹ The lofty looks of man shall be humbled,
 and the haughtiness of men shall be bowed
 down; and the Lord alone shall be exalted.—
 ISA., ch. 2.

6564. — — Women. ¹⁶ The Lord saith,
 Because the daughters of Zion are haughty, and
 walk with stretched forth necks and wanton
 eyes, walking and mincing as they go, and mak-
 ing a tinkling with their feet: ¹⁷ Therefore the
 Lord will smite them.—ISA., ch. 3.

6565. — Hatred of. *One of Six.*
¹⁶ These six things doth the Lord hate; yea,
 sever are an abomination unto him: ¹⁷ A proud
 look, a lying tongue, and hands that shed inno-
 cent blood, ¹⁸ A heart that deviseth wicked
 imaginations, feet that be swift in running to
 mischief, ¹⁹ A false witness that speaketh lies,
 and he that soweth discord among brethren.—
 PROV., ch. 6.

6566. — Insulting. *Joash.* ⁹ Joash the
 king of Israel sent to Amaziah king of Judah,
 saying, The thistle that was in Lebanon sent to
 the cedar that was in Lebanon, saying, Give thy
 daughter to my son to wife: and there passed
 by a wild beast..and trode down the thistle.—2
 KINGS, ch. 14.

6567. — prevents Instruction. *Pharisees.*
²⁹ Since the world began was it not heard that
 any man opened the eyes of one that was born
 blind. ³³ If this man were not of God, he could
 do nothing. ³⁴ They answered..Thou wast al-

together born in sins, and dost thou teach us? And they cast him out.—JOHN, ch. 9.

6568. — in Numbers. *David.* ¹ Go now through all the tribes of Israel, from Dan even to Beersheba, and number ye the people. ² And Joab said. .the Lord thy God add unto the people, how many soever they be, a hundred fold, and that the eyes of my Lord the king may see it: but why doth my lord the king delight in this thing?—2 SAM., ch. 24.

6569. — overreaching. *Haman.* [See No. 6557.] ⁸ Let the royal apparel be brought which the king useth to wear, and the horse that the king rideth upon, and the crown royal which is set upon his head: ⁹ And let this apparel and horse be delivered to the hand of one of the king's most noble princes, that they may array the man *withal* whom the king delighteth to honour, and bring him on horseback through the street of the city, and proclaim before him.—ESTHER, ch. 6.

6570. — Peril of. *Proverb.* ¹⁸ Pride goeth before destruction, and a haughty spirit before a fall. ¹⁹ Better it is to be of an humble spirit with the lowly, than to divide the spoil with the proud.—PROV., ch. 16.

6571. — Punishment of. *"Eat Grass."* ²¹ While the word was in the king's mouth, there fell a voice from heaven, saying, O king Nebuchadnezzar, to thee it is spoken; The kingdom is departed from thee. ²² And they shall drive thee from men, and thy dwelling shall be with the beasts of the field: they shall make thee to eat grass as oxen.—DAN., ch. 4.

6572. — Presumption of. *Uzziah.* ¹⁸ He made in Jerusalem engines, invented by cunning men, to be on the towers and upon the bulwarks, to shoot arrows and great stones *withal*. And his name spread far abroad. ¹⁹ But when he was strong, his heart was lifted up to his destruction: for he . . . went into the temple. . . to burn incense upon the altar.—2 CHRON., ch. 26.

6573. — Profane. *Holy Vessels.* ²² O Belshazzar, hast not humbled thine heart, though thou knewest all this; ²³ But hast lifted up thyself against the Lord of heaven; and they have brought the vessels of his house before thee, and thou and thy lords, thy wives and thy concubines, have drunk wine in them.—DAN., ch. 5.

6574. — prevented. *Paul.* ¹ Lest I should be exalted above measure through the abundance of the revelations, there was given to me a thorn in the flesh, the messenger of Satan to buffet me.—2 COR., ch. 12.

6575. — — *Herod.* ²² The people gave a shout, saying, It is the voice of a god, and not of a man. ²³ And immediately the angel of the Lord smote him, because he gave not God the glory: and he was eaten of worms, and gave up the ghost.—ACTS, ch. 12.

6576. — Poison of. *Haman.* ⁹ Then went Haman forth that day joyful and with a glad heart: but when Haman saw Mordecai in the king's gate, that he stood not up, nor moved for him, he was full of indignation against Mordecai.—ESTHER, ch. 5.

6577. — Philosophic. *At Athens.* ¹⁸ Certain philosophers of the Epicureans, and of the

Stoics, encountered him. And some said, What will this babblers say?—ACTS, ch. 17.

6578. — Quarrelsome. *Proverb.* ¹⁰ Only by pride cometh contention: but with the well devised is wisdom.—PROV., ch. 12.

6579. — and Revenge. *Pharaoh.* ¹ The heart of Pharaoh and of his servants was turned against the people, and they said, Why have we done this, that we have let Israel go from serving us? ⁶ And he made ready his chariot.—EX., ch. 14.

6580. — in Riches. *Prince of Tyrus.* [See No. 6558.] ⁴ With thy wisdom and with thine understanding thou hast gotten thee . . . gold and silver into thy treasures: ⁵ By thy great wisdom and by thy traffick hast thou increased thy riches, and thine heart is lifted up because of thy riches.—EZEK., ch. 28.

6581. — Religious. *Pharisee.* ¹¹ Stood and prayed thus with himself, God, I thank thee, that I am not as other men are, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this publican.—LUKE, ch. 18.

6582. — of Success. *Forbidden.* ¹⁷ Thou say in thine heart, My power and the might of mine hand hath gotten me this wealth. . . ¹⁸ Then thine heart be lifted up, and thou forget the Lord thy God, which brought thee . . . from the house of bondage.—DEUT., ch. 8.

6583. — — *Nebuchadnezzar.* ²⁰ Said, Is not this great Babylon, that I have built for the house of the kingdom by the might of my power, and for the honour of my majesty?—DAN., ch. 4.

6584. — Self-conceit of. *Haman.* ⁶ Haman came in. And the king said. . . What shall be done unto the man whom the king delighteth to honour? Now Haman thought in his heart, To whom would the king delight to do honour more than to myself?—ESTHER, ch. 6.

6585. — in Treasures. *Hezekiah.* ¹³ Shewed them all . . . of his precious things, the silver, and the gold, and the spices, and the precious ointment, and all the house of his armour, and all that was found in his treasures: there was nothing. . . in all his dominion, that Hezekiah shewed them not.—2 KINGS, ch. 20.

6586. — Worldly. *Israelites.* ¹⁹ The people refused to obey the voice of Samuel; and they said, Nay; but we will have a king over us; ²⁰ That we also may be like all the nations.—1 SAM., ch. 8.

6587. — and Want. *Proverb.* ⁹ He that is despised, and hath a servant, is better than he that honoureth himself, and lacketh bread.—PROV., ch. 12.

6588. — Wounded. *Haman.* ¹² To morrow am I invited unto her also with the king. ¹³ Yet all this availeth me nothing, so long as I see Mordecai the Jew sitting at the king's gate.—ESTHER, ch. 5.

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6589. PRIEST, The chosen. *Firstborn.* ² Sanctify unto me all the firstborn, whatsoever openeth the womb among the children of Israel, both of man and of beast: it is mine.—Ex., ch. 13.

6590. — Salaried. *Levite.* ¹⁰ Micah said.. Dwell with me, and be unto me a father and a priest, and I will give thee ten *shekels* of silver by the year, and a suit of apparel, and thy victuals. So the Levite went in.—JUDGES, ch. 17. [About \$6 a year.]

6591. PRIESTS, Exodus of. *To Rehoboam.* ¹³ The priests and the Levites that were in all Israel resorted to him out of all their coasts. ¹⁴ For the Levites left their suburbs and their possession, and came to Judah and Jerusalem.—2 CHRON., ch. 11.

6592. — Temperance of. *Law.* ⁹ Do not drink wine nor strong drink, thou, nor thy sons with thee, when ye go into the tabernacle..lest ye die: it shall be a statute forever throughout your generations.—LEV., ch. 10.

See MINISTERS and references.

6593. PRINCIPLE, Policy before. *"Deal wisely."* ¹⁰ Let us deal wisely with them; lest they multiply, and..when there falleth out any war, they join also unto our enemies, and fight against us, and so get them up out of the land. ¹¹ Therefore they did set over them taskmasters to afflict them with their burdens.—Ex., ch. 1.

6594. — Without. *Persians.* ¹⁷ Whithersoever the king's commandment and his decree came, the Jews had joy and gladness, a feast and a good day. And many of the people of the land became Jews; for the fear of the Jews fell upon them.—ESTHER, ch. 8.

6595. PRINCIPLES Ignored. *Jews in Egypt.* ¹¹ Then had we plenty of victuals, and were well, and saw no evil. ¹⁸ But since we left off to burn incense to the queen of heaven, and to pour out drink offerings unto her, we have wanted all things, and have been consumed by the sword and by the famine.—JER., ch. 44.

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6596. PRISON Delivery. *At Jerusalem.* ¹⁸ Laid their hands on the apostles, and put them in the common prison. ¹⁹ But the angel of the Lord by night opened the prison doors, and brought them forth, and said, ²⁰ Go, stand and speak in the temple.—ACTS, ch. 5.

6597. — emptied. *Guarding.* ²² When the officers came, and found them not in the prison, they returned.. ²³ Saying, The prison truly found we shut with all safety, and the keepers standing without before the doors: but..we found no man within.—ACTS, ch. 5.

6598. — Joy in. *At Philippi.* ²³ When they had laid many stripes upon them, they cast them into prison. ²⁵ And at midnight Paul and Silas prayed, and sang praises unto God: and the prisoners heard them.—ACTS, ch. 16.

6599. — Open. *At Philippi.* [See above.] ²⁶ Suddenly there was a great earthquake, so that the foundations of the prison were shaken: and immediately all the doors were opened, and every one's bands were loosed.—ACTS, ch. 16.

6600. PRISONER abused. *Jesus.* ¹⁷ They clothed him with purple, and platted a crown of thorns, and put it about his head, ¹⁸ And began to salute him, Hail, King of the Jews! ¹⁹ And they smote him on the head with a reed, and did spit upon him, and bowing their knees worshipped him.—MARK, ch. 15.

6601. — aided. *Peter* ⁵ Was kept in prison: but prayer was made without ceasing of the church unto God for him. ⁷ The angel of the Lord came upon him, and a light shined in the prison: and he smote Peter on the side, and raised him up, saying, Arise up quickly. And his chains fell off from his hands.—ACTS, ch. 12.

6602. — Alarming. *Felix.* ²⁵ As he reasoned of righteousness, temperance, and judgment to come, Felix trembled, and answered, Go thy way for this time; when I have a convenient season, I will call for thee.—ACTS, ch. 24.

6603. — Blameless. *John.* ¹⁷ Herod himself had sent forth and laid hold upon John, and bound him in prison for Herodias' sake, his brother Philip's wife: for he had married her.—MARK, ch. 6.

6604. — — Peter. ³ Because he saw it pleased the Jews, he proceeded further to take Peter also. ⁴ And when he had apprehended him, he put him in prison.—ACTS, ch. 12.

6605. — Dangerous. *Samson.* ²¹ The Philistines took him, and put out his eyes, and brought him down to Gaza, and bound him with fetters of brass; and he did grind in the prison house. ²² Howbeit the hair of his head began to grow again.—JUDGES, ch. 16.

6606. — by Error. *Jeremiah.* ¹³ When he was in the gate of Benjamin, a captain of the ward was there, whose name was Irijah. and he took Jeremiah the prophet, saying, Thou fall-est away to the Chaldeans.. ¹⁵ Wherefore the

princes were wroth, and smote him, and put him in prison.—*JER.*, ch. 37.

6607. — The first. *Joseph.* ²⁰ Joseph's master took him, and put him into the prison, a place where the king's prisoners were bound.—*GEN.*, ch. 39.

6608. — outraged. *Felix.* ²⁸ He hoped also that money should have been given him of Paul, that he might loose him: wherefore he sent for him the oftener, and communed with him.—*ACTS.*, ch. 24.

6609. — Sympathy for. *Ebed-Melech.* [See No. 6606.] ⁴ In the dungeon there was no water, but mire: so Jeremiah sunk in the mire. ⁹ My lord the king, these men have done evil in all that they have done to Jeremiah: he is like to die for hunger, for there is no more bread in the city.—*JER.*, ch. 38.

6610. — Tenderness to. *Ebed-Melech.* ¹¹ So Ebed-Melech took the men with him, and took old cast clouts and old rotten rags, and let them down by cords into the dungeon to Jeremiah. ¹² And Ebed-Melech the Ethiopian said, Put now these under thine armholes under the cords. ¹³ So they drew up Jeremiah with cords.—*JER.*, ch. 38.

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Brother. Let one of your brethren be bound, p. 4119
Sons. Slay my two sons if I bring him not 4120

Labour. Samson, did grind in prison 6606

6611. PRIVACY difficult. *Jesus.* ³¹ Come ye yourselves apart into a desert place, and rest a while: for there were many coming and going, and they had no leisure so much as to eat.—*MARK.*, ch. 6.

6612. — for Sin. *Judas.* ⁴ He went his way, and communed with the chief priests and captains, how he might betray him unto them.—*LUKE.*, ch. 22.

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6613. PRIVILEGES appreciated. *Transfiguration.* ²³ As they departed from him, Peter said unto Jesus, Master, it is good for us to be here: and let us make three tabernacles; one for thee, and one for Moses, and one for Elias.—*LUKE.*, ch. 9.

6614. — Ignorance of. *Samaritan.* ¹⁰ Jesus said unto her, If thou knewest the gift of God, and who it is that saith to thee, Give me to drink; thou wouldest have asked of him, and he would have given thee living water.—*JOHN.*, ch. 4.

6615. — Responsibility for. *"Twice."* ⁹ The Lord was angry with Solomon, because his heart was turned from the Lord God of Israel, which had appeared unto him twice, ¹⁰ And had commanded him concerning this thing, that he should not go after other gods.—*1 KINGS.*, ch. 11.

6616. — reduced. *Vision.* ¹ The child Samuel ministered unto the Lord before Eli. And the word of the Lord was precious in those days; there was no open vision.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 3.

6617. — removed. *Religious.* ¹¹ Behold, the days come, saith the Lord God, that I will send a famine in the land, not a famine of bread, nor a thirst for water, but of hearing the words of the Lord.—*AMOS.*, ch. 8.

6618. — unimproved. *Fig Tree.* ¹ Behold, these three years I come seeking fruit on this fig tree, and find none: cut it down; why cumbereth it the ground?—*LUKE.*, ch. 13.

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" Take heed, this man is a Roman 741
Belittled. Thus Esau despised his birthright 742
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6619. PROCESSION, Sorrowful. *To Calvary.* ²⁷ There followed him a great company of people, and of women, which also bewailed and lamented him. ²⁸ But Jesus turning unto them, said, Daughters of Jerusalem, weep not for me, but weep for yourselves, and for your children.—*LUKE.*, ch. 23.

6620. PROCRASTINATION of Charity. *Proverb.* ²⁷ Withhold not good from them to whom

it is due, when it is in the power of thine hand to do it. ²⁸ Say not unto thy neighbour, Go, and come again, and to morrow I will give; when thou hast it by thee.—*PROV.*, ch. 3.

6621. — A fatal. Felix. ²⁵ As he reasoned of righteousness, temperance, and judgment to come, Felix trembled, and answered, Go thy way for this time; when I have a convenient season, I will call for thee. ²⁶ He hoped also that money should have been given him of Paul, that he might loose him.—*ACTS*, ch. 24.

6622. — Folly of. Virgins. ⁶ The foolish said unto the wise, Give us of your oil; for our lamps are gone out.—*MAT.*, ch. 25.

6623. — Loss by. At Athens. ³² When they heard of the resurrection of the dead, some mocked: and others said, We will hear thee again of this matter. ³³ So Paul departed from among them.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

6624. — No. "Bury the Dead." ²¹ Another of his disciples said, Lord, suffer me first to go and bury my father. ²² But Jesus said, Follow me; and let the dead bury their dead.—*MAT.*, ch. 8.

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Vigilant. Let your loins be girt...lights burning 9270
Weariness. Let me see the king's face...kill me 9271
Watching. When the fowls came...Abram drove 9272
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Sad. Pilate sought to release...delivered he him 4662

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6625. PRODIGALITY, Ruin from. Younger Son. ¹³ Took his journey into a far country, and there wasted his substance with riotous living. ¹⁴ And when he had spent all, there arose a mighty famine...and he began to be in want.—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

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6626. PROFANATION of the Sanctuary. Money Making. [On Jesus' first visit,] ¹⁴ Found in the temple those that sold oxen, and sheep, and doves, and the changers of money, sitting: ¹⁵ And when he had made a scourge of small cords, he drove them all out...and poured out the changers' money, and overthrew the tables: ¹⁶ And said, make not my Father's house an house of merchandise.—*JOHN*, ch. 2.

6627. — His Last Visit. ¹³ Jesus went into the temple of God, and cast out all them that sold and bought in the temple, and

overthrew the tables of the money changers, and the seats of them that sold doves, ¹³ And said, It is written, My house shall be called the house of prayer, but ye have made it a den of thieves.—*MAT.*, ch. 21.

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BLASPHEMY.

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Evidence of. High priest rent his clothes...spoken 802
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Heedless. As the L. liveth, I will...take something 805
Habit. Stephen ceaseth not to speak blasphemous 806
Murdered. He ought to die...made himself the Son 807
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SACRILEGE.

Presumptuous. They brought the golden vessels 7544
Priestly. Men abhorred the offering of the L. 7545
Unintended. Uzzah put forth his hand...ark 7546

6628. PROFITS forgotten. Peter. ⁸ When Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, Depart from me; for I am a sinful man, O Lord. ⁹ For he was astonished...at the draught of the fishes.—*LUKE*, ch. 5.

6629. PROFESSION only. Lord, Lord! ²¹ Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father... ²² Many will say to me in that day, Lord, Lord, have we not prophesied in thy name?... ²³ And then will I profess unto them, I never knew you: depart from me, ye that work iniquity.—*MAT.*, ch. 7.

6630. — Worthless. "Went not." ²⁹ A certain man had two sons; and he came to the first, and said, Son, go work to day in my vineyard. ³⁰ He answered, I will not; but afterward he repented, and went. ³¹ The second... said, I go sir; and went not. ³² Whether of them twain did the will of his father?—*MAT.*, ch. 21.

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6631. PROGRESS, Christian. "Shineth." ¹³ The path of the just is as the shining light, that shineth more and more unto the perfect day. ¹² The way of the wicked is as darkness: they know not at what they stumble.—*PROV.*, ch. 4.

6632. — hindered. Egyptians. ²⁴ The Lord looked...through the pillar of fire and of the cloud, and troubled the host of the Egyptians, ²⁵ And took off their chariot wheels, that they drave them heavily: so that the Egyptians said, Let us flee from the face of Israel; for the Lord fighteth for them.—*EX.*, ch. 14.

6633. — Time for. "Sound of a Going." ²⁴ When thou hearest the sound of a going in the tops of the mulberry tree, that then thou shalt bestir thyself: for then shall the Lord go out before thee, to smite the host of the Philistines.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 5.

6634. PROGRESSION, Spiritual. "Again." ²⁴ He looked up, and said, I see men as trees, walking. ²⁵ After that he put his hands again upon his eyes, and made him look up; and he was restored, and saw every man clearly.—**MARK**, ch. 8.

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6635. PROHIBITION of Blood. Law. ¹⁴ The blood of it is for the life thereof: therefore.. Ye shall eat the blood of no manner of flesh.. whosoever eateth it shall be cut off.—**LEV.**, ch. 17.

6636. — of Fruit. Paradise. ¹¹ Hast thou eaten of the tree, whereof I commanded thee that thou shouldest not eat? ¹² And the man said, The woman..she gave me of the tree, and I did eat.—**GEN.**, ch. 3.

6637. — of Flesh. Law. ³ These are the beasts which ye shall eat.. ² Whatsoever parteth the hoof, and is clovenfooted, and cheweth the cud, among the beasts, that shall ye eat.—**LEV.**, ch. 11. [See chapter.]

6638. — of Fat. Law. ²² Speak unto the children of Israel, saying, Ye shall eat no manner of fat, of ox, or of sheep, or of goat.—**LEV.**, ch. 7.

See ABSTINENCE and references.

6639. PROMISE, The great. At Ascension. ⁴⁹ Behold, I send the promise of my Father upon you: but tarry ye in the city of Jerusalem, until ye be endued with power from on high.—**LUKE**, ch. 24.

6640. — A royal. Ahasuerus. ² The king said..on the second day at the banquet of wine, What is thy petition, queen Esther? and it shall be granted thee: and what is thy request? and it shall be performed, even to the half of the kingdom.—**ESTHER**, ch. 7.

6641. — Herod. ²³ He sware unto her, Whatsoever thou shalt ask of me, I will give it thee, unto the half of my kingdom. ²⁴ And she..said unto her mother, What shall I ask? And she said, The head of John the Baptist.—**MARK**, ch. 6.

6642. — regretted, A. Herod. ²⁶ The king was exceeding sorry, yet for his oath's sake, and for their sakes which sat with him, he would not reject her.—**MARK**, ch. 6.

6643. PROMISES broken. Pharaoh. ⁸ Intreat the Lord, that he may take away the frogs..and I will let the people go, that they may do sacrifice unto the Lord.. ¹⁵ But when Pharaoh saw that there was respite, he hardened his heart, and hearkened not unto them.—**EX.**, ch. 8.

6644. — Pharaoh. ²⁸ Intreat the Lord (for it is enough) that there be no more mighty thunders and hail: and I will let you go, and ye shall stay no longer.. ³⁴ And when

Pharaoh saw that the rain and the hail and the thunders were ceased, he sinned yet more, and hardened his heart.—**EX.**, ch. 9.

6645. — Pharaoh. ¹⁵ There remained not any green thing in the trees, or in the herbs of the field.. ¹⁶ Then Pharaoh called for Moses and Aaron in haste; and he said, I have sinned.. ²⁸ And the heart of Pharaoh was hardened, neither would he let the children of Israel go.—**EX.**, ch. 9.

6646. — Parable. ²⁸ A certain man had two sons; and he came to the first, and said, Son, go work to day in my vineyard. ²⁹ He..said, I will not; but afterward he repented, and went. ³⁰ And..the second..said, I go, sir; and went not.—**MAT.**, ch. 21.

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6647. PROMOTION avoided. Saul. ²² Behold, he hath hid himself among the stuff. ²³ And they ran and fetched him thence: and..he was higher than any of the people from his shoulders and upward. ²⁴ And Samuel said..See ye him whom the Lord hath chosen, that there is none like him?..And all the people shouted, and said, God save the king.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 10.

6648. — desirable. Guest. ¹⁰ Sit down in the lowest room; that when he that bade thee cometh, he may say unto thee, Friend, go up higher: then shalt thou have worship in the presence of them that sit at meat with thee.—**LUKE**, ch. 14.

6649. — envied. Daniel's. ⁴ Then the presidents and princes sought to find occasion against Daniel concerning the kingdom: but they could find none occasion nor fault; forasmuch as he was faithful.—**DAN.**, ch. 6.

6650. — Eagerness for. Daniel's. ¹⁶ Then said the priest..What do ye? ¹⁹..Hold thy peace, lay thine hand upon thy mouth, and go with us, and be to us a father and a priest: is it better for thee to be a priest unto the house of one man, or that thou be a priest unto a tribe?—**JUDGES**, ch. 19.

6651. — Honourable. Proverb. ⁶ Put not forth thyself in the presence of the king, and stand not in the place of great men: ⁷ For better it is that it be said unto thee, come up hither; than that thou shouldest be put lower in the presence of the prince whom thine eyes have seen.—**PROV.**, ch. 25.

6652. — by Merit. Daniel. ⁸ Daniel was preferred above the presidents and princes, because an excellent spirit was in him; and the king thought to set him over the whole realm.—**DAN.**, ch. 6.

6653. — Means of. Humility. [See No. 6648.]

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6655. — *requested. James and John.* ²⁷ Grant unto us that we may sit, one on thy right hand, and the other on thy left hand, in thy glory. ²⁸ But Jesus said. Ye know not what ye ask.—*MARR*, ch. 10.

6656. — *sought. Diotrephes.* ⁹ Diotrephes, who loveth to have the preeminence among them, receiveth us not. ¹⁰ Wherefore, if I come, I will remember his deeds which he doeth, prating against us with malicious words.—*JOHN*, ch. 3.

6657. — — *Elen.* ⁴ The serpent said unto the woman, Ye shall not surely die: ⁵ For God doth know that in the day ye eat thereof, then your eyes shall be opened, and ye shall be as gods, knowing good and evil.—*GEN.*, ch. 3.

6658. — *unsought. David.* ¹¹ There remaineth yet the youngest. . . he keepeth the sheep. And Samuel said unto Jesse, Send and fetch him. ¹² . . . he was ruddy, and withal of a beautiful countenance, and goodly to look to. And the Lord said, Arise, anoint him; for this is he.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 16.

6659. — *Unsatisfying. Haman.* ¹¹ Haman told them of the glory of his riches, and the multitude of his children, and all the things wherein the king had promoted him, and how he had advanced him above the princes. ¹² . . . to-morrow am I invited unto her also with the king. ¹³ Yet all this availeth me nothing, so long as I see Mordecai the Jew sitting at the king's gate.—*ESTHER*, ch. 5.

6660. — — *Levites.* ⁸ And Moses said unto Korah. . . ⁹ Seemeth it but a small thing unto you, that the God of Israel hath separated you from the congregation. . . to bring you near to himself to do the service of the tabernacle. . . and to stand before the congregation to minister unto them? ¹⁰ . . . and seek ye the priesthood also?—*NUM.*, ch. 16.

6661. — *A worthy. Joseph.* ²⁸ Pharaoh said unto his servants, Can we find such a one as this is, a man in whom the Spirit of God is? ⁴⁰ Thou shalt be over my house, and according unto thy word shall all my people be ruled: only in the throne will I be greater than thou.—*GEN.*, ch. 41.

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6663. — *of Strength. Conquest.* ¹⁴ The children of Joseph spake. . . Why hast thou given me but. . . one portion to inherit, seeing I am a great people. . . ¹⁵ And Joshua answered them, If thou be a great people, then get thee up to the wood country, and cut down for thyself there in the land of the Perizzites and of the giants, if mount Ephraim be too narrow for thee.—*JOSEPH*, ch. 17.

6664. — *by Trial. Young Hebrews.* ¹² Prove thy servants, I beseech thee, ten days; and let them give us pulse to eat, and water to drink. ¹³ Then let our countenances be looked upon before thee, and the countenance of the children that eat of the portion of the king's meat: and as thou seest, deal with thy servants.—*DAN.*, ch. 1.

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6665. PROPERTY, Confiscation of. Haman's. ¹ The king Ahasuerus said. . . I have given Esther the house of Haman, and him they have hanged upon the gallows, because he laid his hand upon the Jews.—*ESTHER*, ch. 8.

6666. — *Life more than. Dives.* ¹⁵ Take heed, and beware of covetousness: for a man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth. ¹⁶ And he spake a parable. . . saying, The ground of a certain rich man brought forth plentifully.—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

6667. — *Restoration of. The Shunammite.* ⁸ At the seven years' end. . . the woman returned out of the land of the Philistines: and she went forth to cry unto the king for her house and for her land. ⁴ . . . So the king appointed. . . Restore all that was hers, and all the fruits of the field since the day that she left the land, even until now.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 8.

6668. — *Surrender of. Christians.* ²⁹ The multitude of them that believed were of one heart and of one soul: neither said any. . . that aught of the things which he possessed was his own; but they had all things common.—*ACTS*, ch. 4.

6669. — *Selfish Use of. Dives.* ¹¹ He thought within himself, saying, What shall I do, because I have no room where to bestow my fruits? ¹² . . . I will pull down my barns, and build greater; and there will I bestow all my fruits and my goods. ¹³ And I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for

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6670. — *Transfer of. Laban's.* ¹ He heard the words of Laban's sons, saying, Jacob hath taken away all that *was* our father's ; and of *that* which *was* our father's hath he gotten all this glory.—*GEN.*, ch. 31.

6671. — *by Violence. Parable.* ²⁸ When the husbandmen saw the son, they said among themselves, This is the heir ; come, let us kill him, and let us seize on his inheritance. ²⁹ And they caught him, and cast him out of the vineyard, and slew him.—*MAT.*, ch. 21.

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6672. PROPHECY, Gift of. Seventy Elders.

²⁵ The Lord came down in a cloud . . . and took of the spirit that *was* upon him, and gave *it* unto the seventy elders : and . . . when the spirit rested upon them, they prophesied.—*NUM.*, ch. 11.

6673. — *Involuntary. King Saul.* ²³ The Spirit of God was upon him also, and he went on, and prophesied, until he came to Nairth in Ramah. ²⁴ And he stripped off his clothes also, and prophesied before Samuel in like manner, and lay down naked all that day and all that night. Wherefore they say, *Is* Saul also among the prophets?—1 *SAM.*, ch. 19.

6674. — *Revival by. Vision.* ⁷ As I prophesied, there was a noise, and behold a shaking, and the bones came together, bone to his bone. ⁸ . . . the sinews and the flesh came up upon them, and the skin covered them above : but *there was* no breath in them. ⁹ Then said he unto me, Prophecy unto the wind.—*EZEK.*, ch. 37.

6675. — *Spiritual. Pentecost.* ¹⁵ For these are not drunken, as ye suppose, seeing it is *but* the third hour of the day. ¹⁶ But this is that which was spoken by the prophet Joel ; ¹⁷ . . . in the last days, saith God, I will pour out of my Spirit upon all flesh : and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy.—*ACTS*, ch. 2.

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¹⁰ Let us deal wisely with them ; lest they multiply, and . . . when there falleth out any war, they join also unto our enemies and . . . so get them up out of the land. ¹¹ Therefore they did set over them taskmasters to afflict them. ¹² But the more they afflicted them, the more they multiplied and grew.—*EX.*, ch. 1.

6678. — *Apostasy by. Jeshurun.* ¹⁵ Jeshurun waxed fat, and kicked . . . then he forsook God which made him, and lightly esteemed the Rock of his salvation.—*DEUT.*, ch. 32.

6679. — *with the Bible. To Joshua.*

⁸ This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth ; but thou shalt meditate therein day and night, that thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein : for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success.—*JOSE.*, ch. 1.

6680. — *Displeasure from. Enemies.*

¹⁰ When Sanballat the Horonite, and Tobiah the servant, the Ammonite, heard of *it*, it grieved them exceedingly that there was come a man to seek the welfare of the children of Israel.—*NEH.*, ch. 2.

6681. — *dedicated. David.* ¹⁰ Joram

brought with him vessels of silver, and vessels of gold, and vessels of brass : ¹¹ Which also king David did dedicate unto the Lord, with the silver and gold that he had dedicated of all nations which he subdued.—2 *SAM.*, ch. 8.

6682. — *destruction of. Aged Moses.* ¹⁵ If

thou wilt not hearken . . . to do all his commandments . . . that all these curses shall come upon thee. ¹⁶ Cursed shall thou be in the city, and cursed shall thou be in the field. ¹⁷ Cursed shall be thy basket and thy store.—*DEUT.*, ch. 28. [See chapter.]

6683. — *Dangers of. Pride.* ¹³ When thy

herds and thy flocks multiply, and thy silver and thy gold is multiplied, and all that thou hast is multiplied ; ¹⁴ Then thine heart be lifted up, and thou forget the Lord thy God, which brought thee . . . from the house of bondage.—*DEUT.*, ch. 8.

6684. — *Uzziah.* ¹⁵ As long as he

sought the Lord, God made him to prosper. ¹⁶ But when he was strong, his heart was lifted up to his destruction : for he transgressed . . . and

went into the temple of the Lord to burn incense upon the altar.—2 CHRON., ch. 26.

6685. — *A delusive. Rich Fool.* [See No. 6703.] ¹⁰ God said, *Thou fool, this night thy soul shall be required of thee: then whose shall those things be, which thou hast provided?* ¹¹ So is he that layeth up treasure for himself, and is not rich toward God.—LUKE, ch. 12.

6686. — *envied. Isaac.* ¹⁴ He had possession of the flocks, and possession of herds, and great store of servants: and the Philistines envied him. ¹⁵ For all the wells which his father's servants had digged in the days of Abraham his father, the Philistines had stopped them, and filled them with earth.—GEN., ch. 26.

6687. — *A false. Sinners.* ³ I was envious of the foolish, when I saw the prosperity of the wicked. ⁴ For *there are no bands in their death: but their strength is firm.* ⁵ They are not in trouble as other men; neither are they plagued like other men. ⁶ Their eyes stand out with fatness: they have more than heart could wish.—PS., 73.

6688. — *Improvement of. King Asa* ¹ Said unto Judah, Let us build these cities, and make walls and towers, gates and bars, while the land is yet before us; because we have sought the Lord our God, and he hath given us rest on every side. So they built and prospered.—2 CHRON., ch. 14.

6689. — *Solomon.* ⁴ My God hath given me rest on every side, so that there is neither adversity nor evil occurrent. ⁵ And, behold, I purpose to build a house unto the name of the Lord.—1 KINGS, ch. 5.

6690. — *by Obedience. Moses said,* ¹ All these blessings shall come on thee, and overtake thee, if thou shalt hearken unto the voice of the Lord thy God. ³ Blessed shalt thou be in the city, and blessed shalt thou be in the field.—DEUT., ch. 28. [See chapter.]

6691. — *Aged Joshua said,* ¹⁵ As all good things are come upon you, which the Lord your God promised you; so shall the Lord bring upon you all evil things, until he have destroyed you from off this good land which the Lord your God hath given you.—JOSH., ch. 23.

6692. — *Piety favours. Abram.* ³ Abram was very rich in cattle, in silver, and in gold.—GEN., ch. 13.

6693. — *King Jotham.* ³ He built the high gate of the house of the Lord, and on the wall of Ophel he built much. ⁴ Moreover he built cities in the mountains of Judah, and in the forests he built castles and towers. ⁶ So Jotham became mighty, because he prepared his ways before the Lord.—2 CHRON., ch. 27.

6694. — *Isaac.* ¹³ Isaac sowed in that land, and received in the same year a hundredfold: and the Lord blessed him. ¹⁵ And the man waxed great, and went forward, and grew until he became very great. ¹⁴ For he had possession of flocks, and herds, and great store of servants.—GEN., ch. 26.

6695. — *Joseph.* ³ The Lord was with Joseph, and he was a prosperous man; and he was in the house of his master the Egyptian.—GEN., ch. 39.

6696. — *Obed-edom.* ¹¹ The ark of the Lord continued in the house of Obed-edom the Gittite three months: and the Lord blessed Obed-edom, and all his household.—2 SAM., ch. 6.

6697. — *King Uzziah.* ⁹ He did that which was right in the sight of the Lord. ⁵ And he sought God in the days of Zechariah, who had understanding in the visions of God: and as long as he sought the Lord, God made him to prosper.—2 CHRON., ch. 26.

6698. — *Job.* ⁹ Satan answered the Lord, Doth Job fear God for nought? ¹⁰ Hast not thou made a hedge about him, and about his house, and about all that he hath on every side? thou hast blessed the work of his hands, and his substance is increased in the land.—JOB, ch. 1.

6699. — *Solomon.* ²¹ All king Solomon's drinking vessels were of gold, and all the vessels of the house of the forest of Lebanon were of pure gold; none were of silver: it was nothing accounted of in the days of Solomon. ²² For the kings had at sea a navy of Tharshish with the navy of Hiram: once in three years came the navy of Tharshish, bringing gold, and silver, ivory, and apes, and peacocks. ²³ So king Solomon exceeded all the kings of the earth for riches and for wisdom.—1 KINGS, ch. 10.

6700. — *Reflections in. "Ark of God."* ¹ When the king sat in his house, and the Lord had given him rest round about from all his enemies; ² That the king said unto Nathan the prophet, See now, I dwell in a house of cedar, but the ark of God dwelleth within curtains.—2 SAM., ch. 7.

6701. — *A secure. Balaam said,* ¹ The king of Moab hath brought me from Aram, out of the mountains of the east, saying, Come, curse me Jacob, and come, defy Israel. ⁸ How shall I curse, whom God hath not cursed? or how shall I defy, whom the Lord hath not defied?—NUM., ch. 23.

6702. — *Strife with. Lot.* ⁶ The land was not able to bear them, that they might dwell together: for their substance was great. ⁷ And there was a strife between the herdmen of Abram's cattle and of Lot's cattle.—GEN., ch. 13.

6703. — *Selfishness in. Rich Fool.* ¹⁷ What shall I do, because I have no room where to bestow my fruits? ¹⁸ And he said, I will pull down my barns, and build greater. ¹⁹ And I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years; take thine ease, eat, drink, and be merry.—LUKE, ch. 12.

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6705. PROSTRATION, Involuntary. *Gethsemane.* ³ Judas then, having received a band of men and officers, cometh thither with lanterns and torches and weapons. ⁶ As soon then as he

had said unto them, I am *he*, they went backward, and fell to the ground.—JOHN, ch. 18.

6706. — *A Sinner's. Saul.* ¹ Near Damascus : and suddenly there shined round about him a light from heaven : ² And he fell to the earth, and heard a voice saying . . . Saul, Saul, why persecutest thou me ?—ACTS, ch. 9.

6707. — *from Terror. King Saul.* [Said the ghost of Samuel.] ¹⁹ To morrow shalt thou and thy sons *be* with me : the Lord also shall deliver the host of Israel into the hand of the Philistines. ²⁰ Then Saul fell . . . on the earth, and was sore afraid, because of the words of Samuel : and there was no strength in him ; for he had eaten no bread all the day, nor all the night.—1 SAM., ch. 28.

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6708. PROTECTION by Art. Canaanites. ¹⁹ Judah . . . could not drive out the inhabitants of the valley, because they had chariots of iron.—JUDGES, ch. 1.

6709. — *by Alliance. Abiathar.* ²¹ Abiathar shewed David that Saul had slain the Lord's priests. ²² And David said . . . I knew . . . when Doeg the Edomite *was* there, that he would surely tell Saul : I have occasioned the death of all the persons of thy father's house. ²³ Abide thou with me, fear not : for he that seeketh my life seeketh thy life : but with me thou shalt be in safeguard.—1 SAM., ch. 22.

6710. — *by Blood. Passover.* ¹⁸ The blood shall be to you for a token upon the houses where ye are : and when I see the blood, I will pass over you, and the plague shall not be upon you to destroy you, when I smite the land of Egypt.—EX., ch. 12.

6711. — *Constant Israel.* ¹ I have redeemed thee, I have called thee by thy name ; thou art mine. ² When thou passest through the waters, I will be with thee ; and through the rivers, they shall not overflow thee : when thou walkest through the fire, thou shalt not be burned.—ISA., ch. 43.

6712. — *Defensive. Hedge.* ⁹ Then Satan answered the Lord . . . Doth Job fear God for nought ? ¹⁰ Hast not thou made a hedge about him, and about his house, and about all that he hath on every side ?—JOB, ch. 1.

6713. — *in Duty. Prophet.* ⁴ When king Jeroboam heard . . . the man of God, which had cried against the altar in Beth-el . . . he put forth his hand from the altar, saying, Lay hold on him. And his hand . . . dried up, so that he could not pull it in again to him.—1 KINGS, ch. 13.

6714. — *Divine. Elijah.* ⁹ The king sent unto him a captain of fifty with his fifty . . . and he spake . . . Thou man of God, the king hath said, Come down. ¹⁰ And Elijah answered . . . If I be a man of God, then let fire come down from heaven, and consume thee and thy fifty . . . consumed him and his fifty.—2 KINGS, ch. 1.

6715. — *From Syrians.* ¹⁶ Fear not : for they that be with us are more than they that

are with them. ¹⁷ And Elisha prayed . . . And the Lord opened the eyes of the young man ; and he saw : and, behold, the mountain was full of horses and chariots of fire round about Elisha.—2 KINGS, ch. 6.

6716. — *Jacob's Dream.* ¹⁸ I am with thee, and will keep thee in all places whither thou goest, and will bring thee again into this land ; for I will not leave thee.—GEN., ch. 28.

6717. — *From Lions.* ¹¹ Then said Daniel . . . O king, live for ever. ²² My God hath sent his angel, and hath shut the lions' mouths, that they have not hurt me : forasmuch as . . . innocency was found in me.—DAN., ch. 6.

6718. — *From Fire.* ²¹ The princes, governors, and captains, and the king's counselors . . . saw these men, upon whose bodies the fire had no power, nor was a hair of their head singed, neither were their coats changed, nor the smell of fire had passed on them.—DAN., ch. 3.

6719. — *Happy.* ⁴ He shall cover thee with his feathers, and under his wings shalt thou trust : his truth shall be thy shield and buckler. ⁸ Thou shalt not be afraid for the terror by night ; nor for the arrow that flieth by day. Ps. 91.

6720. — *Shield.* ¹ The word of the Lord came unto Abram in a vision, saying, Fear not, Abram : I am thy shield, and thy exceeding great reward.—GEN., ch. 15.

6721. — *Proverb.* ¹⁰ The name of the Lord is a strong tower : the righteous runneth into it, and is safe.—PROV., ch. 18.

6722. — *Laban said.* ²¹ Wherefore didst thou flee away secretly . . . and didst not tell me, that I might have sent thee away with mirth, and with songs, with tabret, and with harp ! ²² It is in the power of my hand to do you hurt : but the God of your father spake unto me yesternight, saying, Take thou heed that thou speak not to Jacob, either good or bad.—GEN., ch. 31.

6723. — *Intervening. Cloud.* ²⁰ It came between the camp of the Egyptians and the camp of Israel ; and it was a cloud and darkness to them, but it gave light by night to these : so that the one came not near the other all the night.—EX., ch. 14.

6724. — *of the Obedient. Feasts.* ²² Neither shall any man desire thy land, when thou shalt go up to appear before the Lord thy God thrice in the year.—EX., ch. 34.

6725. — *Promised. In Battle.* ¹ When thou goest out to battle against thine enemies, and seest horses, and chariots, and a people more than thou, be not afraid of them : for the Lord thy God is with thee.—DEUT., ch. 20.

6726. — *Remarkable. Cloud.* ²¹ He brought them forth also with silver and gold : and there was not one feeble person among their tribes. ²² He spread a cloud for a covering ; and fire to give light in the night.—PS. 105.

6727. — *of Saints. Angelic.* [Also see No. 6715.] ¹³ Behold, he is in Dothan. ¹⁴ Therefore sent he thither horses, and chariots, and a great host : and they came by night, and compassed the city about.—2 KINGS, ch. 6.

6728. — Tender. *Jesus said*, "O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, thou that killest the prophets, and stonest them which are sent unto thee, how often would I have gathered thy children together, even as a hen gathereth her chickens under her wings, and ye would not!"—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

6729. — Trust in. *Daniel*. "We are not careful to answer thee in this matter. "If it be so, our God whom we serve is able to deliver us from the burning fiery furnace, and he will deliver us out of thine hand, O king."—*DAN.*, ch. 3.

6730. — A vain. *Goliath*. "He had a helmet of brass upon his head, and he was armed with a coat of mail; and the weight of the coat was five thousand shekels of brass. "And he had greaves of brass upon his legs, and a target of brass between his shoulders."—*1 SAM.*, ch. 17.

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6731. PROTEST unheeded. *Samuel's*. "This will be the manner of the king that shall reign over you: He will take your sons, for his chariots, and to be his horsemen; and some shall run before his chariots. "Nevertheless, the people refused to obey the voice of Samuel; and they said, Nay; but we will have a king over us; "That we also may be like all the nations."—*1 SAM.*, ch. 8.

6732. PROVIDENCE in Affliction. *Hagar*. "What aileth thee, Hagar? fear not; for God hath heard the voice of the lad where he is. "Arise, lift up the lad, and hold him in thine hand; for I will make him a great nation. "And God opened her eyes, and she saw a well of water."—*GEN.*, ch. 21.

6733. — Acknowledgment of. *Proverb*. "Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. "In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths."—*PROV.*, ch. 3.

6734. — Bounty of. *Food*. "He causeth the grass to grow for the cattle, and herb for the service of man: that he may bring forth food out of the earth; "And wine that maketh glad the heart of man, and oil to make his face to shine, and bread which strengtheneth man's heart."—*PS.* 104.

6735. — Confidence in. "Boldly say." "Be content with such things as ye have: for he hath said, I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee. "So that we may boldly say, The Lord is my helper, and I will not fear what man shall do unto me."—*HEB.*, ch. 13.

6736. — Care of. *Jacob*. "Jacob vowed. "If God will be with me, and will keep me in this way that I go, and will give me bread to eat, and raiment to put on, "So that I come again to my father's house in peace; then shall

the Lord be my God: "and of all that thou shalt give me I will surely give the tenth unto thee."—*GEN.*, ch. 28.

6737. — Commitment to. *Esther*. "Gather together all the Jews that are present in Shushan, and fast ye for me, and neither eat nor drink three days, night or day: I also and my maidens will fast likewise: and so will I go in unto the king, which is not according to the law; and if I perish, I perish."—*ESTHER*, ch. 4.

6738. — A directing. *Saints*. "The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord: and he delighteth in his way. "Though he fall, he shall not be utterly cast down: for the Lord upholdeth him with his hand."—*PS.* 37.

6739. — Dependence on. *Keeper*. "Except the Lord build the house, they labour in vain that build it: except the Lord keep the city, the watchman waketh but in vain."—*PS.* 127.

6740. — disclosed. *Joseph*. "I am Joseph your brother, whom ye sold into Egypt. "Now therefore be not grieved, nor angry with yourselves, that ye sold me hither: for God did send me before you to preserve life."—*GEN.*, ch. 45.

6741. — Delays of. *Sinner*. "Though a sinner do evil a hundred times, and his days be prolonged, yet surely I know that it shall be well with them that fear God. "But it shall not be well with the wicked, neither shall he prolong his days, which are as a shadow."—*ECCLES.*, ch. 8.

6742. — Deterred by. *Laban*. "Wherefore didst thou flee away secretly, and steal away from me; and didst not tell me, that I might have sent thee away with mirth, and with songs, with tabret, and with harp? "It is in the power of my hand to do you hurt: but the God of your father spake unto me yesternight, saying, Take thou heed that thou speak not to Jacob either good or bad."—*GEN.*, ch. 31.

6743. — Dependence on. *Apostles*. "Provide neither gold, nor silver, nor brass in your purses; "Nor scrip for your journey, neither two coats, neither shoes, nor yet staves: for the workman is worthy of his meat. "And into whatsoever city or town ye shall enter, inquire who in it is worthy; and there abide till ye go thence."—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

6744. — Fighting. *Gamaliel*. "Refrain from these men, and let them alone: for if this counsel or this work be of men, it will come to naught: "But if it be of God, ye cannot overthrow it; lest haply ye be found even to fight against God."—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

6745. — Interfering. "Frustrateth." "I am the Lord that maketh all things; that stretcheth forth the heavens alone; that spreadeth abroad the earth by myself; "That frustrateth the tokens of the liars, and maketh diviners mad; that turneth wise men backward, and maketh their knowledge foolish; "That confirmeth the word of his servant."—*ISA.*, ch. 44.

6746. — Interpretation of. *Sons of Jacob*. "And he said unto his brethren, My money is restored; and, in my sack: and their heart failed them, and they were afraid, saying one to another, What is this that God hath done unto us?"—*GEN.*, ch. 42.

6747. — Increase from. *Elisha*. ⁴³ Twenty loaves of barley, and full ears of corn in the husk thereof. ⁴⁴ and his servitor said, What, should I set this before a hundred men? . . . They shall eat, and shall leave thereof. ⁴⁵ So he set it before them, and they did eat, and left thereof, according to the word of the Lord.—2 KINGS, ch. 4.

6748. — Instruments of. *Boasting*. ¹⁵ Shall the axe boast itself against him that heweth therewith? or shall the saw magnify itself against him that shaketh it? as if the rod should shake itself against them that lift it up, or as if the staff should lift up itself, as if it were no wood.—ISA., ch. 10.

6749. — Strange Instruments of. *Ravens*. ¹ Hide thyself by the brook Cherith, that is before Jordan. ⁴ And thou shalt drink of the brook; and I have commanded the ravens to feed thee there.—1 KINGS, ch. 17.

6750. — Indiscriminating. *Temporary*. ¹⁴ There be just men, unto whom it happeneth according to the work of the wicked; again, there be wicked men, to whom it happeneth according to the work of the righteous: I said that this also is vanity.—ECCLES., ch. 8.

6751. — Leading of. *Israel*. ⁹ The Lord's portion is his people; Jacob is the lot of his inheritance. ¹⁰ He found him in a desert land, and in the waste howling wilderness; he led him about, he instructed him, he kept him as the apple of his eye.—DEUT., ch. 32.

6752. — misconstrued. *David*. ¹ Thus said Shimei when he cursed, Come out, come out, thou bloody man, and thou man of Belial: ⁸ The Lord hath returned upon thee all the blood of the house of Saul, in whose stead thou hast reigned; and the Lord hath delivered the kingdom into the hand of Absalom thy son.—2 SAM., ch. 16.

6753. — Opposing. *Balaam*. ²¹ Balaam.. saddled his ass, and went with the princes of Moab. ²² And God's anger was kindled because he went: and the angel of the Lord stood in the way for an adversary against him.—NUM., ch. 22.

6754. — Overruling. *Babel*. ⁴ Let us build us a city, and a tower, whose top may reach unto heaven; and let us make us a name, lest we be scattered. . . . now nothing will be restrained from them, which they have imagined to do. ⁷ Go to, let us go down, and there confound their language, that they may not understand one another's speech.—GEN., ch. 11.

6755. — Proof of. *Wall finished*. ¹⁶ When all our enemies heard thereof, and all the heathen that were about us saw these things, they were much cast down in their own eyes: for they perceived that this work was wrought of our God.—NEH., ch. 6.

6756. — A remarkable. *Captive*. ² The Syrians.. had brought away captive out of the land of Israel a little maid; and she waited on Naaman's wife. ³ And she said unto her mistress, Would God my lord were with the prophet that is in Samaria! for he would recover him of his leprosy.—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

6757. — Refuge in. *Aged Moses said*, ²² There is none like unto the God of Jeshurun, who rideth upon the heaven in thy help, and in

his excellency on the sky. ²⁷ The eternal God is thy refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms.—DEUT., ch. 33.

6758. — Reproof of. *Elymas*. ⁸ Elymas the sorcerer. withstood them, seeking to turn away the deputy from the faith. . . . the hand of the Lord is upon thee, and thou shalt be blind, not seeing the sun for a season. And immediately there fell on him a mist and a darkness; and he went about seeking some to lead him by the hand.—ACTS, ch. 13.

6759. — Sustaining. *Manna*. ²³ The children of Israel did eat manna forty years, until they came to a land inhabited. . . until they came unto the borders of the land of Canaan.—EX., ch. 16.

6760. — — At *Zarephath*. ¹⁵ She.. did according to the saying of Elijah: and she, and he, and her house, did eat many days. ¹⁶ And the barrel of meal wasted not, neither did the cruse of oil fail, according to the word of the Lord.—1 KINGS, ch. 17.

6761. — Selection by. *A Wife*. ¹² I stand here by the well of water; and the daughters of the men of the city come out to draw water: ¹⁴.. the damsel to whom I shall say, Let down thy pitcher, I pray thee, that I may drink; and she shall say, Drink, and I will give thy camels drink also: let the same be she that thou hast appointed for thy servant Isaac.—GEN., ch. 24.

6762. — Trust in. *Lilies*. ²⁷ Consider the lilies how they grow: they toil not, they spin not; and yet.. Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. ²⁸ If then God so clothe the grass, which is to day in the field, and to morrow is cast into the oven; how much more will he clothe you, O ye of little faith?—LUKE, ch. 12.

6763. — Sinner's Trust in. *Saul*. ¹ It was told Saul that David was come to Keilah. And Saul said, God hath delivered him into mine hand; for he is shut in, by entering into a town that hath gates and bars. ⁸ And Saul called all the people together. . . to Keilah, to besiege David and his men.—1 SAM., ch. 23.

6764. — A timely. *Offering Isaac*. ¹⁰ Took the knife to slay his son. ¹¹ And the Angel of the Lord called unto him out of heaven. . . . and behold behind him a ram caught in a thicket by his horns: and Abraham.. offered him up for a burnt offering in the stead of his son.—GEN., ch. 22.

6765. — Unfailing. *Saints*. ²⁵ I have been young, and now am old; yet have I not seen the righteous forsaken, nor his seed begging bread.—PS., 37.

6766. — Upholding. *Eagle*. ¹¹ As an eagle stirreth up her nest, fluttereth over her young, spreadeth abroad her wings, taketh them, beareth them on her wings: ¹² So the Lord alone did lead him.—DEUT., ch. 32.

6767. — Working with. *Esther*. ¹³ Mordecai commanded to answer Esther, Think not with thyself that thou shalt escape in the king's house, more than all the Jews. ¹⁴ For if thou altogether holdest thy peace at this time, thou shalt their enlargement and deliverance arise to the Jews from another place. . . and who knoweth, whether thou art come to the kingdom for such a time as this?—ESTHER, ch. 4.

6768. — Withholding. Manna. ¹² The manna ceased on the morrow after they had eaten of the old corn of the land ; neither had the children of Israel manna any more ; but they did eat of the fruit of the land of Canaan. — *JOSH.*, ch. 5.

6769. PROVIDENCES, Succession of. In Wilderness. ¹² Marvellous things did he in the sight of their fathers. ¹³ He divided the sea, and caused them to pass through ; and he made the waters to stand as a heap. ¹⁴ In the daytime also he led them with a cloud, and all the night with a light of fire. — *PS.* 78. [See chapter.]

6770. — misinterpreted. Calamities. ⁴ Those eighteen, upon whom the tower in Siloam fell, and slew them, think ye that they were sinners above all men that dwelt in Jerusalem ? ⁵ Nay ; but, except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish. — *LUKE*, ch. 13.

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6771. PROVISIONS, Abundant. Solomon's. ²² Solomon's provision for one day was thirty measures of fine flour, and threescore measures of meal, ²³ Ten fat oxen, and twenty oxen out of the pastures, and a hundred sheep, besides harts, and roebucks, and fallow deer, and fatted fowl. — *1 KINGS*, ch. 4.

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Purveyors. Solomon had 12 officers who 6815
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6772. PROVOCATION forbidden. To Children. ⁴ Ye fathers, provoke not your children to wrath : but bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord. — *EPH.*, ch. 6.

6773. — Severe. Paul. ³ The high priest Ananias commanded them . . . to smite him on the mouth. ² Then said Paul . . . God shall smite thee, thou whited wall : for sittest thou to judge me after the law, and commandest me to be smitten contrary to the law ? — *ACTS*, ch. 23.

6774. PRUDENCE in Age. Eighty Years. ²⁴ Barzillai said . . . How long have I to live, that I should go up with the king unto Jerusalem ? ²⁵ I am this day fourscore years old : and can I discern between good and evil ? can thy servant taste what I eat or what I drink ? can I hear any more the voice of singing men and singing women ? wherefore then should thy servant be yet a burden unto my lord. — *2 SAM.*, ch. 19.

6775. — commended. Steward. ¹ How much owest thou ? And he said, A hundred measures of wheat. And he said . . . Take thy bill, and write fourscore. ⁸ And the lord commended the unjust steward, because he had done wisely. — *LUKE*, ch. 16.

6776. — Example of. Jesus. ¹¹ What thinkest thou ? Is it lawful to give tribute unto Cesar, or not ? ²¹ . . . Render therefore unto Cesar the things which are Cesar's ; and unto God the things that are God's. ²² When they had heard these words, they marvelled, and left him. — *MAT.*, ch. 22.

6777. — Preserved by. Micah. ²⁵ The children of Dan said unto him, Let not thy voice be heard among us, lest angry fellows run upon thee, and thou lose thy life, with the lives of thy household. ²⁶ . . . and when Micah saw that they were too strong for him, he . . . went back unto his house. — *JUDGES*, ch. 18.

6778. — Preservation by. Joseph. ⁹ How then can I do this great wickedness, and sin against God ? ¹⁰ And . . . as she spake to Joseph day by day . . . he hearkened not unto her . . . or to be with her. — *GEN.*, ch. 39.

6779. — in Resolutions. Tower. ²⁸ Which of you, intending to build a tower, sitteth not down first, and counteth the cost, whether ye have sufficient to finish it ? ²⁹ Lest haply, after he hath laid the foundation, and is not able to finish it, all that behold it begin to mock him. — *LUKE*, ch. 14.

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Necessary. King consulteth . . . war . . . or . . . peace	2366
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6780. PULPIT, The first. Ezra's. ⁴ Ezra the scribe stood upon a pulpit of wood, which they had made for the purpose. ⁵ And Ezra opened the book in the sight of all the people . . . and when he opened it, all the people stood up. — *NEM.*, ch. 8.

6781. PUNISHMENT of Angels. " In Chains." ⁶ The angels which kept not their first estate, but left their own habitation, he hath reserved in everlasting chains under darkness unto the judgment of the great day. — *JUDE*.

6782. — by Blindness. Elymas. ¹⁰ O full of all subtilty and all mischief, thou child of the devil, thou enemy of all righteousness, wilt thou not cease to pervert the right ways of the Lord ? ¹¹ And now, behold, the hand of the Lord is upon thee, and thou shalt be blind, not seeing the sun for a season. And immediately there fell on him a mist and a darkness ; and he went about seeking some to lead him by the hand. — *ACTS*, ch. 13.

6783. — Barbarous. David. ³ He brought out the people that were in it, and cut them with saws, and with harrows of iron, and with axes. Even so dealt David with all the cities of the children of Ammon. — *1 CHRON.*, ch. 20.

6784. — by Conscience. " Sound." ²⁰ The wicked man travaileth with pain all his days, and the number of years is hidden to the oppressor. ²¹ A dreadful sound is in his ears : in prosperity the destroyer shall come upon him. — *JOB*, ch. 15.

6785. — Choice in. David's. ¹³ Shall seven years of famine come ? . . . or wilt thou flee three months before thine enemies . . . ? or that there be three days' pestilence in thy land ? now advise, and see what answer I shall return to him that sent me. ¹⁴ And David said unto Gad, I am in a great strait : let us fall now into the hand of the Lord ; for his mercies are great : and let me not fall into the hand of man. — *2 SAM.*, ch. 24.

6786. — Curses for. Rebellious. ²⁰ The Lord shall send upon thee cursing, vexation, and re-

buke, in all that thou settest thine hand unto for to do . . . until thou perish quickly ; because of the wickedness of thy doings, whereby thou hast forsaken me.—*DEUT.*, ch. 28. [See chapter.]

6787. — Devoted to. *In Egypt.* ¹ They rebelled . . . and would not hearken unto me : they did not every man cast away the abominations of their eyes, neither did they forsake the idols of Egypt : then I said, I will pour out my fury upon them.—*EZEK.*, ch. 20.

6788. — of Drunkards. *Parents.* ²⁰ Shall say unto the elders of his city, This our son is stubborn and rebellious, he will not obey our voice ; *he is a glutton, and a drunkard.* ²¹ And all the men of the city shall stone him.—*DEUT.*, ch. 21.

6789. — for Disobedience. *Afflictions.* ¹⁵ If ye shall despise my statutes, or if your soul abhor my judgments, so that ye will not do all my commandments, *but that ye break my covenant :* ¹⁶ . . . I will even appoint over you terror, consumption, and the burning ague, that shall consume the eyes, and cause sorrow of heart : and ye shall sow your seed in vain, for your enemies shall eat it.—*LEV.*, ch. 6.

6790. — Humility in. *After Captivity.* ¹³ After all that is come upon us for our evil deeds . . . seeing that thou our God hast punished us less than our iniquities *deserve.* . . . ¹⁴ Should we again break thy commandments, and join in affinity with the people of these abominations ? —*EZRA*, ch. 9.

6791. — by Irritation. *Canaanites.* ⁴⁵ If ye will not drive out the inhabitants of the land . . . then . . . those which ye let remain of them *shall be pricks in our eyes, and thorns in your sides, and shall vex you.*—*NUM.*, ch. 33.

6792. — in Kind. *Death.* ²² Pharaoh charged all his people, saying, Every son that is born ye shall cast in the river, and every daughter ye shall save alive.—*EX.*, ch. 1. ²⁰ Pharaoh rose up in the night, he . . . and all the Egyptians ; and there was a great cry in Egypt : for *there was not a house where there was not one dead.*—*EX.*, ch. 12.

6793. — — *Joab.* ³¹ The king said . . . Do as he hath said, and fall upon him, and bury him ; that thou mayest take away the innocent blood, which Joab shed, from me. . . ³⁹ . . . to wit, Abner . . . captain of the host of Israel, and Amasa . . . captain of the host of Judah. ²³ Their blood shall therefore return upon the head of Joab.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 2.

6794. — Knowledge grades. *Uzzah.* ⁶ Uzzah put forth his hand to the ark of God, and took hold of it ; for the oxen shook it. ⁷ And the anger of the Lord was kindled against Uzzah, and God smote him there for his error ; and there he died by the ark.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 6. [The Philistines were not killed because of their ignorance. Uzzah was a Levite.]

6795. — limited. *Law.* [See No. 2802.] ³ Forty stripes he may give him, and not exceed : lest, if he should exceed . . . these with many stripes, then thy brother should seem vile unto thee.—*DEUT.*, ch. 25.

6796. — Misfortune not. *Affliction.* ² His disciples asked . . . Master, who did sin, this man ; or his parents, that he was born blind ? ³ Jesus

answered, Neither hath this man sinned, nor his parents : but that the works of God should be made manifest in him.—*JOHN*, ch. 9.

6797. — Opportunity grades. *Capernaum.* ²² Thou, Capernaum, which art exalted unto heaven, shalt be brought down to hell : for if the mighty works, which have been done in thee, had been done in Sodom, it would have remained until this day. ²⁴ But . . . it shall be more tolerable for the land of Sodom in the day of judgment, than for thee.—*MAT.*, ch. 11.

6798. — Overzeal for. *Jews.* ²² Many good works have I shewed you from my Father ; for which of those works do ye stone me ? ²³ The Jews answered . . . For a good work we stone thee not ; but for blasphemy ; and because that thou, being a man, makest thyself God.—*JOHN*, ch. 10.

6799. — Preparation for. *The Wicked.* ⁶ They that plough iniquity, and sow wickedness, reap the same. ⁷ By the blast of God they perish, and by the breath of his nostrils are they consumed.—*JOB*, ch. 4.

6800. — by the Public. *Sabbath-breaker.* ²² In the wilderness, they found a man that gathered sticks upon the sabbath day . . . ²³ And the Lord said unto Moses, The man shall be surely put to death : all the congregation shall stone him.—*NUM.*, ch. 15.

6801. — Rule for. *Like Offense.* ²⁴ They brought those men which had accused Daniel, and they cast *them* into the den of lions, them, their children, and their wives ; and the lions . . . brake all their bones in pieces or ever they came at the bottom of the den.—*DAN.*, ch. 6.

6802. — by Stripes. *Corporal.* ² If the wicked man be worthy to be beaten . . . the judge shall cause him to lie down, and to be beaten before his face, according to his fault, by a certain number.—*DEUT.*, ch. 25. [See No. 6795.]

6803. — for Sin. *Israelites.* ⁵ I will therefore put you in remembrance . . . that the Lord, having saved the people out of the land of Egypt, afterward destroyed them that believed not.—*JUDE*.

6804. — of Satan. *Lake of Fire.* ¹⁰ The devil that deceived them was cast into the lake of fire and brimstone, where the beast and the false prophet are, and shall be tormented day and night for ever and ever.—*REV.*, ch. 20.

6805. — by Torment. *Hell.* ²² The rich man also died . . . ²³ And in hell he lift up his eyes, being in torments . . . ²⁴ And he cried . . . Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus, that he may dip the tip of his finger in water, and cool my tongue ; for I am tormented in this flame.—*LUKE*, ch. 16.

6806. — Unmerciful. *Philistines.* ⁵ When he had set the brands on fire, he let *them* go into the standing corn of the Philistines . . . the vineyards and olives. ⁶ Then the Philistines said, Who hath done this ? And they answered, Samson, the son in law of the Timnite, because he had taken his wife, and given her to his companion . . . Philistines came up, and burnt her and her father with fire.—*JUDGES*, ch. 15.

6807. — of the Unsaved. *Hell.* ¹⁰ He shall be tormented with fire and brimstone in the presence of the holy angels, and in the presence of the Lamb ; ¹¹ And the smoke of their torment

ascendeth up for ever and ever : and they have no rest day nor night, who worship the beast and his image.—Rev. ch. 14.

6808. — of Vanity. *Herod.* ¹¹ Upon a set day Herod, arrayed in royal apparel, sat upon his throne, and made an oration. ¹² And the people gave a shout, saying, *It is the voice of a god, and not of a man.* ¹³ And immediately the angel of the Lord smote him.—Acts, ch. 12.

6809. — of the Wicked. *Torment.* ¹² Friend, how camest thou in hither, not having a wedding-garment? And he was speechless. ¹³ Then said the king to the servants, Bind him hand and foot, and take him away, and cast him into outer darkness : there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth.—Mat., ch. 22.

6810. — a Warning. *"A Sign."* ¹⁰ The earth opened her mouth, and swallowed them up together with Korah, when that company died, what time the fire devoured two hundred and fifty men : and they became a sign.—Num., ch. 26.

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Children. He that spareth the rod hateth his son 1181
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Angels. Reserved in everlasting chains 7292
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REVENGE.

Avoided. Flee thou to Laban. .brother's fury turn 7304
Brother's. When I say, Smite Amnon ; then kill 7305
" Joab smote Abner. .for the blood of 7306
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" Kept me. .from coming to shed blood 9170
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Divine. To me belongeth vengeance and r. 9173
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Undesired. Behold the head of Ish-bosheth 9183
for Vengeance. David commanded. .slew them 9184
Innocent. I find no fault in him. .take ye him 90
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6811. PURIFICATION, Difficult. *Of the Church.* ¹⁸ Wilt thou then that we go and gather them up? ¹⁹ But he said, Nay ; lest while ye gather up the tares, ye root up also the wheat with them. ²⁰ Let both grow together until the harvest.—Mat., ch. 13.

6812. PURITY by Refining. *Refiner's Fire.* ¹ He is like a refiner's fire, and like fullers' soap : ² And he shall sit as a refiner and purifier of silver : and he shall purify the sons of Levi, and purge them as gold and silver.—Mal., ch. 3.

6813. — symbolized. *Laver.* ¹⁸ Thou shalt also make a laver of brass. .to wash withal : and thou shalt put it between the tabernacle. .and the altar, and thou shalt put water therein. ¹⁹ For Aaron and his sons shall wash their hands and their feet thereat : ²⁰ When they go into the tabernacle.—Ex., ch. 30.

6814. — within. *Platter.* ¹⁶ Thou blind Pharisee, cleanse first that which is within the cup and platter, that the outside of them may be clean also. ¹⁷ .ye are like unto whited sepulchres, which indeed appear beautiful outward, but are within full of dead men's bones, and of all uncleanness. ¹⁸ Even so ye also outwardly appear righteous unto men, but within ye are full of hypocrisy and iniquity.—Mat., ch. 23.

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Firstborn. Thou shalt set apart unto the Lord 7574
Sabbath. G. blessed the seventh day and sanctified 7575

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Positive. Thou knowest that I love thee 8132
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6815. PURVEYORS, Royal. *Solomon's.* ⁷ Solomon had twelve officers..which provided victuals for the king and his household: each man his month in a year made provision.—1 KINGS, ch. 4.

6816. PURPOSE, Unchangeable. *Darius.* ¹⁵ Know, O king, that the law of the Medes and Persians is, That no decree nor statute which the king establisheth may be changed. ¹⁶ Then the king commanded, and they brought Daniel, and cast him into the den of lions.—DAN., ch. 6.

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Accepted. Abraham..offered up his only begotten 4604
Approved. Whereas it was in thine heart to build 4605
Abandoned. Pilate sought to release him 4606
Commended. Poor widow..cast more in than all 4607
Crime. If he thrust him suddenly without enmity 4608
Fixes Guilt. If any man hate..lie in wait..smite 4609
Honoured. She hath done what she could 4610
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Sincere. Abraham..took the knife to slay his son 4612
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Rebellious. I would have gathered..ye would not 9593
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6817. QUALIFICATION for Office. *Jethro said,* ³¹ Thou shalt provide out of all the people, able men, such as fear God, men of truth, hating

covetousness; and place such over them to be rulers of thousands, and rulers of hundreds, rulers of fifties, and rulers of tens.—Ex., ch. 18.

6818. QUARREL, Domestic. *Hagar's Son.* ⁹ Sarah saw the son of Hagar..which she had borne unto Abraham, mocking. ¹⁰ Wherefore she said unto Abraham, Cast out this bond-woman and her son.—GEN., ch. 21.

6819. — Destructive. *Ammonites.* ²² The children of Ammon and Moab stood up against the inhabitants of mount Seir, utterly to slay and destroy them: and when they had made an end of the inhabitants of Seir, every one helped to destroy another.—2 CHRON., ch. 20.

6820. — Foolish. *A slight.* ¹ The men of Ephraim gathered..and said unto Jephthah, Wherefore passedst thou over to fight against the children of Ammon, and didst not call us to go with thee? we will burn thy house upon thee with fire.—JUDGES, ch. 12.

6821. — of the Famished. *"In Famine."* ²⁸ The king said..What aileth thee? And she answered, This woman said unto me, Give thy son, that we may eat him to day, and we will eat my son to morrow. ²⁹ So we boiled my son, and did eat him: and I said unto her on the next day, Give thy son, that we may eat him: and she hath hid her son.—2 KINGS, ch. 6.

6822. — Meddling with a. *Moses.* ¹³ Two men of the Hebrews strove together: and he said to him that did the wrong, Wherefore smitest thou thy fellow? ¹⁴ And he said, Who made thee a prince and a judge over us? intendest thou to kill me, as thou killedst the Egyptian? And Moses feared.—Ex., ch. 2.

6823. — *Proverb.* ¹⁷ He that passeth by, and meddleth with strife belonging not to him, is like one that taketh a dog by the ear.—PROV., ch. 26.

6824. — Matrimonial. *Moses.* ¹ Miriam and Aaron spake against Moses because of the Ethiopian woman whom he had married.. ² And they said, Hath the Lord indeed spoken only by Moses? hath he not spoken also by us?—NUM., ch. 12.

6825. — overruled. *Ishmael.* [See No. 6818.] ¹⁸ Arise, lift up the lad, and hold him in thine hand; for I will make him a great nation.—GEN., ch. 21.

6826. — Test in. *Shibboleth.* [See No. 5820.] ⁵ The men of Gilead said..Art thou an Ephraimite? If he said, Nay; ⁶ Then said they..Say now, Shibboleth: and he said, Sibboleth: for he could not frame to pronounce it right. Then they..slew him at the passages of Jordan: and there fell..of the Ephraimites, forty and two thousand.—JUDGES, ch. 12.

6827. — War from a. *Sheba.* [Judah had brought David to Jerusalem.] ¹ A man of Belial, whose name was Sheba..blew a trumpet, and said, We have no part in David.. ² So every man of Israel went up from after David, and followed Sheba..but the men of Judah clave unto their king.—2 SAM., ch. 20.

6828. QUARRELS, Conjugal. *Proverb.* ⁹ It is better to dwell in a corner of the housetop, than with a brawling woman in a wide house.. ¹⁰ It is better to dwell in the wilderness, than with a contentious and an angry woman.—PROV., chs. 21 and 22.

6839. QUARTER, No. Five Kings. ²⁴ Joshua called for all the men of Israel, and said unto the captains. Come near, put your feet upon the necks of these kings. And they came near, and put their feet upon the necks of them.—*JOSE.*, ch. 10.

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6830. QUESTION, An alarming. Sinners. ¹ Adam and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the Lord God amongst the trees of the garden. ⁹ And the Lord God called unto Adam, and said. Where art thou?—*GEN.*, ch. 3.

6831. — An embarrassing. To Peter. ¹⁵ So when they had dined, Jesus saith to Simon Peter, Simon, son of Jonas, lovest thou me more than these? He saith unto him, Yea, Lord; thou knowest that I love thee.—*JOHN*, ch. 21.

6832. — A fearful. Disciples. ³¹ The Son of man is delivered into the hands of men, and they shall kill him; and after that he is killed, he shall rise the third day. ³³ But they understood not that saying, and were afraid to ask him.—*MARK*, ch. 9.

6833. — The great. "What shall I do?" ¹⁵ A certain lawyer. tempted him, saying, Master, what shall I do to inherit eternal life? ²⁶ He said. What is written in the law? how readest thou?—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

6834. — — Philippian Jailer. ³⁰ Brought them out, and said, Sirs, what must I do to be saved? ³¹ And they said, Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved, and thy house.—*ACTS*, ch. 16.

6835. — A startling. At Sinai. ¹² After the earthquake a fire; but the Lord was not in the fire; and after the fire a still small voice. ¹³ When Elijah heard it. he wrapped his face in his mantle, and went out, and stood in the entering in of the cave. And, behold, there came a voice. What doest thou here, Elijah?—*1 KINGS*, ch. 19.

6836. — The Soul's. Pentecost. ³⁷ When they heard this, they were pricked in their heart, and said unto Peter and to the rest of the apostles, Men and brethren, what shall we do? ³⁸ Then Peter said. Repent, and be baptized.—*ACTS*, ch. 2.

6837. — A trying. Isaac's. ¹ He said, Behold the fire and the wood: but where is the lamb for a burnt offering? ⁸ And Abraham said, My son, God will provide himself a lamb.—*GEN.*, ch. 22.

6838. QUESTIONERS silenced. By Jesus. ²⁴ I also will ask you one thing, which if ye tell me, I in like wise will tell you by what authority I do these things. ²⁵ The baptism of John, whence was it? from heaven, or of men? And they reasoned. If we shall say, From heaven; he will say unto us, Why did ye not then believe him? ²⁶ But if we shall say, Of men; we fear the people; for all hold John as a prophet. ²⁷ And they answered. We cannot tell.—*MAT.*, ch. 21.

6839. QUESTIONS, Test. Queen of Sheba. ³ She came to Jerusalem with a very great train, with camels that bare spices, and very much gold, and precious stones. ⁸ And Solomon told her all her questions: there was not any thing hid from the king, which he told her not.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 10.

6840. — withheld. From Jesus. ²⁸ One of the scribes came, and having heard them reasoning together, and perceiving that he had answered them well, asked him, Which is the first commandment of all? ³⁴ And when Jesus saw that he answered discreetly, he said. Thou art not far from the kingdom of God. And no man after that durst ask him any question.—*MARK*, ch. 12.

6841. QUOTATIONS, Use of. Paul. [At Athens.] ²⁸ For in him we live, and move, and have our being; as certain also of your own poets have said, For we are also his offspring.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

6842. RADICALISM, Religious. Hezekiah. ⁴ He removed the high places, and brake the images, and cut down the groves, and brake in pieces the brazen serpent that Moses had made: for unto those days the children of Israel did burn incense to it.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 18.

6843. — Teaching. Jesus. ¹¹ Not that which goeth into the mouth defleth a man; but that which cometh out. ¹² Then came his disciples, and said. Knowest thou that the Pharisees were offended, after they heard this saying? ¹³ But he answered. Every plant, which my heavenly Father hath not planted, shall be rooted up.—*MAT.*, ch. 15.

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Extreme. Barbarians said. is a murderer. god **2840**
See RASHNESS.

6844. RAID, Successful. Amalekites. ¹ When David and his men were come to Ziklag on the third day. the Amalekites had. smitten Ziklag, and burned it with fire; ² And had taken the women captives. they slew not any, either great or small, but carried them away.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 30.

6845. RAIN of Bread. Manna. ⁴ I will rain bread from heaven for you; and the people shall gather a certain rate every day, that I may prove them, whether they will walk in my law, or no.—*EX.*, ch. 16.

6846. — Destructive. Brimstone. ²⁴ The Lord rained upon Sodom and upon Gomorrah brimstone and fire from the Lord out of heaven; ²⁵ And he overthrew those cities, and all the plain.—*GEN.*, ch. 19.

6847. — of Hail. Plague of. ³² The Lord said unto Moses, Stretch forth thine hand toward heaven, that there may be hail in all the land of Egypt, upon man, and upon beast, and upon every herb of the field.—*EX.*, ch. 9.

6848. — Long. Flood. ⁴ Yet seven days, and I will cause it to rain upon the earth forty days and forty nights; and every living substance that I have made will I destroy from off the face of the earth.—*GEN.*, ch. 7.

6849. — Promised. "First and Latter." ¹⁴ I will give you the rain of your land in his due season, the first rain and the latter rain, that thou mayest gather in thy corn, and thy wine, and thine oil.—*DEUT.*, ch. 11.

6850. — Prayer for. Elijah. [After a drought of three years.] ⁴³ Ahab went up to eat and to drink. And Elijah went up to the top of Carmel; and he cast himself down upon the earth, and put his face between his knees. ⁴⁴ And. at the seventh time. he said, Behold, there ariseth a little cloud out of the sea, like a man's

hand. And he said..say unto Ahab..get thee down, that the rain stop thee not.—1 Kings, ch. 18.

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 " Mount up to the heaven, they go down to the 8362
 " They reel to and fro, and stagger..drunken 8363

terrifying. Pharaoh saw that the rain..hall..ceased 40

8351. RASHNESS in Answering. *James and John.* [They asked for positions of honour.]
 " Are ye able to drink of the cup that I shall drink of, and to be baptized with the baptism that I am baptized with? They say..We are able.—**MAT.**, ch. 20.

8352. — Courageous. *Peter.* " One of them which were with Jesus stretched out his hand, and drew his sword, and struck a servant of the high priest, and smote off his ear.—**MAT.**, ch. 26.

8353. — A Drunkard's. *Herod.* " Herod on his birthday made a supper to his lords..
 " And when the daughter of..Herodias..danced, and pleased Herod and them that sat with him, the king said unto the damsel, Ask of me whatsoever thou wilt, and I will give it thee.—**MARK**, ch. 6.

8354. — Decree in. *Ahasuerus.* " Let it be written that they may be destroyed : and I will pay ten thousand talents of silver..to bring it into the king's treasures. " And the king took his ring from his hand, and gave it unto Haman.—**ESTHER**, ch. 3.

8355. — in Enterprise. *Tower.* " Which of you, intending to build a tower, sitteth not down first, and counteth the cost, whether he have sufficient to finish it? " Lest haply, after he hath laid the foundation, and is not able to finish it, all that behold it begin to mock him.—**LUKE**, ch. 14.

8356. — from Hunger. *Esau.* " Feed me ..with that same red pottage ; for I am faint..
 " And Jacob said, Sell me this day thy birth-right. " And Esau said, Behold, I am at the point to die : and what profit shall this birth-right do to me?—**GEN.**, ch. 25.

8357. — Headless. *Healed Leper.* " See thou say nothing to any man : but go thy way, shew thyself to the priest, and offer for thy cleansing..
 " But he..began to publish it much..insomuch that Jesus could no more openly enter into the city.—**MARK**, ch. 1.

8358. — in Ignorance. *Jacob.* " With whomsoever thou findest thy gods, let him not live : before our brethren discern thou what is thine with me, and take it to thee. For Jacob knew not that Rachel had stolen them.—**GEN.**, ch. 31.

8359. — in Judgment. *David.* " Said the king to Ziba, Behold, thine are all that pertained unto Mephibosheth. And Ziba said, I humbly beseech thee that I may find grace in thy sight, my lord, O king.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 16. [Mephibosheth had not deserted David, as he supposed.]

8360. — Needless. *In Benjamin's Sack.* " Behold, the money, which we found in our sacks' months, we brought again unto thee..how then should we steal out of thy lord's house silver or gold? " With whomsoever..it be found, both let him die, and we also will be my lord's bondmen.—**GEN.**, ch. 44.

8361. — Perilous. *Three Mighty Men.* " Oh that one would give me drink of the water of the well of Beth-lehem, which is by the gate!
 " And the three mighty men brake through the host of the Philistines..and took it, and brought it to David : nevertheless he would not drink thereof, but poured it out unto the Lord.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 23.

8362. — A Ruler's. *Rehoboam.* " My little finger shall be thicker than my father's loins. " And now whereas my father did lade you with a heavy yoke, I will add to your yoke : my father hath chastised you with whips, but I will chastise you with scorpions.—**1 Kings**, ch. 12. [The ten tribes seceded.]

8363. — in Responding. *Proverb.* " He that answereth a matter before he heareth it, it is folly and shame unto him.—**PROV.**, ch. 18.

8364. — in Reproof. *Eli.* " Hannah, she spake in her heart ; only her lips moved, but her voice was not heard : therefore Eli thought she had been drunken. " And Eli said unto her, How long wilt thou be drunken? put away thy wine from thee. " And Hannah answered..I am a woman of a sorrowful spirit.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 1.

8365. — in Vowing. *Saul's.* " When they heard that the Philistines fled, even they also followed hard after them in the battle. " And the men of Israel were distressed that day : for Saul had adjured the people, saying, Cursed be the man that eateth any food until evening.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 14.

8366. — of Youth. *Asahel.* " Abner said again to Asahel, Turn thee aside from following me : wherefore should I smite thee to the ground? " Howbeit he refused to turn aside : wherefore Abner with the hinder end of the spear smote him under the fifth rib.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 2. [Abner, a veteran captain.]

8367. — from Zeal. *Benjamin.* " Reuben spake unto his father, saying, Slay my two sons, if I bring him not to thee : deliver him into my hand, and I will bring him to thee again.—**GEN.**, ch. 42.

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Brief. With joy receiveth..not root 2679
Benevolence. They said, He is beside himself 2680
Contempt. Michal saw king David leaping..d. 2681
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Fickle. Would have done sacrifice..stoned Paul 3037
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6868. RATIONALISM, Religious. Cain.
 1 Cain was a tiller of the ground. 2 And . . . Cain brought of the fruit of the ground an offering unto the Lord.—GEN., ch. 4.

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INCREDULITY.

Disciples'. Words seemed to them as idle tales 4394
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Removed. Thomas, reach hither . . . My Lord 4398
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6869. READING, Effective. Law. [See No. 6870.] 3 Ezra opened the book in the sight of all the people . . . and when he opened it, all the people stood up: 4 And Ezra blessed the Lord, the great God. And all the people answered, Amen, Amen, with lifting up their hands: and they bowed their heads, and worshipped the Lord with their faces to the ground.—NEH., ch. 8.

6870. — An instructive. Law. 2 Ezra the priest brought the law before the congregation both of men and women, and all that could hear with understanding. 3 And he read therein . . . from the morning until midday . . . and the ears of all the people were attentive.—NEH., ch. 8.

6871. — Pious. Eunuch. 27 A man of Ethiopia, a eunuch of great authority under Candace queen of the Ethiopians, who had the charge of all her treasure, and had come to Jerusalem for to worship, 28 Was returning, and sitting in his chariot read Esaias the prophet.—ACTS, ch. 8.

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Keeper. By the words of thy lips I have kept me 759
Light. Word is a lamp unto my feet 760
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 " Ezra read therein . . . morning till midday 770
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BOOK.

Blood. Moses . . . sprinkled both the book . . . people 901
Burned Books. Ephesians used curious arts . . . burned 908
Completed. If any . . . add . . . God shall add . . . the p. 902
Christian. Ye are our epistle . . . read of all men 903
Discovered. I have found the book of the law 904
Of God. Forgive . . . and if not blot me . . . thy book 905
Life. Written in the Lamb's book of life 906

BOOKS.

Increase. Of making many . . . there is no end 909
Lost Books. Books of Arnon . . . book of Jasher 910
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Posters. Write them upon the posts of thy house 6269

6872. REASON degraded. By Bondage. 3 The children of Israel said . . . Would to God we had died by the hand of the Lord in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the fleshpots, and when we did eat bread to the full.—EX., ch. 16.

6873. REASONING with Prejudice. Scribes.
 5 When Jesus saw their faith, he said unto the sick of the palsy, Son, thy sins be forgiven thee.
 6 But there were certain of the scribes sitting there, and reasoning in their hearts, 7 Why doth this man thus speak blasphemies? who can forgive sins but God only?—MARK, ch. 2.

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6874. REBELLION, Abominable. Religious.
 15 Saul said . . . the people spared the best of the sheep and of the oxen, to sacrifice unto the Lord. 22 And Samuel said, Hath the Lord as great delight in burnt offerings and sacrifices, as in obeying the voice of the Lord? Behold, to obey is better than sacrifice, and to hearken than the fat of rams. 23 For rebellion is as the sin of witchcraft, and stubbornness is as iniquity and idolatry.—1 SAM., ch. 15.

6875. — The Ingrate's. Absalom. 4 Oh that I were made judge in the land, that every man which hath any suit or cause might come unto me, and I would do him justice! 5 . . . when any man came nigh to him to do him obeisance, he put forth his hand, and took him, and kissed him. 10 But Absalom sent spies throughout all the tribes of Israel, saying, As soon as ye hear the sound of the trumpet, then ye shall say, Absalom reigneth in Hebron.—2 SAM., ch. 15.

6876. — From Ill-government. Ten Tribes.
 4 Thy father made our yoke grievous: now therefore make thou the grievous service of thy father . . . lighter, and we will serve thee. 16 So when all Israel saw that the king hearkened not unto them, the people answered the king, saying, What portion have we in David? . . . to your tents, O Israel: now see to thine own house, David.—1 KINGS, ch. 12. [The kingdom was divided.]

6877. — from Jealousy. Korah. 3 They gathered . . . against Moses and against Aaron, and said . . . Ye take too much upon you, seeing all the

congregation are holy, every one of them, and the Lord is among them : wherefore then lift ye up yourselves above the congregation of the Lord?—NUM., ch. 16.

6878. — Mental. *Aaron.* ²⁴ Aaron shall be gathered unto his people : for he shall not enter into the land which I have given unto the children of Israel, because ye rebelled against my word at the water of Meribah.—NUM., ch. 20.

6879. — The Sinner's. *Parable.* ¹³ He called his ten servants, and delivered them ten pounds, and said unto them, Occupy till I come. ¹⁴ But his citizens hated him, and sent a message after him, saying, We will not have this man to reign over us.—LUKE, ch. 19.

6880. — *Parable.* ²¹ Last of all he sent unto them his son, saying, They will reverence my son. ²⁸ But when the husbandmen saw the son, they said among themselves, This is the heir ; come, let us kill him, and let us seize on his inheritance.—MAT., ch. 21.

6881. — of Tongue. *"Tame."* ¹ Every kind of beasts, and of birds, and of serpents, and of things in the sea, is tamed, and hath been tamed of mankind : ² But the tongue can no man tame ; it is an unruly evil, full of deadly poison.—JAMES, ch. 3.

6882. — Uncontested. *Ten Tribes.* ²³ Judah and Benjamin, and to the remnant of the people, saying, ²⁴ Thus saith the Lord, Ye shall not go up, nor fight against your brethren the children of Israel : return every man to his house ; for this thing is from me. They hearkened. . . and returned.—1 KINGS, ch. 12.

6883. — Disunion by. *Israel.* ¹ There happened to be there a man of Belial, whose name was Sheba. . . he blew a trumpet, and said, We have no part in David. . . every man to his tents, O Israel. ² So every man of Israel went up from after David, and followed Sheba. . . but the men of Judah clave unto their king.—2 SAM., ch. 20.

6884. — of Will. *Jews.* ²¹ O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, thou that killest the prophets, and stonest them which are sent unto thee, how often would I have gathered thy children together, even as a hen gathereth her chickens under her wings, and ye would not!—MAT., ch. 23.

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6886. — a Duty. *Trespass.* ³ If thy brother trespass against thee, rebuke him ; and if he repent, forgive him. ⁴ And if he trespass against thee seven times in a day, and seven times in a day turn again to thee, saying, I repent ; thou shalt forgive him.—LUKE, ch. 17.

6887. — Energetic. *Nehemiah.* ²¹ Shall we then. . . do all this great evil, to transgress against our God in marrying strange wives ? ²⁸ And one of the sons of Joiada. . . was son in law to Sanballat the Horonite : therefore I chased him from me.—NEH., ch. 13.

6888. — better than Flattery. *Proverb.* ²² He that rebuketh a man afterwards shall find more favour than he that flattereth with the tongue.—PROV., ch. 28.

6889. — Insulting. *Ananias.* ¹ Paul, earnestly beholding the council, said, Men and brethren, I have lived in all good conscience before God until this day. ² And the high priest Ananias commanded them. . . to smite him on the mouth.—ACTS, ch. 23.

6890. — Moderation in. *St. Michael.* ⁹ Michael the archangel, when contending with the devil he disputed about the body of Moses, durst not bring against him a railing accusation, but said, The Lord rebuke thee.—JUDG.

6891. — for Rebukers. *Disciples.* ¹³ They brought young children to him, that he should touch them ; and his disciples rebuked those that brought them. ¹⁴ But when Jesus saw it, he was much displeased, and said, . . . Suffer the little children to come unto me.—MARK, ch. 10.

6892. — Significant. *Extortioners.* [Nehemiah said,] ¹³ I shook my lap, and said, So God shake out every man from his house, and from his labour, that performeth not this promise, even thus be he shaken out, and emptied. And all the congregation said, Amen.—NEH., ch. 5.

6893. — Terrible. *Elymas the Sorcerer.* ⁹ Paul, filled with the Holy Ghost, set his eyes on him, ¹⁰ And said, O full of all subtilty and all mischief, thou child of the devil, thou enemy of all righteousness, wilt thou not cease to pervert the right ways of the Lord ? ¹¹ . . . behold, the hand of the Lord is upon thee, and thou shalt be blind.—ACTS, ch. 13.

6894. — Wife's. *Michal.* ¹⁶ As the ark of the Lord came into the city of David, Michal. . . saw king David leaping and dancing before the Lord ; and she despised him in her heart. . . ²⁰ How glorious was the king of Israel to day, who uncovered himself. . . in the eyes of the handmaids of his servants, as one of the vain fellows shamelessly uncovereth himself!—2 SAM., ch. 6.

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6898. — — — Job. ¹² The Lord blessed the latter end of Job more than his beginning : for he had fourteen thousand sheep, and six thousand camels, and a thousand yoke of oxen, and a thousand she asses. ¹³ He had also seven sons and three daughters.—*JOB*, ch. 42.

6899. — — — Joy of. Parable. ⁴ What man of you, having a hundred sheep, if he lose one of them, doth not leave the ninety and nine in the wilderness, and go after that which is lost, until he find it? ⁵ And when he hath found it, he layeth it on his shoulders, rejoicing.—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

6900. — — — Use of. From Sickness. ²⁸ Simon's wife's mother was taken with a great fever... ²⁹ And he stood over her, and rebuked the fever ; and it left her : and immediately she arose and ministered unto them.—*LUKE*, ch. 4.

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6902. — — — in Heaven. *David.* ²³ Now he is dead, wherefore should I fast? can I bring him back again? I shall go to him, but he shall not return to me. ²⁴ And David comforted Bathsheba his wife.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 12.

6903. — — — Without. *Jacob's Sons.* ³ Joseph's ten brethren went down to buy corn in Egypt... ⁸ And Joseph knew his brethren, but they knew not him.—*GEN.*, ch. 42.

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6905. RECONCILIATION, A noble. *With Jacob.* ⁴ Esau ran to meet him, and embraced him, and fell on his neck, and kissed him : and they wept.—*GEN.*, ch. 33.

6906. — — — Strange. *Pilate—Herod.* ¹¹ Herod with his men of war...mocked him, and arrayed him in a gorgeous robe, and sent him again to Pilate. ¹² And the same day Pilate and Herod were made friends together ; for before they were at enmity.—*LUKE*, ch. 23.

6907. — — — before Worship. *Jesus said.* ²² If thou bring thy gift to the altar, and there rememberest that thy brother hath aught against thee ; ²⁴ Leave there thy gift before the altar, and go thy way ; first be reconciled to thy brother, and then come and offer thy gift.—*MAT.*, ch. 5.

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¹ They shall take of the blood, and strike it on the two side posts and on the upper doorpost. ¹²..for a token upon the houses where ye are: and when I see the blood, I will pass over you, and the plague shall not be upon you.—Ex., ch. 12.

6910. — — — — — “Precious.” ¹⁸ Ye know that ye were not redeemed with corruptible things, as silver and gold, from your vain conversation received by tradition from your fathers; ¹⁹ But with the precious blood of Christ, as of a lamb without blemish.—1 PETER, ch. 1.

6911. — — — — — by Power. Israel. ¹ Sang Moses and the children of Israel. I will sing unto the Lord, for he hath triumphed gloriously: the horse and his rider hath he thrown into the sea. ⁴ Pharaoh's chariots and his host hath he cast into the sea: his chosen captains also are drowned in the Red sea.—Ex., ch. 15.

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⁸ Whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things.—PHIL., ch. 4.

6915. — — — — — Painful. Peter. ²² The second time the cock crew. And Peter called to mind the word that Jesus said unto him, Before the cock crow twice, thou shalt deny me thrice. And when he thought thereon, he wept.—MARK, ch. 14.

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made your yoke heavy, and I will add to your yoke: my father also chastised you with whips, but I will chastise you with scorpions.—1 KINGS, ch. 12.

6917. — in Earnest. *Sabbath Observance.* ¹⁹ When the gates of Jerusalem began to be dark before the sabbath, I commanded that the gates should be shut, and charged that they should not be opened till after the sabbath: and some of my servants set I at the gates, that there should no burden be brought in on the sabbath day. ²⁰ So the merchants and sellers of all kind of ware lodged without Jerusalem once or twice.—NEH., ch. 13.

6918. — requested. *Political.* ³ Israel came, and spake unto Rehoboam, saying, ⁴ Thy father made our yoke grievous: now therefore make thou the grievous service of thy father, and his heavy yoke which he put upon us, lighter, and we will serve thee.—1 KINGS, ch. 12.

6919. — or Rebellion. *Ten Tribes.* [See Nos. 6918 and 6916.] ¹⁶ When all Israel saw that the king hearkened not unto them, the people answered the king, saying, What portion have we in David? . . . to your tents, O Israel: now see to thine own house, David.—1 KINGS, ch. 12. [Ten tribes seceded.]

6920. — Thorough. *"Old Bottles."* ²⁷ No man putteth new wine into old bottles; else the new wine will burst the bottles, and be spilled, and the bottles shall perish. ²⁸ But new wine must be put into new bottles; and both are preserved.—LUKE, ch. 5.

6921. REFORMER, A divine. *Jesus.* ¹⁵ When he had made a scourge of small cords, he drove them all out of the temple, and the sheep, and the oxen; and poured out the changers' money, and overthrew the tables; ¹⁶ And said, Take these things hence; make not my Father's house a house of merchandise.—JOHN, ch. 2.

6922. — A great. *Ezra.* ¹⁰ Ye have transgressed, and have taken strange wives, to increase the trespass of Israel. ¹¹ Now therefore make confession unto the Lord . . . and do his pleasure: and separate yourselves from the people of the land, and from the strange wives.—EZRA, ch. 10.

6923. — A royal. *Asa.* ¹² He took away the sodomites out of the land, and removed all the idols that his fathers had made. ¹³ And also Maachah his mother, even her he removed from being queen, because she had made an idol in a grove; and Asa destroyed her idol, and burnt it by the brook Kidron.—1 KINGS, ch. 15.

6924. — A pretended. *Absalom.* ³ Absalom said, See, thy matters are good and right; but there is no man deputed of the king to hear thee. ⁴ . . . Oh that I were made judge in the land, that every man which hath any suit or cause might come unto me, and I would do him justice!—2 SAM., ch. 15.

6925. — A vigorous. *Nehemiah.* ²² Saw I Jews that had married wives of Ashdod, of Ammon, and of Moab: ²⁴ And their children spake half in the speech of Ashdod, and could not speak in the Jews' language, but according to the language of each people. ²⁵ And I contended with them, and cursed them, and smote certain of them, and plucked off their hair, and made

them swear by God, saying, Ye shall not give your daughters unto their sons.—NEH., ch. 13.

6926. REFORMATION with Confession. *Ezra.* ¹ When Ezra had prayed, and . . . confessed, weeping and casting himself down before the house of God, there assembled . . . a very great congregation of men and women and children: for the people wept very sore.—EZRA, ch. 10.

6927. — Covenant for. *Made Oath.* ²⁰ We would not give our daughters unto the people of the land, nor take their daughters for our sons: ²¹ And if the people of the land bring ware or any victuals on the sabbath day to sell, that we would not buy it.—NEH., ch. 10.

6928. — A determined. *Nehemiah.* ¹ I came to Jerusalem, and understood of the evil that Eliashib did for Tobiah, in preparing him a chamber in the courts of the house of God. ⁸ And it grieved me sore: therefore I cast forth all the household stuff of Tobiah out of the chamber.—NEH., ch. 13.

6929. — Failure of. *"Vomit."* ²¹ It had been better for them not to have known the way of righteousness, than, after they have known it, to turn from the holy commandment delivered unto them. ²² But it is happened unto them according to the true proverb, The dog is turned to his own vomit again; and, The sow that was washed to her wallowing in the mire.—2 PETER, ch. 2.

6930. — indispensable. *Israelites.* ¹⁵ When ye spread forth your hands, I will hide mine eyes from you; yea, when ye make many prayers, I will not hear: your hands are full of blood. ¹⁶ Wash ye, make you clean; put away the evil of your doings from before mine eyes; cease to do evil; ¹⁷ Learn to do well; seek judgment, relieve the oppressed, judge the fatherless, plead for the widow.—ISA., ch. 1.

6931. — necessary. *Samuel said.* ²³ God forbid that I should sin against the Lord in ceasing to pray for you: but I will teach you . . . the right way: ²⁴ Only fear the Lord, and serve him in truth with all your heart: for consider how great things he hath done for you. ²⁵ But if ye shall still do wickedly, ye shall be consumed, both ye and your king.—1 SAM., ch. 12.

6932. — A penitential. *Israelites.* ¹⁵ The children of Israel said unto the Lord, We have sinned: do thou unto us whatsoever seemeth good unto thee; deliver us only, we pray thee, this day. ¹⁶ And they put away the strange gods from among them, and served the Lord: and his soul was grieved for the misery of Israel.—JUDGES, ch. 10.

6933. — A real. *King Jehoiada.* ¹⁷ Jehoiada made a covenant between the Lord and the king and the people, that they should be the Lord's people; between the king also and the people. ¹⁸ And all the people of the land went into the house of Baal, and brake it down; his altars and his images brake they in pieces thoroughly, and slew Mattan the priest of Baal before the altars.—2 KINGS, ch. 11.

6934. — with Repentance. *John Baptist.* ⁷ Saw many of the Pharisees and Sadducees come to his baptism, he said unto them, O generation of vipers, who hath warned you to flee from the wrath to come? ⁸ Bring forth therefore fruits meet for repentance.—MAT., ch. 3.

6935. — A radical. *Hezekiah*. ⁴ He removed the high places, and brake the images, and cut down the groves, and brake in pieces the brazen serpent that Moses had made: for unto those days the children of Israel did burn incense to it.—2 KINGS, ch. 18.

6936. — Truth brings. *Josiah*. ³ He read in their ears all the words of the book of the covenant which was found in the house of the Lord. . . . to bring forth out of the temple of the Lord all the vessels that were made for Baal, and for the grove, and for all the host of heaven: and he burned them.—2 KINGS, ch. 23.

6937. — Transient. *Saul*. ¹⁶ When David had made an end of speaking. . . Saul said, *Is this thy voice, my son David.* . . and wept. ¹⁷ And he said to David, *Thou art more righteous than I: for thou hast rewarded me good, whereas I have rewarded thee evil.*—1 SAM., ch. 24.

6938. — wanted. *Not Fasting*. ⁶ *Is not this the fast that I have chosen? to loose the bands of wickedness, to undo the heavy burdens, and to let the oppressed go free, and that ye break every yoke? ⁷ Is it not to deal thy bread to the hungry, and that thou bring the poor that are cast out to thy house? when thou seest the naked, that thou cover him?*—ISA., ch. 58.

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6939. REFRESHMENT for the Weary. *Wilder-ness*. ²¹ They came to Elim, where were twelve wells of water, and threescore and ten palm trees: and they encamped there by the waters.—EX., ch. 15.

6940. REFUGE, The Christian's. *Proverb*.

²⁶ In the fear of the Lord is strong confidence: and his children shall have a place of refuge.—PROV., ch. 14.

6941. — Cities of. *Six*. ² Appoint out for you cities of refuge. . . ³ That the slayer that killeth any person unawares and unwittingly may flee thither.—JOSH., ch. 20.

6942. — Faith's. *David's*. ¹ God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. ² Therefore will not we fear, though the earth be removed, and though the mountains be carried into the midst of the sea; ³ Though the waters thereof roar and be troubled, though the mountains shake with the swelling thereof.—PS., 46.

6943. — — The Lord. ¹⁰ When my father and mother forsake me, then the Lord will take me up.—PS., 27.

6944. — Fleeing for. *Manslayer*. ⁵ When a man goeth into the wood. . . to hew wood, and his hand fetcheth a stroke with the axe to cut down the tree, and the head slippeth from the helve, and lighteth upon his neighbour, that he die: he shall flee unto one of those cities, and live.—DEUT., ch. 19.

6945. — in Prayer. *Prayer*. ¹⁴ Hezekiah received the letter. . . of the messengers, and read it: and Hezekiah went up into the house of the Lord, and spread it before the Lord. ¹⁵ And Hezekiah prayed. . . ²⁶ And. . . that night. . . the angel of the Lord went out, and smote in the camp of the Assyrians a hundred fourscore and five thousand.—2 KINGS, ch. 19.

6946. — Safe. *Tower*. ¹⁰ The name of the Lord is a strong tower: the righteous runneth into it, and is safe.—PROV., ch. 18.

6947. — Sanctuary. *Adonijah*. ²¹ It was told Solomon. . . Adonijah feareth king Solomon: for, lo, he hath caught hold on the horns of the altar, saying, Let king Solomon swear unto me to day that he will not slay his servant. . . ²² And Solomon said, If he will shew himself a worthy man, there shall not a hair of him fall to the earth. . . but if wickedness shall be found in him, he shall die.—1 KINGS, ch. 1.

See SAFETY and references.

6948. REFUSAL, An unwise. *To Canaan*.

¹⁷ Let us pass, I pray thee, through thy country: we will not pass through the fields, or vineyards, neither will we drink of the water of the wells: we will go by the king's high way, we will not turn to the right hand nor to the left. . . ¹⁸ And Edom said. . . Thou shalt not pass by me.—NUM., ch. 20.

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DENIAL.

Considerate. David would not drink thereof	2173
Others. Become a stumblingblock to others	2174
Twofold. Deny me. . . will I also deny	2175
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PROHIBITION.

Blood. Ye shall eat the blood of. . . no flesh	6935
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Acclamation. They were instant with loud voices	6937
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 Jealousy. Samaritans did not receive him... go to J. 6962
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6949. REGALIA, The fatal. Baalites. "Jehu sent... and all the worshippers of Baal came, so that there was not a man left that came not... and the house of Baal was full from one end to another." "And he said unto him that was over the vestry, Bring forth vestments for all the worshippers of Baal..." "Jehu said to the guard and to the captains, Go in, and slay them; let none come forth.—2 KINGS, ch. 10.

6950. REGENERATION, Mystery of. "Wind." "The wind bloweth where it listeth, and thou hearest the sound thereof, but canst not tell whence it cometh, and whither it goeth: so is every one that is born of the Spirit." "Nicodemus answered... How can these things be?—JOHN, ch. 3.

6951. — Necessity of. To Nicodemus. "Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God.—JOHN, ch. 3.

See CONVERSION and references.

6952. REGRETS, Vain. Herod's. "I will that thou give me by and by in a charger the head of John the Baptist." "And the king was exceeding sorry; yet for his oath's sake, and for their sakes which sat with him, he would not reject her.—MARK, ch. 6.

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REMORSE.

Needful. People that came... smote their breasts 7067
 Prevented. Lest swallowed up with overmuch sor. 7068
 Treachery. Judas... went and hanged himself 7069
 See REPENTANCE and GUILT.

6953. REIGN, A short. Seven Days. "The people that were encamped heard say, Zimri hath conspired, and hath also slain the king: wherefore all Israel made Omri, the captain of the host, king over Israel that day in the camp." "And Omri... besieged Tirzah." "And... when Zimri saw that the city was taken... he went into the palace... and burnt the king's house over him with fire.—1 KINGS, ch. 16.

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DOMINION.

Dream. Your sheaves made obeisance to my s. 2499
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Declined. Gideon said, I will not reign 4848
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6954. REJECTED chosen, The. "Stone." "By him doth this man stand here before you whole." "This is the stone which was set at nought of you builders, which is become the head of the corner.—ACTS, ch. 4.

6955. REJECTION of Authority. Diotrephes. "I wrote unto the church: but Diotrephes, who loveth to have the preeminence among them, receiveth us not." "prating against us with malicious words: and not content therewith, neither doth he himself receive the brethren, and forbiddeth them that would, and casteth them out of the church.—3 JOHN.

6956. — Anger at. James and John [See No. 6962.] "When his disciples James and John saw this, they said, Lord, wilt thou that we command fire to come down from heaven, and consume them, even as Elias did?" "But he... rebuked them, and said, Ye know not what manner of spirit ye are of.—LUKE, ch. 9.

6957. — by Acclamation. Jews. "Pilate therefore, willing to release Jesus, spake again to them..." "And they were instant with loud voices, requiring that he might be crucified: and the voices of them and of the chief priests prevailed.—LUKE, ch. 23.

6958. — Conditional. Joseph. "Go again, buy us a little food." "And Judah spake... saying, The man did solemnly protest unto us, saying, Ye shall not see my face, except your brother be with you.—GEN., ch. 43.

6959. — of the Disobedient. Israelites. "The people took of the spoil, sheep and oxen, which should have been utterly destroyed, to sacrifice unto the Lord..." "And Samuel said, Hath the Lord as great delight in burnt offerings and sacrifices, as in obeying the voice of the Lord? Behold, to obey is better than sacrifice, and to hearken than the fat of rams." "For rebellion is as the sin of witchcraft, and stubbornness is as iniquity and idolatry. Because thou hast rejected the word of the Lord, he hath also rejected thee from being king.—1 SAM., ch. 15.

6960. — of God. For a King. "Ye have this day rejected your God, who himself saved you out of all your adversities and your tribulations; and ye have said unto him, Nay, but set a king over us.—1 SAM., ch. 10.

6961. — Punished. "Ahaziah fell down through a lattice in his upper chamber that was in Samaria, and was sick: and he sent messengers, and said... Go, inquire of Baal-zebub the god of Ekron whether I shall recover..." "thus saith the Lord, Thou shalt not come down from that bed... but shalt surely die.—2 KINGS, ch. 1.

6962. — from Jealousy. Samaritans. "Sent messengers before his face: and they went... into a village of the Samaritans, to make ready for him." "And they did not receive him, because his

face was as though he would go to Jerusalem.—**LUKE**, ch. 9.

6963. — of Minister. *Hebrew.* ²⁷ He that did his neighbour wrong thrust him away, saying, Who made thee a ruler and a judge over us? ²⁸ Wilt thou kill me, as thou didst the Egyptian yesterday? ²⁹ Then fled Moses. . . in the land of Madian.—**ACTS**, ch. 7.

6964. — *Rebellious. Parable.* ³¹ Last of all he sent. . . his son, saying, They will reverence my son. ³² But when the husbandmen saw the son, they said among themselves, This is the heir; come, let us kill him, and let us seize on his inheritance.—**MAT.**, ch. 21.

6965. — *Sin of. Of Christ.* ¹⁶ God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life. . . ¹⁸ He that believeth on him is not condemned: but he that believeth not is condemned already, because he hath not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God.—**JOHN**, ch. 3.

6966. — *Treason in. Korah.* ²⁸ Moses said, Hereby ye shall know that the Lord hath sent me to do all these works; for I have not done them of mine own mind. . . ³³ They, and all that appertained to them, went down alive into the pit, and the earth closed upon them.—**NUM.**, ch. 16.

6967. — *Worldly. Gadarenes.* ¹⁶ They that saw it told them how it befell to him that was possessed with the devil, and also concerning the swine. ¹⁷ And they began to pray him to depart out of their coasts.—**MARK**, ch. 5.

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REBELLION.

Abominable. Rebellion is as the sin of witchcraft 6874
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Spirit. My Spirit shall not always strive 7199
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6968. REJOICING, Communion brings. David. ⁶ This poor man cried, and the Lord heard him, and saved him out of all his troubles. ⁸ O taste and see that the Lord is good: blessed is the man that trusteth in him.—**PS.** 34.

6969. — *Conversion brings. Samaria.* ¹ Philip went down to the city of Samaria, and preached Christ unto them. ⁶ And the people with one accord gave heed. . . ⁸ And there was great joy in that city.—**ACTS**, ch. 8.

6970. — *Conscience gives. Paul.* ¹² Our rejoicing is this, the testimony of our conscience, that in simplicity and godly sincerity, not with fleshly wisdom, but by the grace of God, we have had our conversation in the world.—**2 COR.**, ch. 1.

6971. — *A Convert's. Jailer.* ²³ He took them the same hour of the night, and washed their stripes; and was baptized, he and all his, straightway. ³⁴ And when he had brought them into his house, he set meat before them, and rejoiced, believing in God with all his house.—**ACTS**, ch. 16.

6972. — — *David.* ¹ I waited patiently for the Lord; and he inclined unto me, and heard my cry. ² He brought me up also out of an horrible pit, out of the miry clay, and set my feet upon a rock, and established my goings. ³ And he hath put a new song in my mouth, even praise unto our God.—**PS.** 40.

6973. — — *Eunuch.* ²⁸ He commanded the chariot to stand still; and they went down both into the water, both Philip and the eunuch; and he baptized him. ³⁰ . . . the eunuch saw him no more: and he went on his way rejoicing.—**ACTS**, ch. 8.

6974. — *a Duty. The Law.* ¹¹ Thou shalt rejoice in every good thing which the Lord thy God hath given unto thee, and unto thine house, thou, and the Levite, and the stranger that is among you.—**DEUT.**, ch. 26.

6975. — *for Deliverance. Israelites at Red Sea.* ¹ Then sang Moses and the children of Israel. . . I will sing unto the Lord, for he hath triumphed gloriously: the horse and his rider hath he thrown into the sea. ² The Lord is my strength and song, and he is become my salvation.—**EX.**, ch. 15.

6976. — — *Haman overthrown.* ¹⁶ The Jews had light, and gladness, and joy, and honour. ¹⁷ And in every province, and in every city, whithersoever the king's commandment and his decree came, the Jews had joy and gladness, a feast and a good day.—**ESTHER**, ch. 8.

6977. — *in God. In Adversity.* ¹⁷ Although the fig tree shall not blossom, neither shall fruit be in the vines; the labour of the olive shall fail, and the fields shall yield no meat; the flock shall be cut off from the fold, and there shall be no herd in the stalls: ¹⁸ Yet I will rejoice in the Lord, I will joy in the God of my salvation. ¹⁹ The Lord God is my strength, and he will make my feet like hinds' feet, and he will make me to walk upon mine high places.—**HAB.**, ch. 3.

6978. — *A great. King Jesus.* ²⁷ When he was. . . at the descent of the mount of Olives, the whole multitude of the disciples began to rejoice and praise God with a loud voice for all the mighty works that they had seen; ²⁸ Saying, Blessed be the King that cometh in the name of the Lord: peace in heaven, and glory in the highest.—**LUKE**, ch. 19.

6979. — *in Gifts. For Temple.* ⁹ Then the people rejoiced, for that they offered willingly, because with perfect heart they offered willingly to the Lord: and David the king also rejoiced with great joy.—**1 CHRON.**, ch. 29.

6980. — *Heavenly. In Zion.* ¹⁰ The ransomed of the Lord shall return, and come to Zion with songs and everlasting joy upon their heads: they shall obtain joy and gladness, and sorrow and sighing shall flee away.—**ISA.**, ch. 35.

6981. — *in Prison. Paul and Silas.* ²⁴ Thrust them into the inner prison, and made their feet fast in the stocks. ²⁵ And at midnight Paul and Silas prayed, and sang praises unto

God : and the prisoners heard them.—*ACTS*, ch. 16.

6982. — *in Persecutions.* *Peter and John.* "When they had called the apostles, and beaten them, they commanded that they should not speak in the name of Jesus, and let them go. "And they departed not from the presence of the council, rejoicing that they were counted worthy to suffer shame for his name.—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

6983. — *Premature.* *Amalekites.* "They were spread abroad, eating and drinking, and dancing, because of all the great spoil that they had taken out of the land of the Philistines, and of Judah. "And David smote them from the twilight even unto the evening of the next day : and there escaped not a man of them, save four hundred young men, which rode upon camels.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 30.

6984. — *Religious.* *David.* "David danced, before the Lord with all his might ; and David was girded with a linen ephod. "So David brought up the ark of the Lord with shouting, and with the sound of the trumpet.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 6.

6985. — *in Reproach.* *Christian.* "Blessed are ye, when men shall hate you, and when they shall separate you from their company, and shall reproach you, and cast out your name as evil, for the Son of man's sake. "Rejoice ye in that day, and leap for joy : for, behold, your reward is great in heaven.—*LUKE*, ch. 7.

6986. — *in Tribulation.* *Paul.* "I am filled with comfort, I am exceeding joyful in all our tribulation. "For, when we were come into Macedonia, our flesh had no rest, but we were troubled on every side ; without were fightings, within were fears. "Nevertheless God, that comforteth those that are cast down, comforted us by the coming of Titus.—*2 COR.*, ch. 7.

6987. — *in Temptation.* *Christians.* "My brethren, count it all joy when ye fall into divers temptations ; "Knowing this, that the trying of your faith worketh patience. "But let patience have her perfect work, that ye may be perfect and entire, wanting nothing.—*JAMES*, ch. 1.

6988. — *of Victors.* *Philistines.* "When the people saw him, they praised their god : for they said, Our god hath delivered into our hands our enemy, and the destroyer of our country, which slew many of us. "And, when their hearts were merry, they said, Call for Samson, that he may make us sport.—*JUDGES*, ch. 16.

See JOY and references.

6989. RELAPSE, Spiritual. *Unclean Spirit.* "He saith, I will return into my house from whence I came out ; and when he is come, he findeth it empty, swept, and garnished. "Then goeth he, and taketh with himself seven other spirits more wicked than himself, and they enter in and dwell there : and the last state of that man is worse than the first.—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

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Character. If again entangled, latter end is worse 1119

" Taketh seven other spirits more wicked 1112

" Sow returned to her wallowing in the 1120

See BACKSLIDING and references.

6990. RELATIVE, Claims of a. *Abimelech.* "Whether is better for you, either that all the sons of Jerubbaal, which are threescore and ten

persons, reign over you, or that one reign over you ? remember also that I am your bone and your flesh. "all the men of Shechem, their hearts inclined to follow Abimelech ; for they said, He is our brother.—*JUDGES*, ch. 9.

6991. RELATIVES, Fear of. *Gideon.* "Take thy father's young bullock and throw down the altar of Baal that thy father hath, and cut down the grove that is by it : "And build an altar unto the Lord. "Then Gideon took ten men, and so it was, because he feared his father's household, and the men of the city, that he could not do it by day, that he did it by night.—*JUDGES*, ch. 6.

6992. — *Hinderance of.* *Disciple.* "Follow me, But he said, Lord, suffer me first to go and bury my father. "Jesus said, Let the dead bury their dead ; but go thou and preach the kingdom of God.—*LUKE*, ch. 9.

6993. — *Interference of.* *Moses.* "Miriam and Aaron spake against Moses because of the Ethiopian woman whom he had married.—*NUM.*, ch. 12.

6994. — *Jesus.* "The multitude cometh together again, so that they could not so much as eat bread. "And when his friends heard of it, they went out to lay hold on him : for they said, He is beside himself.—*MARK*, ch. 3.

6995. — *The Lord's.* "Whosoever." "His mother and his brethren stood without, desiring to speak with him. "And he stretched forth his hand toward his disciples, and said, Behold my mother and my brethren ! "For whosoever shall do the will of my Father, the same is my brother, and sister, and mother.—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

6996. — *Persecution from.* *Prediction.* "Now the brother shall betray the brother to death, and the father the son ; and children shall rise up against their parents, and shall cause them to be put to death, but he that shall endure unto the end, the same shall be saved.—*MARK*, ch. 13.

6997. — *Saved by.* *Apostles.* "One of the two which heard John speak, was Andrew. "He first findeth his own brother Simon and saith unto him, We have found the Messias, which is, being interpreted, the Christ. "And he brought him to Jesus.—*JOHN*, ch. 1.

See other illustrations under :

UNCLE.

Gracious. Abram said unto Lot, no strife 9081

" Laban, kissed him, to his house 9082

Respected. Esther did the commandment of Mor. 9083

Helpful. Mordecai brought up Esther his uncle's d. 105

Posterity desired. I go childless, and the steward 6290

See FAMILY and references.

6998. RELIC, Worship of. *Hesekiah.* "He removed the high places, and brake the images, and cut down the groves, and brake in pieces the brazen serpent that Moses had made : for unto those days the children of Israel did burn incense to it.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 18.

6999. RELIGION, Approximating. *Scribe.* "To love him with all the heart, and with all the understanding, and with all the soul, and with all the strength, and to love his neighbour as himself, is more than all whole burnt offerings and sacrifices. "Jesus said unto him,

Thou art not far from the kingdom.—**MARK**, ch. 12.

7000. — of Appearances. "*Show.*" ⁴⁶ Beware of the scribes, which desire to walk in long robes, and love greetings in the markets, and the highest seats in the synagogues, and the chief rooms at feasts; ⁴⁷ Which devour widows' houses, and for a shew make long prayers: the same shall receive greater damnation.—**LUKE**, ch. 20.

7001. — Blessings of. *Proverbs.* ¹² Happy is the man that findeth wisdom, and the man that getteth understanding: ¹⁴ For the merchandise of it is better than the merchandise of silver, and the gain thereof than fine gold. ¹⁵ She is more precious than rubies.—**PROV.**, ch. 3. [See chapter.]

7002. — for Children. *Law.* ⁹ Keep thy soul diligently, lest thou forget the things which thine eyes have seen, and lest they depart from thy heart all the days of thy life: but teach them thy sons, and thy sons' sons.—**DEUT.**, ch. 4.

7003. — the first Concern. *Jesus said,* ²² Seek not ye what ye shall eat, or what ye shall drink, neither be ye of doubtful mind. ³⁰ .your Father knoweth that ye have need of these things. ³¹ But rather seek ye the kingdom of God, and all these things shall be added unto you.—**LUKE**, ch. 12.

7004. — Deceit in. *Pharisees* ¹⁶ Took counsel how they might entangle him in his talk. ¹⁶ And they sent .their disciples with the Herodians, saying, Master, we know that thou art true, and teachest the way of God in truth, neither carest thou for any man.—**MAT.**, ch. 22.

7005. — Corrupted. *For the Calf.* ⁵ Aaron made proclamation, and said, To morrow is a feast to the Lord. ⁶ And they .offered burnt offerings, and brought peace offerings; and the people sat down to eat and to drink, and rose up to play.—**EX.**, ch. 32.

7006. — Caste in. *Ethiopian.* ¹ Miriam and Aaron spake against Moses because of the Ethiopian woman whom he had married.—**NUM.**, ch. 12. [Miriam became a leper.]

7007. — Conceit in. *Young Ruler.* ³⁰ The young man saith, .all these things have I kept from my youth up: what lack I yet?—**MAT.**, ch. 19.

7008. — Contempt for. *Athenians.* ¹⁸ Certain philosophers of the Epicureans, and of the Stoics, encountered him. And some said, What will this babbler say? other some, He seemeth to be a setter forth of strange gods: because he preached unto them Jesus, and the resurrection.—**ACTS**, ch. 17.

7009. — Contrasted. *Light—Darkness.* ¹⁶ The path of the just is as the shining light, that shineth more and more unto the perfect day. ¹⁹ The way of the wicked is as darkness: they know not at what they stumble.—**PROV.**, ch. 4.

7010. — Deliberation in. *Tower.* ²⁷ Whosoever doth not bear his cross, and come after me, cannot be my disciple. ²⁸ For which of you, intending to build a tower, sitteth not down first, and counteth the cost, whether he have sufficient to finish it? ²⁹ Lest haply, after he hath laid the foundation, and is not able to fin-

ish it, all that behold it begin to mock him.—**LUKE**, ch. 14.

7011. — Disgraced. *Eli's Sons.* ¹⁶ If any man said, .Let them not fail to burn the fat presently, and then take as much as thy soul desireth; then he would answer him, *Nay*; but thou shalt give it me now: and if not, I will take it by force. ¹⁷ Wherefore the sin of the young men was very great, .for men abhorred the offering of the Lord.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 2.

7012. — a Cloak. *Absalom.* ⁸ Thy servant vowed a vow while I abode at Geshur in Syria, saying, If the Lord shall bring me again indeed to Jerusalem, then I will serve the Lord. ⁹ And the king said, .Go in peace. So he .went to Hebron. ¹⁰ But Absalom sent spies throughout all the tribes of Israel, saying, .ye shall say, Absalom reigneth in Hebron.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 15.

7013. — Destitution of. *Reign of Asa.* ³ For a long season Israel hath been without the true God, and without a teaching priest, and without law. ⁴ But when they in their trouble did turn unto the Lord God of Israel, and sought him, he was found of them.—**2 CHRON.**, ch. 15.

7014. — despised. *Jews.* ⁷ Ye offer polluted bread upon mine altar; and ye say, Wherein have we polluted thee? In that ye say, The table of the Lord is contemptible. ⁸ And if ye offer the blind for sacrifice, is it not evil? and if ye offer the lame and sick, is it not evil? offer it now unto thy governor; will he be pleased with thee?—**MAL.**, ch. 1.

7015. — of Externals. *Platter.* ²⁸ He marvelled that he had not first washed before dinner. ²⁹ And the Lord said, .Now do ye Pharisees make clean the outside of the cup and the platter; but your inward part is full of ravening and wickedness.—**LUKE**, ch. 11.

7016. — made easy. *New Kingdom.* [See No. 7040.] ²⁰ Jeroboam said unto them, It is too much for you to go up to Jerusalem.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 12.

7017. — ennobling. *Crown.* ⁷ Wisdom is the principal thing; .therefore get wisdom. ⁸ Exalt her, and she shall promote thee: she shall bring thee to honour, when thou dost embrace her. ⁹ She shall give to thine head an ornament of grace: a crown of glory shall she deliver to thee.—**PROV.**, ch. 4.

7018. — Enthusiasm in. *David.* ¹⁴ David danced before the Lord with all his might; and David was girded with a linen ephod. ¹⁵ So .all the house of Israel brought up the ark of the Lord with shouting, and with the sound of the trumpet.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 6.

7019. — Excitement in. *At Capernaum.* ²⁰ The multitude cometh together again, so that they could not so much as eat bread. ²¹ And when his friends heard of it, they went out to lay hold on him: for they said, He is beside himself.—**MARK**, ch. 3.

7020. — Family. *Isaac.* ²³ He builded an altar there, and called upon the name of the Lord, and pitched his tent there: and there Isaac's servants digged a well.—**GEN.**, ch. 26.

7021. — — *Job.* ⁵ When the days of their feasting were gone, Job sent and sanctified them, and rose up early in the morning,

and offered burnt offerings according to the number of them all: for Job said, It may be that my sons have sinned. . . Thus did Job continually.—Job, ch. 1.

7022. — The First for. "*Firstborn.*"

¹¹ It shall be when the Lord shall bring thee into the land of the Canaanites. . . ¹² That thou shalt set apart unto the Lord. . . every firstling that cometh of a beast which thou hast; the male shall be the Lord's. . . ¹⁴ . . . and all the first-born of man among thy children shalt thou redeem.—Ex., ch. 13.

7023. — — *First Fruits.* ³ Thou shalt take of the first of all the fruit of the earth. . . and shall put it in a basket, and shalt go unto the place which the Lord thy God shall choose to place his name there. ³ . . . And thou shalt set it before the Lord thy God.—Deut., ch. 26.

7024. — Fickleness in. *At Lystra.* ¹¹ The gods are come down to us in the likeness of men. ¹² And they called Barnabas, Jupiter; and Paul, Mercurius, because he was the chief speaker. ¹³ Then the priest of Jupiter. . . brought oxen and garlands unto the gates, and would have done sacrifice with the people. . . ¹⁹ . . . certain Jews from Antioch and Iconium, who persuaded the people, and, having stoned Paul, drew him out of the city, supposing he had been dead.—Acts, ch. 14.

7025. — Folly in. *Vows.* ⁴ When thou vowest a vow unto God, defer not to pay it; for he hath no pleasure in fools: pay that which thou hast vowed. ⁵ Better is it that thou shouldst not vow, than that thou shouldst vow and not pay.—Eccl., ch. 5.

7026. — Hypocrisy in. *Jacob.* ³⁰ Isaac said unto his son, How is it that thou hast found it so quickly, my son? And he said, Because the Lord thy God brought it to me.—Gen., ch. 27.

7027. — Hindered. *Excuse.* ¹⁸ They all with one consent began to make excuse. The first said, I have bought a piece of ground, and I must needs go and see it. . . ¹⁹ And another said, I have bought five yoke of oxen, and I go to prove them. . . ²⁰ And another said, I have married.—Luke, ch. 14.

7028. — Hidden. *Peter.* ⁶¹ When she saw Peter warming himself, she looked upon him, and said, And thou also wast with Jesus of Nazareth.—Mark, ch. 14.

7029. — in the Home. *Proverb.* ¹ Better is a dry morsel, and quietness therewith, than an house full of sacrifices with strife.—Prov., ch. 17.

7030. — Invitation of. "*Come.*" ²⁹ Moses said unto Hobab, Moses' father in law, We are journeying unto the place of which the Lord said, I will give it you: come thou with us, and we will do thee good: for the Lord hath spoken good concerning Israel.—Num., ch. 10.

7031. — — "*Bride saith, Come.*" ¹¹ The Spirit and the bride say, Come. And let him that heareth say, Come. And let him that is athirst come. And whosoever will, let him take the water of life freely.—Rev., ch. 22.

7032. — Joyous. *Three Thousand.* ⁴⁶ They, continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, did

eat their meat with gladness and singleness of heart, ⁴⁷ Praising God, and having favour with all the people. And the Lord added to the church daily such as should be saved.—Acts, ch. 2.

7033. — The chief Joy. *Captives.* ⁵ If I forget thee, O Jerusalem, let my right hand forget her cunning. ⁶ If I do not remember thee, let my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth; if I prefer not Jerusalem above my chief joy.—Ps. 137.

7034. — — *Registered.* ¹⁹ I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy: and nothing shall by any means hurt you. ²⁰ Notwithstanding in this rejoice not, that the spirits are subject unto you; but rather rejoice, because your names are written in heaven.—Luke, ch. 10.

7035. — A liberal. *Samaritan's.* ²² Every nation made gods of their own, and put them in the houses of the high places which the Samaritans had made. . . in their cities wherein they dwelt.—2 Kings, ch. 17.

7036. — a Life. "*Born.*" ⁶ That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. ⁷ Marvel not that I said unto thee, Ye must be born again.—John, ch. 3.

7037. — Life in. *Proverb.* ²⁰ My son, attend to my words; incline thine ear unto my sayings. ²¹ Let them not depart from thine eyes; keep them in the midst of thine heart. ²² For they are life unto those that find them, and health to all their flesh.—Prov., ch. 4.

7038. — Lukewarmness in. *Laodiceans.* ¹⁸ I know thy works, that thou art neither cold nor hot: I would thou wert cold or hot. ¹⁶ So then, because thou art lukewarm, and neither cold nor hot, I will spew thee out of my mouth.—Rev., ch. 3.

7039. — Less in. *No Vision.* ¹ The child Samuel ministered unto the Lord before Eli. And the word of the Lord was precious in those days; there was no open vision.—1 Sam., ch. 3.

7040. — A mercenary. "*Loaves.*" ²⁶ Ye seek me, not because ye saw the miracles, but because ye did eat of the loaves, and were filled.—John, ch. 6.

7041. — necessary. *For the State.* ²⁶ Jeroboam said in his heart. . . ²⁷ If this people go up to do sacrifice in the house of the Lord at Jerusalem, then shall the heart of this people turn again unto Rehoboam king of Judah, and they shall kill me. . . ²⁸ Whereupon the king made two calves of gold. ²⁹ And he set the one in Beth-el, and the other. . . in Dan.—1 Kings, ch. 12.

7042. — for every Place. *In Canaan.* ¹ The Lord appeared unto Abram, and said, Unto thy seed will I give this land: and there builded he an altar unto the Lord, who appeared unto him.—Gen., ch. 12.

7043. — Pleasurable. *Proverb.* ¹⁶ Length of days is in her right hand; and in her left hand riches and honour. ¹⁷ Her ways are ways of pleasantness, and all her paths are peace. ¹⁸ She is a tree of life to them that lay hold upon her: and happy is every one that retaineth her.—Prov., ch. 3.

7044. — Price of. "*Selleth All.*" "The kingdom of heaven is like unto treasure hid in a field; the which when a man hath found he hideth, and for joy thereof goeth and selleth all that he hath, and buyeth that field.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

7045. — a Pearl. "*Great Price.*" "The kingdom of heaven is like unto a merchantman, seeking goodly pearls: "Who, when he had found one pearl of great price, went and sold all that he had, and bought it.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

7046. — Practical. *Parable.* "A certain man had two sons; and he came to the first, and said, Son, go work to day in my vineyard. "He answered. I will not; but afterward he repented, and went. "the second. said, I go, sir; and went not. "Whether of them twain did the will of his father? They say unto him, The first.—*MAT.*, ch. 21.

7047. — a Pretext. *Silversmiths.* "Not only this our craft is in danger to be set at naught; but also that the temple of the great goddess Diana should be despised, and her magnificence should be destroyed. "And they were full of wrath, and cried out. Great is Diana of the Ephesians.—*ACTS*, ch. 19.

7048. — Pure. "*Unspotted.*" "Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this, To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction, and to keep himself unspotted from the world.—*JAMES*, ch. 1.

7049. — of Robbers. *Danites.* "They said. Hold thy peace, lay thine hand upon thy mouth, and go with us, and be to us a father and a priest: is it better for thee to be a priest unto the house of one man, or that thou be a priest unto a tribe. in Israel? "And the priest's heart was glad, and he. went in the midst of the people. "So they turned and departed, and put [stolen] little ones and the cattle and the carriage before them.—*JUDGES*, ch. 18.

7050. — of Self-denial. "*Strait Gate.*" "Enter ye in at the strait gate: for wide is the gate, and broad is the way, that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereat: "Because strait is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it.—*MAT.*, ch. 7.

7051. — Selfishness in. *Eli's Sons.* "I give unto the house of thy father all the offerings made by fire of the children of Israel? "Wherefore kick ye at my sacrifice and at mine offering. and honourest thy sons above me, to make yourselves fat with the chiefest of all the offerings of Israel my people?—*1 SAM.*, ch. 2.

7052. — Security by. *Proverb.* "Then shalt thou walk in thy way safely, and thy foot shall not stumble. "When thou liest down, thou shalt not be afraid: yea, thou shalt lie down, and thy sleep shall be sweet. "Be not afraid of sudden fear, neither of the desolation of the wicked.—*PROV.*, ch. 3.

7053. — Transient. "*No Root.*" "These are they likewise which are sown on stony ground; who, when they have heard the word, immediately receive it with gladness; "And have no root in themselves, and so endure but for a time: afterward, when affliction or persecution ariseth for the word's sake, immediately they are offended.—*MAT.*, ch. 4.

7054. — A vain. *Unruly.* "If any man among you seem to be religious, and brideth not his tongue, but deceiveth his own heart, this man's religion is vain.—*JAMES*, ch. 1.

7055. — Welfare in. *Isaac's.* "Isaac sowed in that land, and received in the same year an hundredfold: and the Lord blessed him. "For he had possession of flocks, and possession of herds, and great store of servants: and the Philistines envied him.—*GEN.*, ch. 26.

7056. — Worldliness in. *Ahaz.* "King Ahaz went to Damascus to meet Tiglath-pileser king of Assyria, and saw an altar. and sent to Urijah the priest the fashion of the altar, and the pattern of it. "And Urijah. built an altar according to all that king Ahaz had sent.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 16.

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7058. REMEDY, An improbable. "*Clay.*" ⁶ He spat on the ground, and made clay of the spittle, and he anointed the eyes of the blind man with the clay, ⁷ And said, Go wash in the pool of Siloam. He went his way therefore, and washed, and came seeing.—*JOHN*, ch. 9.

7059. — for Sin. *Look.* ¹⁴ Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the Son of man be lifted up: ¹⁵ That whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have eternal life.—*JOHN*, ch. 3.

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¹⁶ They that feared the Lord spake often one to another: and the Lord hearkened, and heard it, and a book of remembrance was written before him for them that feared the Lord, and that thought upon his name. ¹⁷ And they shall be mine, saith the Lord of hosts, in that day when I make up my jewels.—*MAL.*, ch. 3.

7061. — A late. *Of Joseph.* ⁹ Spake the chief butler unto Pharaoh, saying, I do remember my faults this day. ¹² *there was.*..a Hebrew, servant..and we told him, and he interpreted to us our dreams. ¹³ And..as he interpreted to us, so it was; me he restored unto mine office, and him he hanged.—*GEN.*, ch. 41. [He had promised to remember him.]

7062. — perpetuated. *Eucharist.* ¹⁹ He took bread, and gave thanks, and brake it, and gave unto them, saying, This is my body which is given for you: this do in remembrance of me.—*LUKE*, ch. 22.

7063. — A painful. *Peter.* ²¹ He began to curse and to swear, saying, I know not this man of whom ye speak. ²² And the second time the cock crew. And Peter called to mind the word that Jesus said unto him, Before the cock crow twice, thou shalt deny me thrice. And when he thought thereon, he wept.—*MARK*, ch. 14.

7064. — Stimulated. *Paul.* ⁵ I call to remembrance the unfeigned faith that is in thee, which dwelt first in thy grandmother Lois, and thy mother Eunice; and I am persuaded that in thee also. ⁶ Wherefore I put thee in remembrance, that thou stir up the gift of God, which is in thee.—*2 TIM.*, ch. 1.

7065. — of Sins. *Israel.* ¹ Remember, and forget not, how thou provokedst the Lord thy God to wrath in the wilderness: from the day that thou didst depart out of the land of Egypt, until ye came unto this place, ye have been rebellious against the Lord.—*DEUT.*, ch. 9.

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7066. REMNANT saved. *Little.* ¹³ Thus saith the Lord; As the shepherd taketh out of the mouth of the lion two legs, or a piece of an ear; so shall the children of Israel be taken out that dwell in Samaria in the corner of a bed, and in Damascus in a couch.—*AMOS*, ch. 3.

7067. REMORSE, Fitting. *Crucifixion.* ⁴¹ When the centurion saw what was done, he glorified God, saying, Certainly this was a righteous man. ⁴² And all the people that came together to that sight, beholding the things which were done, smote their breasts, and returned.—*LUKE*, ch. 23.

7068. — prevented. *The Erring.* ⁵ If any have caused grief.. ⁶ Sufficient to such a man is

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7069. — for Treachery. *Judas.* "I have sinned in that I have betrayed the innocent blood. And they said, What is *that* to us? see thou *to that*. "And he cast down the pieces of silver in the temple, and departed, and went and hanged himself.—MAT., ch. 27.

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7075. — — *Pentecost.* "Men and brethren, what shall we do? "Then Peter said. . . Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost.—ACTS, ch. 2.

7076. — acceptable. "*Repented and went.*"
 "But what think ye? A certain man had two sons; and he came to the first, and said, Son, go work to day in my vineyard. "He answered and said, I will not; but afterward he repented, and went.—MAT., ch. 21.

7077. — in Adversity. *Moses said,* "When thou art in tribulation. . . if thou turn to the Lord thy God, and shalt be obedient unto his voice; " (For the Lord thy God is a merciful God;) he will not forsake thee, neither destroy thee, nor forget the covenant of thy fathers, which he swore unto them.—DEUT., ch. 4.

7078. — — "*Distressed.*" "The children of Ammon passed over Jordan to fight also against Judah, and. . . Benjamin, and. . . Ephraim; so that Israel was sore distressed. "And the children of Israel cried unto the Lord, saying, We have sinned against thee, both because we have forsaken our God, and also served Baalim.—JUDGES, ch. 10.

7079. — — *Saul.* "God hath delivered thy enemy into thy hand this day: now therefore let me smite him, I pray thee, with the spear even to the earth at once, and I will not smite him the second time. "And David said to Abishai, Destroy him not. "Then said Saul, I have sinned: return, my son David; for I will no more do thee harm, because my soul was precious in thine eyes this day: behold, I have played the fool, and have erred exceedingly.—1 SAM., ch. 26.

7080. — in Affliction. *Egyptians.* "Be-gone; and bless me also. "And the Egyptians were urgent upon the people, that they might send them out of the land in haste; for they said, We be all dead men.—EX., ch. 12.

7081. — Call. to. *Jesus.* "When Jesus had heard that John was cast into prison, he departed into Galilee; " . . . and dwelt in Capernaum. "From that time Jesus began to preach, and to say, Repent: for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.—MAT., ch. 4.

7082. — — *Dives in Torment.* "I pray thee therefore, Father, that thou wouldest send Lazarus to my father's house. "And he said. . . If they hear not Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded, though one rose from the dead.—LUKE, ch. 16.

7083. — Change of. *Jailer.* "They spake unto him the word of the Lord. . . "And he took them the same hour of the night, and washed their stripes; and was baptized, he and all his, straightway.—ACTS, ch. 16.

7084. — for Coldness. *Ephesians.* "I have somewhat against thee, because thou hast left thy first love. "Remember therefore from whence thou art fallen, and repent, and do the

first works ; or else I will . . . remove thy candlestick out of his place.—REV., ch. 2.

7085. — *Delay for. Fig Tree.* ¹ These three years I come seeking fruit on this fig tree, and find none : cut it down ; why cumbereth it the ground ? ² And he . . . said . . . Lord, let it alone this year also, till I shall dig about it, and dung it : ³ And if it bear fruit, well : and if not, then after that thou shalt cut it down.—LUKE, ch. 10.

7086. — *Effectual. Deliverance came.* ¹ Cease not to cry unto the Lord our God for us, that he will save us out of the hand of the Philistines. ² And Samuel took a sucking lamb, and offered it for a burnt offering wholly unto the Lord : and Samuel cried unto the Lord for Israel ; and the Lord heard him.—1 SAM., ch. 7.

7087. — *Effects of. Corinthians.* ¹¹ Behold this selfsame thing, that ye sorrowed after a godly sort, what carefulness it wrought in you, yea, what clearing of yourselves, yea, what indignation, yea, what fear, yea, what vehement desire, yea, what zeal, yea, what revenge !—2 COR., ch. 7.

7088. — *Encouragement to.* ¹ " I will return." ² Return unto me, and I will return unto you, saith the Lord of hosts. But ye said, Wherein shall we return ? ¹⁰ Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be meat in mine house, and prove me now.—MAL., ch. 3.

7089. — *Fruits of. Books burned.* ¹² Many that believed came, and confessed, and shewed their deeds. ¹⁹ Many . . . which used curious arts brought their books together, and burned them before all men : and they counted the price of them, and found it fifty thousand pieces of silver.—ACTS, ch. 19.

7090. — *Feeling. Revival.* ⁹ All the men of Judah and Benjamin gathered . . . unto Jerusalem within three days . . . and all the people sat in the street of the house of God, trembling because of this matter, and for the great rain.—EZRA, ch. 10.

7091. — *through Fear. Pharaoh.* ²⁷ Pharaoh sent, and called for Moses and Aaron, and said . . . I have sinned this time : the Lord is righteous, and I and my people are wicked. ²⁸ Entreat the Lord (for it is enough) that there be no more mighty thunderings and hail ; and I will let you go.—EX., ch. 9.

7092. — *the Gate. Strait.* ¹³ Enter ye in at the strait gate : for wide is the gate, and broad is the way, that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereat : ¹⁴ Because strait is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it.—MAT., ch. 7.

7093. — *A hearty. Backsliders.* ²⁸ There ye shall serve gods, the work of men's hands, wood and stone, which neither see, nor hear, nor eat, nor smell. ²⁹ But if from thence thou shalt seek the Lord thy God, thou shalt find him, if thou seek him with all thy heart.—DEUT., ch. 4.

7094. — *Invitation to. Zion.* ¹² Turn ye even to me with all your heart, and with fasting, and with weeping, and with mourning : ¹³ And rend your heart, and not your garments, and turn unto the Lord your God : for he is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and of great kind-

ness, and repenteth him of the evil.—JER., ch. 2.

7095. — *from a Look. Peter.* ⁶¹ The Lord turned, and looked upon Peter. And Peter remembered the word of the Lord, how he had said unto him, Before the cock crow, thou shalt deny me thrice. ⁶² And Peter went out, and wept bitterly.—LUKE, ch. 22.

7096. — *Late. Thief.* ⁴⁰ The other . . . rebuked him, saying, Dost not thou fear God, seeing thou art in the same condemnation ? ⁴¹ And we indeed justly ; for we receive the due reward of our deeds : but this man hath done nothing amiss. ⁴² And he said unto Jesus, Lord, remember me when thou comest into thy kingdom.—LUKE, ch. 23.

7097. — *Life by. To Israel.* ¹⁴ When I say unto the wicked, Thou shalt surely die ; if he turn from his sin, and do that which is lawful and right ; ¹⁵ If the wicked restore the pledge, give again that he had robbed, walk in the statutes of life, without committing iniquity ; he shall surely live, he shall not die.—EZEK., ch. 33.

7098. — *Ministry of. John.* ¹ In those days came John the Baptist, preaching in the wilderness of Judea, ² And saying, Repent ye ; for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.—MAT., ch. 3.

7099. — *Oath of. Judah.* ¹² They entered into a covenant to seek the Lord God . . . with all their heart. . . ¹³ That whosoever would not seek the Lord . . . should be put to death, whether small or great, whether man or woman. ¹⁴ And they swore unto the Lord with a loud voice, and with shouting, and with trumpets, and with cornets.—2 CHRON., ch. 15.

7100. — *Proof of. Chorazin.* ²¹ Woe unto thee, Chorazin ! . . . Bethsaida ! for if the mighty works, which were done in you, had been done in Tyre and Sidon, they would have repented long ago in sackcloth and ashes.—MAT., ch. 11.

7101. — *Publicans.* ¹² Then came also publicans to be baptized, and said . . . Master, what shall we do ? ¹³ And he said . . . Exact no more than that which is appointed you.—LUKE, ch. 3.

7102. — *Soldiers.* ¹⁴ The soldiers likewise demanded . . . And what shall we do ? And he said . . . Do violence to no man, neither accuse any falsely ; and be content with your wages.—LUKE, ch. 3.

7103. — *passed. Day of.* ¹³ Because his sons made themselves vile, and he restrained them not. ¹⁴ . . . therefore I have sworn . . . that the iniquity of Eli's house shall not be purged with sacrifice nor offering for ever.—1 SAM., ch. 3.

7104. — *Partial. Judah.* ⁸ Thus saith the Lord, Ye have forsaken me, and therefore have I also left you in the hand of Shishak . . . ¹ They have humbled themselves ; therefore I will not destroy them, but I will grant them some deliverance.—2 CHRON., ch. 12.

7105. — *Beneficial.* ²⁷ Put sackcloth upon his flesh, and fasted, and lay in sackcloth, and went softly. ²⁸ And the word of the Lord came to Elijah . . . ²⁹ . . . humbleth himself before me, I will not bring the evil in his days : but in his son's days.—1 KINGS, ch. 21.

7106. — checked by Pride. "For their Sakes." [See No. 7117.]

7107. — Reformatory. David. "David did that which was right in the eyes of the Lord, and turned not aside from any thing that he commanded him all the days of his life, save only in the matter of Uriah the Hittite.—1 KINGS, ch. 15.

7108. — — Pharisees. "When he saw many of the Pharisees and Sadducees come to his baptism, he said... O generation of vipers, who hath warned you to flee from the wrath to come? " Bring forth therefore fruits meet for repentance.—MAT., ch. 3.

7109. — — Israelites. "Samuel spake... saying, If ye do return unto the Lord with all your hearts, then put away the strange gods and Ashtaroth from among you, and prepare your hearts unto the Lord, and serve him only: and he will deliver you out of the hand of the Philistines.—1 SAM., ch. 7.

7110. — refused. Israel. "I also have given you cleanness of teeth in all your cities, and want of bread in all your places: yet have ye not returned unto me, saith the Lord.—AMOS, ch. 4. [See chapter.]

7111. — not Restoration. "All is thine." "As soon as this thy son was come, which hath devoured thy living with harlots, thou hast killed for him the fatted calf. " And he said... Son, thou art ever with me, and all that I have is thine.—LUXE, ch. 15. [No redivision of the property.]

7112. — Results of. Golden Calf destroyed. "They caused it to be proclaimed throughout the camp, saying, Let neither man nor woman make any more work for the offering of the sanctuary. So the people were restrained from bringing. " For the stuff they had was sufficient... and too much.—EX., ch. 36.

7113. — refused. Jews in Egypt. "We will not hearken unto thee. " But we will certainly... burn incense unto the queen of heaven, and to pour out drink offerings unto her, as we have done.—JER., ch. 44.

7114. — Saved by. Ninevites. "Let them not feed, nor drink water. " But let man and beast be covered with sackcloth, and cry mightily unto God: yea, let them turn every one from his evil way... " Who can tell if God will turn and repent, and turn away from his fierce anger, that we perish not? " And God saw... and God repented of the evil.—JONAH, ch. 3.

7115. — for Sins. Of Ignorance. "Brethren, I wot that through ignorance ye did it, as did also your rulers... " Repent ye therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out.—ACTS, ch. 3.

7116. — Surrender in. Saul. "The Lord said, I am Jesus whom thou persecutest: it is hard for thee to kick against the pricks. " And he trembling and astonished said, Lord, what wilt thou have me to do? —ACTS, ch. 9.

7117. — Superficial. Herod. "Give me by and by in a charger the head of John the Baptist. " And the king was exceeding sorry; yet for his oath's sake, and for their sakes which sat with him, he would not reject her.—MARK, ch. 6.

7118. — — Saul. "Saul said, Is this

thy voice, my son David? And Saul lifted up his voice, and wept. " And he said to David, Thou art more righteous than I: for thou hast rewarded me good, whereas I have rewarded thee evil.—1 SAM., ch. 24. [A transient feeling.]

7119. — Unavailing. Esau. "Esau, who for one morsel of meat sold his birthright. " For ye know how that afterward, when he would have inherited the blessing, he was rejected: for he found no place of repentance, though he sought it carefully with tears.—HEB., ch. 12.

7120. — — Judas. "When he saw that he was condemned, repented himself, and brought again the thirty pieces of silver to the chief priests and elders, " Saying, I have sinned in that I have betrayed the innocent blood. And they said, What is that to us? see thou to that.—MAT., ch. 27.

7121. — for Worldliness. Laodiceans. "Because thou sayest, I am rich, and increased with goods, and have need of nothing; and knowest not that thou art wretched, and miserable, and poor, and blind, and naked: " I counsel thee to buy of me gold tried in the fire, that thou mayest be rich; and white raiment, that thou mayest be clothed, and that the shame of thy nakedness do not appear; and anoint thine eyes with eye-salve, that thou mayest see. " Be zealous therefore, and repent.—REV., ch. 3.

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7122. REPORT, Evil. Ten Spies. ²⁸ The land, through which we have gone to search it...eateth up the inhabitants thereof; and all the people that we saw in it are men of a great stature. ²⁹ And there we saw the giants, the sons of Anak...and we were in our own sight as grasshoppers, and so we were in their sight.—NUM., ch. 13.

7123. — False. David. ³¹ The king arose, and tare his garments, and lay on the earth; and all his servants stood by with their clothes rent. ³² And Jonadab...David's brother...said, Let not my lord suppose that they have slain all the young men the king's sons; for Amnon only is dead.—2 SAM., ch. 13.

7124. — for Intimidation. Sanballat. ⁶ It is reported among the heathen, and Gashmu saith it, that thou and the Jews think to rebel: for which cause thou buildest the wall, that thou mayest be their king.—NEH., ch. 6.

7125. — Manufactured. Priests. ¹³ Say ye, His disciples came by night, and stole him away while we slept. ¹⁴ And if this come to the governor's ears, we will persuade him, and secure you.—MAR., ch. 28.

7126. — Offensive. Jacob's Sons. ³ Joseph, being seventeen years old, was feeding the flock with his brethren...and Joseph brought unto his father their evil report.—ACTS, ch. 7.

7127. — Terrorizing. Rahab said, ¹¹ As soon as we had heard these things, our hearts did melt, neither did there remain any more courage in any man, because of you: for the Lord your God, he is God in heaven above, and in earth beneath.—JOSEPH, ch. 2.

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7128. REPROACH with Affliction. David. ¹⁶ My life is spent with grief, and my years with sighing: my strength faileth because of mine iniquity, and my bones are consumed. ¹¹ I was a reproach among all mine enemies, but especially among my neighbours.—PS. 31.

7129. — of Christ. Paul. ²² They gave him audience unto this word, and then lifted up their voices, and said, Away with such a fellow from the earth: for it is not fit that he should live. ²³ And as they cried out, and cast off their clothes, and threw dust into the air.—ACTS, ch. 22.

7130. — Cowardice a. Shemaiah said, ¹⁰ Let us meet together...within the temple, and let us shut the doors...in the night will they come to slay thee. ¹¹ And I said, Should such a man as I flee? and who is there, that, being as I am, would go into the temple to save his life! I will not go in.—NEH., ch. 6.

7131. — Fear of. Disciples. ⁴³ Among the chief rulers also many believed on him; but because of the Pharisees they did not confess him, lest they should be put out of the synagogue.—JOHN, ch. 12.

7132. — Intended. Nahash the Ammonite. ² On this condition will I make a covenant with you, that I may thrust out all your right eyes, and lay it for a reproach upon all Israel.—1 SAM., ch. 11.

7133. — of Idolaters. Jews. ⁴ Thou art become guilty in thy blood that thou hast shed; and hast defiled thyself in thine idols which thou hast made...therefore have I made thee a reproach unto the heathen, and a mocking to all countries.—EZEK., ch. 22.

7134. — Joy in. Christians. ²² Blessed are ye, when men shall hate you, and when they shall separate you from their company, and shall reproach you, and cast out your name as evil, for the Son of man's sake. ²³ Rejoice ye in that day, and leap for joy: for, behold, your reward is great in heaven.—LUKE, ch. 6.

7135. — of Neglect. "Walls." ¹⁷ Ye see the distress that we are in, how Jerusalem lieth waste, and the gates thereof are burned with fire: come, and let us build up the wall of Jerusalem, that we be no more a reproach.—NEH., ch. 2.

7136. — Proverb of. Jews. ²⁷ Thou shalt become an astonishment, a proverb, and a byword, among all nations whither the Lord shall lead thee.—DEUT., ch. 28.

7137. — Shame of. David. ⁷ Because for thy sake I have borne reproach; shame hath covered my face. ³ I am become a stranger unto my brethren, and an alien unto my mother's children.—PS. 69.

7138. — Unconscious. "What?" ¹³ Your words have been stout against me, saith the Lord. Yet ye say, What have we spoken so much against thee? ¹⁴ Ye have said, It is vain to serve God: and what profit is it that we have kept his ordinance.—MAL., ch. 3.

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7141. — accepted. *In Revival.* ¹¹ Make confession unto the Lord..and do his pleasure : and separate yourselves from the people of the land, and from the strange wives. ¹² Then all the congregation..said with a loud voice, As thou hast said, so must we do.—*EZRA*, ch. 10.

7142. — — David. ¹⁰ The sword shall never depart from thine house ; because thou hast despised me, and hast taken the wife of Uriah the Hittite to be thy wife. ¹² And David saith unto Nathan, I have sinned against the

Lord. And Nathan said unto David, The Lord also hath put away thy sin ; thou shalt not die.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 12.

7143. — — Abimelech. ²⁵ Abraham reprov'd Abimelech because of a well of water, which Abimelech's servants had violently taken away. ²⁶ And Abimelech said, I wot not who hath done this thing : neither didst thou tell me, neither yet heard I of it, but to day.—*GEN.*, ch. 21.

7144. — Angered by. *Stephen's.* ¹⁴ When they heard these things, they were cut to the heart, and they gnashed on him with their teeth.—*ACTS*, ch. 7.

7145. — Christian. *Method of.* ¹³ If thy brother shall trespass against thee, go and tell him his fault between thee and him alone : if he shall hear thee, thou hast gained thy brother. ¹⁴ But if he will not hear thee, then take with thee one or two more, that in the mouth of two or three witnesses every word may be established.—*MAT.*, ch. 18.

7146. — A disagreeable. *Paul.* [See No. 7149.]

7147. — from the Good. *David.* ⁵ Let the righteous smite me ; it shall be a kindness : and let him reprove me ; it shall be an excellent oil, which shall not break my head.—*PS.* 141.

7148. — of Hypocrisy. *Jesus.* ⁸ This people draweth nigh unto me with their mouth, and honoureth me with their lips ; but their heart is far from me.—*MAT.*, ch. 15.

7149. — Love after. *Peter.* ¹¹ When Peter was come to Antioch, I withstood him to the face, because he was to be blamed.—*GAL.*, ch. 2. ¹² Account that the longsuffering of our Lord is salvation ; even as our beloved brother Paul also according to the wisdom given unto him hath written unto you.—*2 PETER*, ch. 3.

7150. — A mild. *"Jesus looked."* ⁴ The Lord turned and looked upon Peter. And Peter remembered..how he had said unto him, Before the cock crow, thou shalt deny me thrice. ⁶ And Peter went out, and wept bitterly.—*LUKE*, ch. 22.

7151. — Personal. *Nathan.* ⁶ He shall restore the lamb fourfold, because he did this thing, and because he had no pity. ⁷ And Nathan said to David, Thou art the man.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 12.

7152. — Prudence in. *Gold.* ¹¹ A word fitly spoken is like apples of gold in pictures of silver. ¹² As an earring of gold, and an ornament of fine gold, so is a wise reprov'er upon an obedient ear.—*PROV.*, ch. 25.

7153. — Stinging. *Simony.* ²⁰ Peter said unto him, Thy money perish with thee, because thou hast thought that the gift of God may be purchased with money. ²¹ Thou hast neither part nor lot in this matter : for thy heart is not right in the sight of God. ²² Repent therefore.—*ACTS*, ch. 8.

7154. — Sharp. *"Behind me, Satan."* ²⁸ Peter..began to rebuke him, saying, Be it far from thee, Lord : this shall not be unto thee. ²⁹ But he turned, and said unto Peter, Get thee behind me, Satan : thou art an offence unto me : for thou savourest not the things that be of God, but those that be of men.—*MAT.*, ch. 16.

7155. — *Sarcastic. Saul spared.* ¹ David and Abishai came . . . by night : and, behold, Saul lay sleeping within the trench, and his spear stuck in the ground at his bolster. . . ¹⁵ And David said to Abner, *Art not thou a valiant man?* and who is like to thee in Israel? wherefore then hast thou not kept thy lord the king? for there came one of the people in to destroy the king thy lord.—1 SAM., ch. 26.

7156. — *A sensible. Joab's.* ⁴ The king covered his face, and the king cried with a loud voice, O my son Absalom! O Absalom, my son, my son! ⁵ And Joab . . . to the king. . . said, Thou hast shamed this day the faces of all thy servants, which this day have saved thy life. . . ⁶ . . . if Absalom had lived, and all we had died this day, then it had pleased thee well. ⁷ Now therefore arise, go forth, and speak comfortably unto thy servants.—2 SAM., ch. 19.

7157. — *Unwelcome. "A Blot."* ¹ He that reproveth a scorner getteth to himself shame : and he that rebuketh a wicked man getteth himself a blot. ⁸ Reprove not a scorner, lest he hate thee : rebuke a wise man, and he will love thee.—PROV., ch. 9.

7158. — *Vigorous. Mixed Marriages.* ²² Their children spake half in the speech of Ashdod, and could not speak in the Jews' language, but according to the language of each people. ²⁵ And I contended with them, and cursed them, and smote certain of them, and plucked off their hair.—NEH., ch. 13.

7159. — *Welcomed. Proverb.* ²² He that rebuketh a man, afterwards shall find more favour than he that flattereth with the tongue.—PROV., ch. 28.

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7160. *REPUTATION acknowledged.* *"Servest continually."* ¹⁶ They brought Daniel, and cast him into the den of lions. Now the king. . . said unto Daniel, Thy God whom thou servest continually, he will deliver thee.—DAN., ch. 6.

7161. — *Advantage of. Husband gained.* ¹¹ Boaz answered. . . It hath fully been shewed me, all that thou hast done unto thy mother in law since the death of thy husband : and how thou hast left thy father and thy mother, and the land of thy nativity, and art come unto a people which thou knewest not heretofore. ¹⁵ The Lord recompense thy work.—RUTH, ch. 2.

7162. — *A bad. Nazareth.* ⁴⁸ We have found him of whom Moses in the law, and the prophets did write, Jesus of Nazareth. . . ⁴⁶ And Nathanael said unto him, Can there any good thing come out of Nazareth? Philip saith unto him, Come and see.—JOHN, ch. 1.

7163. — *Blameless. John.* ¹⁰ Herod feared John, knowing that he was a just man and a holy, and observed him ; and when he heard him, he did many things, and heard him gladly.—MARK, ch. 6.

7164. — *A fearful. Saul.* ¹³ Ananias answered, Lord, I have heard by many of this man, how much evil he hath done to thy saints at Jerusalem : ¹⁴ And here he hath authority from the chief priests, to bind all that call on thy name.—ACTS, ch. 9.

7165. — *A good. Messengers.* ²³ Cornelius the centurion, a just man, and one that feareth God, and of good report among all the nation of the Jews, was warned from God.—ACTS, ch. 10.

7166. — *Gaining a. Proverb.* ³ Let not mercy and truth forsake thee : bind them about thy neck ; write them upon the table of thine heart : ⁴ So shalt thou find favour and good understanding in the sight of God.—PROV., ch. 3.

7167. — *Helpful. David.* ¹⁸ Behold, I have seen a son of Jesse. . . that is cunning in playing, and a mighty valiant man, and a man of war, and prudent in matters, and a comely person, and the Lord is with him.—1 SAM., ch. 16.

7168. — *Jealous of. The Lord.* ⁹ I wrought for my name's sake, that it should not be polluted before the heathen, among whom they were, in whose sight I made myself known unto them, in bringing them forth out of . . . Egypt.—EZEK., ch. 20.

7169. — *Loss of. Proverb.* ¹ Dead flies cause the ointment of the apothecary to send forth a stinking savour : so doth a little folly him that is in reputation for wisdom and honour.—ECCLES., ch. 10.

7170. — *Official. Judges.* [See Nos. 7173, 7174.]

7171. — *Posthumous. At Thebez.* ²³ A certain woman cast a piece of a millstone upon Abimelech's head. . . ²⁴ Then he called hastily unto the young man his armourbearer, and said . . . Draw thy sword, and slay me, that men say not of me, A woman slew him.—JUDGES, ch. 9.

7172. — *reviled. Zion.* ¹⁵ All that pass by clap their hands at thee ; they hiss and wag their head at the daughter of Jerusalem, saying, Is this the city that men call The perfection of beauty, The joy of the whole earth?—LAM., ch. 2.

7173. — *Unimpeachable. Daniel.* ⁴ The presidents and princes sought to find occasion against Daniel concerning the kingdom ; but they could find none occasion nor fault ; forasmuch as he was faithful.—DAN., ch. 8.

7174. — *Samuel.* ² I am old and grayheaded. . . and I have walked before you from my childhood unto this day. ³ Behold, here I am : witness against me before the Lord, and before his anointed : whose ox have I taken? or whose ass have I taken? or whom have I defrauded? whom have I oppressed? or of whose hand have I received any bribe to blind mine eyes therewith? and I will restore it you. ⁴ And they said, Thou hast not defrauded us, nor oppressed us, neither hast thou taken aught of any man's hand.—1 SAM., ch. 12.

7175. — Valuable. Proverb. ¹ A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches, and loving favour rather than silver and gold.—*Prov.*, ch. 22.

7176. — Varied. Jesus. ¹⁸ Whom say the people that I am? ¹⁹ They answering said, John the Baptist; but some say, Elias; and others say, that one of the old prophets has risen again. ²⁰ He said, . . . But whom say ye that I am? Peter answering said, The Christ of God.—*LUKE*, ch. 9.

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Military. Uzziah made. . . engines. . . to shoot 3001
Troublesome. Blaze abroad the matter. . . desert 3002
Unexpected. In the whole world. . . woman hath 3003
Wisdom. All the earth sought to Solomon 3004

HONOURS.

Abroad. No prophet is accepted in his own 4073
Brave. King will enrich. . . give him his daughter 4074
Many. Haman told them of the glory 4075
Posthumous. Widows weeping. . . shewing. . . Dorcas 4076
Service. Made Saul king [Ammonites subdued] 4077
Trials. I am. . . weak, though anointed king 4078

REPORT.

Evil. Land. . . eateth up the inhabitants 7122
False. Amnon only is dead 7123
Intimidation. Jews think to rebel 7124
Manufactured. Say, His disciples. . . stole 7125
Offensive. Joseph brought. . . their evil report 7126
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Flattering. Revealeth secrets. . . flattereth with his l. 8578
Strife. Where there is no talebearer strife ceaseth 8579
Tattling. He that repeateth. . . separateth very f. 8580
Wounds. Words of a talebearer are as wounds 8581

Careful. That ye may be blameless. . . shine as lights 1580
Preserved. Build up the wall. . . no more a reproach 962
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7177. REPRESENTATIVES, Divine. "My Brethren." ³¹ Lord, when saw we thee a hungry, and fed thee? or thirsty, and gave thee drink? ³² When saw we thee a stranger, and took thee in? or naked, and clothed thee?—*MAT.*, ch. 25.

7178. — Honoured with. "Receiveth me." ⁴⁰ He that receiveth you receiveth me, and he that receiveth me receiveth him that sent me. . . ⁴² And whosoever shall give to drink unto one of these little ones a cup of cold water only in the name of a disciple. . . he shall in no wise lose his reward.—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

7179. — Identity with. The Seventy sent. ¹⁶ He that heareth you heareth me; and he that despiseth you despiseth me; and he that despiseth me despiseth him that sent me.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

7180. REQUEST, A great. Office. ²⁰ Then came to him the mother of Zebedee's children with her sons, worshipping him, and desiring a certain thing. . . ²¹ . . . to sit on my right hand, and on my left, is not mine to give, but it shall be given to them for whom it is prepared of my Father.—*MAT.*, ch. 20.

See PETITION and references.

7181. RESEMBLANCE desired. Likeness. ⁹ Elijah said unto Elisha, Ask what I shall do for thee, before I be taken away from thee. And Elisha said, I pray thee, let a double portion of thy spirit be upon me.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 2.

7182. — Parental. Devil. ⁴⁴ Ye are of your father the devil, and the lusts of your father ye will do. He was a murderer from the beginning, and abode not in the truth, because there is no truth in him.—*JOHN*, ch. 8.

See other illustrations under:

IMITATION.

Benevolence. Samaritan. . . go thou and do likewise 4333
Childhood. Humble himself as this little child 4334
Sacrilegious. The perfume. . . ye shall not make. . . h. 4335
Unholy. Vagabond Jews. . . We adjure you by Jesus 4336
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Divine. When saw we the a stranger. . . naked? 7177
Honoured. He that receiveth you, receiveth me 7178
Identity. He that heareth you, heareth me 7179

7183. RESENTMENT, Cruel. Herod's. ¹⁰ Herod, when he saw that he was mocked of the wise men, was exceeding wrath. . . and slew all the children that were in Bethlehem. . . from two years old and under.—*MAT.*, ch. 2.

7184. — Indignant. "Sons of Belial" ²¹ Behold, the woman his concubine was fallen down at the door of the house, and her hands were upon the threshold.—*JUDGES*, ch. 19. ⁴ And all the people arose as one man, saying, We will not any of us go to his tent, neither. . . into his house. ⁵ But now this. . . we will do to Gibeon; we will go up by lot against it.—*JUDGES*, ch. 20.

7185. — of Self-seeking. Apostles. [See No. 7180.] ⁴¹ And when the ten heard it, they began to be much displeased with James and John.—*MARK*, ch. 10.

See other illustrations under:

SCOFFERS.

Malicious. Spilt in his face, and buffeted 7614
Mocked him. . . a gorgeous robe 7615

SCORN.

Pride. Haman thought scorn to. . . alone 7618
Public. All that pass by clap their hands at thee 7619
Sinners. They made light of it, and went 7621
Unbelief. They laughed him to scorn 7620

See ANGER and references.

7186. RESIDENCE, A chosen. Transfiguration. ²³ As they departed from him, Peter said unto Jesus, Master, it is good for us to be here: and let us make three tabernacles; one for thee, and one for Moses, and one for Elias.—*LUKE*, ch. 9.

7187. — Divine. The Heart. ²¹ If a man love me, he will keep my words: and my Father will love him, and we will come unto him, and make our abode with him.—*JOHN*, ch. 14.

7188. — Knowledge of. To Cornelius. ⁵ Send men to Joppa, and call for. . . Peter: ⁶ He lodgeth with one Simon a tanner, whose house is by the sea side; he shall tell thee what thou oughtest to do.—*ACTS*, ch. 10.

See other illustrations under:

HOME.

Age. Barzillai said. . . How long have I to live? 4023
Blessed. I. blessed the Egyptian's house for 4024
Bible. Thou shalt write them upon. . . house 4025
Dismal. David escaped to the cave. . . brethren 4026
Dangerous. Bid them farewell which are at home 4027

Godly. As for me and my house...serve the L. 4028
 Heavenly. Father's house are many mansions 4029
 Influence. Hired servants in my father's house 4030
 Longing. Go unto mine own place and to my 4031
 Not at. Peter sat down among them 4032
 Providence. Barrel of meal wasted not 4033
 Protected. Strike the lintel...two side posts with 4034
 Pious. First findeth his own brother Simon...to 4035
 Reformation. His mother Asa removed...her idol 4036
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 Sanctity. Slain...in his own house, upon his bed 4038
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7189. RESERVES concealed. *At Ai.* ¹¹ All the people...of war that were with him...came before the city, and pitched on the north side of Ai: now there was a valley between them and Ai. ¹² And he took about five thousand men, and set them to lie in ambush.—*JOSH.*, ch. 8.

7190. — Many. *At Gethsemane.* ⁴³ Think-est thou that I cannot now pray to my Father, and he shall presently give me more than twelve legions of angels?—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

7191. — No. *At Ai.* ¹⁷ There was not a man left in Ai or Beth-el, that went not out after Israel: and they left the city open, and pursued after Israel. ⁸ And Joshua stretched out the spear that he had in his hand toward the city.—*JOSH.*, ch. 8.

Also see:

Remnant. Mouth of the l...piece of an ear 7066

7192. RESIGNATION to Bereavement. *David.* ²⁶ So Absalom fled, and went to Geshur, and was there three years. ²⁹ And the soul of king David longed to go forth unto Absalom: for he was comforted concerning Amnon, seeing he was dead.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 13.

7193. — to the Inevitable. *Jacob.* ¹³ Take also your brother, and arise, go again unto the man: ¹⁴ And God Almighty give you mercy before the man, that he may send away your other brother, and Benjamin. If I be bereaved of my children, I am bereaved.—*GEN.*, ch. 43.

7194. — Pious. *Job.* ²⁰ Job arose, and rent his mantle, and shaved his head, and fell down upon the ground, and worshipped, ²¹ And said...the Lord gave, and the Lord hath taken away; blessed be the name of the Lord.—*JOB*, ch. 1.

7195. — — David. ²⁶ The king said unto Zadok, Carry back the ark of God into the city: if I shall find favour in the eyes of the Lord, he will bring me again, and shew me both it, and his habitation: ²⁶ But if he thus say, I have no delight in thee; behold, here am I, let him do to me as seemeth good unto him.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 15.

7196. — Submissive. *Jerusalem bound.* ¹⁴ When he would not be persuaded, we ceased, saying, The will of the Lord be done.—*ACTS*, ch. 21.

See other illustrations under:

PATIENCE.

Divine. Last of all he sent his son 5994
 Example. Consider him that endureth such 5995
 Labour. This year also...I will dig about it 5996
 Maintained. Come out, thou bloody man...of B. 5997
 Needful. Fret not thyself in any wise to do evil 5998
 Picture of. The husbandman waiteth...hath long 5999
 Rewarded. He brought me out of the miry clay 6000

Refused. Have patience, and I will pay...would not 6001
 Trial of. They despised Saul...he held his peace 6002
 Without. Why should this dead dog curse my lord 6003
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Bereavement. [Sons slain] Aaron held his peace 8409
 " David arose...washed...did eat 8410
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 Difficult. Thou shalt never wash my feet 8412
 Example. If this cup may not...thy will be done 8413
 Humiliating. Sackcloth...ropes on their heads 8414
 Painful. Take also your brother...unto the man 8415
 Punishment. Eli said...It is the Lord 8416
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SURRENDER.

Absolute. I count all things but loss...win Christ 8503
 Bodily. Yielded their bodies...not serve any god 8504
 Christian. Fellowship of his sufferings 8505
 Entire. Go thy way, sell...give...follow me 8506
 Full. Forsaketh not all that he hath...disciple 8507
 Fear. We will do all that thou shalt bid 8508
 Moral. What things were gain to me, those I 8509
 Power. We have not used this power...hinder 8510
 Resisted. Straightway the spirit tare him and he 8511
 Sins. Right hand offend thee, cut it off 8512
 Sacrifice. She cast in all that she had 8513
 Undivided. Cattle also...not a hoof left 8514
 Weak. I am thine and all that I have...Ahab 8515

7197. RESISTANCE prohibited. *"Other Cheek."* ³⁹ Resist not evil: but whosoever shall smite thee on thy right cheek, turn to him the other also. ⁴⁰ And if any man will sue thee at the law, and take away thy coat, let him have thy cloke also.—*MAT.*, ch. 5.

7198. — Prompt. *Paul.* ⁴ False brethren unawares brought in, who came in privily to spy out our liberty which we have in Christ Jesus, that they might bring us into bondage: ⁵ To whom we gave place by subjection, no, not for an hour.—*GAL.*, ch. 2.

7199. — Spiritual. *Long.* ³ The Lord said, My spirit shall not always strive with man, for that he also is flesh: yet his days shall be a hundred and twenty years. ⁵ And God saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every imagination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually.—*GEN.*, ch. 6.

7200. — — Saul. ⁵ He said, Who art thou, Lord? And the Lord said, I am Jesus whom thou persecutest: it is hard for thee to kick against the pricks.—*ACTS*, ch. 9.

7201. — — Constant. [Stephen to his murderers.] ⁶¹ Ye stiffnecked and uncircumcised in heart and ears, ye do always resist the Holy Ghost: as your fathers did, so do ye.—*ACTS*, ch. 7.

See other illustrations under:

DEFENCE.

Declined. Jesus answered to him never a word 2104
 Incomplete. Goliath had a helmet...coat of mail 2105
 Lawful. King granted the Jews to stand for their 2106
 Perilous. Jonathan said...Wherefore shall he be 2107
 Preparation. Uzziah prepared...shields, spears 2108
 Spiritual. Loins girt about with truth...breastplate 2109
 Unheard. Alex. would have made his defence 2110
 Weapons. I can slay a man for my hurt 2111

FIGHTING.

Forbidden. Ye shall not fight your brethren...I 3217
 God. Mountain was full of chariots...fire 3218
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HINDERANCE.

Disobedience. Say nothing to any man..blaze	3979
Natural. Let me..kiss my father..mother	3980
Provoking. Let us pass through thy country	3981
Removed. Angel..rolled back the stone..door	3982
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" Easter for a camel..needle's eye than	3984

HINDERANCES.

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Loss. Reuben was returned..Joseph was not in the	4404
Loiterers. While Lot lingered the men laid hold	5053
Malicious. People of the land hired counsellors	3986
Removed. I will eat no flesh while the world	3987
Secular. I have bought..bought..married	3988
Social. Let me first go bid them farewell	3989
Selfish. Neither go in yourselves, neither suffer ye	3990

HINDERING.

Fear. It is reported..Jews think to rebel	3991
Intrigue. Let us meet..in the plain of Ono	3992

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7202. RESOLUTION, Forgotten. "Went back."

¹⁶ I may not return with thee, neither will I eat bread nor drink water. ¹⁷ For it was said to me by the Lord, Thou shalt eat no bread nor drink water there, nor turn again to go by the way that thou camest. ¹⁸ But he lied unto him. ¹⁹ So he went back with him, and did eat bread in his house, and drank water.—1 KINGS, ch. 13.

7203. — Unchangeable. Paul. ²³ The Holy Ghost witnesseth in every city, saying that bonds and afflictions abide me. ²⁴ But none of these things move me, neither count I my life dear unto myself, so that I might finish my course with joy.—ACTS, ch. 20.

7204. — Three Hebrews. ¹⁷ If it be so, our God whom we serve is able to deliver us from the burning fiery furnace, and he will deliver us out of thine hand, O king. ¹⁸ But if not, be it known unto thee, O king, that we will not serve thy gods, nor worship the golden image.—DAN., ch. 3.

See other illustrations under:

BOLDNESS.

Angels urge. Brought them forth..speak in the t.	878
Apostolic. Whom ye put in prison are..in the t.	879
Believers. [Three worthies] O. N. we are not	880
Brazen. Ahab said to Elijah, Art thou..troubleth	881
Innocence. With whom..be found, let him die	882
Influence. Saw the boldness of P. and J..took	883
Right. When thou seest..more than thou..not	884
Sinners. Jeroboam..served Baal..reared an altar	885
Shame. Absalom..tent upon the roof..concubines	886
Prayer. High priest touched..come boldly..throne	887
Venturesome. Peter walked on the water to go to	888

COURAGE.

Absence. 3000 men said..P. are rulers over us	1770
Daring. Paul would have entered	1771
Faith inspires. I come..in the name of the Lord	1772
Ground. With him..arm of flesh..us the Lord	1773
Honouring. Caleb said, Let us go up at once	1774
Invincible. Not any man be able..before thee	1775
Loss. Israel fled..forsook the cities	1776
Moral. Jesus went before them..amazed	1777
" I am ready..to die at Jerusalem	1778
Necessary. Every place..feet shall tread..unto	1779
Patriotic. Fight for your daughters..wives	1780
To Rebuke. I said unto Peter before them all	1781
Reformer's. Should such a man as I flee?	1782
Stimulated. Put your feet upon the necks..kings	1783

Soldier's. Jonathan climbed..slew	1784
In Worship. Daniel knew..kneeled	1785

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Boldness. I will go in unto the king..if I perish	2218
Effort. Why sit we here till we die?	2219
Sinners. Saul inquired of the L..answered him n.	2220
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PERSEVERANCE.

Confident. Neither death nor life..separate me	6007
Exhortation. Barnabas exhorted..with purpose	6008
Encouragement. Can a woman forget her..child	6009
" Mountains shall depart..but my	6100
Help to. When..my foot slippeth..thy mercy held	6101
Prayer. Widow troubleth me, I will avenge her	6102
Success by. I have fought a good fight..crown	6103
Test. If ye continue in my word, then..disciples	6104

See DECISION and references.

7205. RESORT, The last. Sailor's. ¹⁹ Take me up, and cast me forth into the sea; so shall the sea be calm unto you: for I know that for my sake this great tempest is upon you. ¹³ Nevertheless the men rowed hard to bring it to the land; but they could not: ¹⁴ Wherefore they cried, O Lord, we beseech thee, let us not perish for this man's life.—JONAH, ch. 1.

Also see:

Prayer. River side where prayer was wont	7791
Water-cure. Angel went down..troubled the water	9383
Watering-place. J. was baptizing in Enon..much	9380

7206. RESPECT for Age. Elihu. ⁶ Elihu..said, I am young, and ye are very old; wherefore I was afraid, and durst not shew you mine opinion. ⁷ I said, Days should speak, and multitude of years should teach wisdom.—JOB, ch. 32.

7207. — for the Great. Job. ⁷ When I went out to the gate through the city, when I prepared my seat in the street! ⁸ The young men saw me, and hid themselves: and the aged arose, and stood up. ⁹ The princes refrained talking.—JOB, ch. 29.

7208. — for the Good. "Holy." ²⁰ Herod feared John, knowing that he was a just man and an holy, and observed him; and when he heard him, he did many things, and heard him gladly.—MARK, ch. 6.

See other illustrations under:

DEFERENCE.

Aged. Elihu had waited..were elder than he	2112
Wicked. Herod was sorry, nevertheless..sake	2113

REVERENCE.

Attitude. He opened it..stood up..bowed their	7316
Affectionate. Stood at his feet behind him, weeping	7317
Careful. Put off thy shoes..holy ground	7319
Commanded. No man be seen throughout..mount	7320
Commends. Peter fell down at Jesus' knees	7321
Joyous. Came a fire..people shouted and fell	7322
Manifested. Joshua fell on his face..did worship	7324
Necessary. Him that is poor and of a contrite	7325
" Men of Bethshemesh looked into the	7326
Word. Ezra opened the book..all the people stood	7329
Worthy. Sent his son..will reverence him	7330
Youthful. [Young ruler] came running, and	7331

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7209. RESPONSES in Worship. "Amen!" ⁵ Ezra opened the book in the sight of all the people..and..all the people stood up: ⁶ And Ezra blessed the Lord, the great God. And all the people answered, Amen, Amen, with lifting

up their hands : and they bowed their heads, and worshipped the Lord with *their* faces to the ground.—*NEH.*, ch. 8.

7210. — *Heavenly. Vision.* ³ The seraphim : each one had six wings ; with twain he covered his face, and with twain he covered his feet, and with twain he did fly. ³ And one cried unto another, and said, Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord of hosts : the whole earth is full of his glory.—*ISA.*, ch. 6.

See other illustrations under :

ANSWER.

Hasty. Answereth before he heareth..folly	445
Insincere. Baptism of John, whence was it?	446
Ill-considered. Can ye drink of the cup that I	447
Unwise. King..answered the people roughly	448
Wise. Render..unto Cesar the things..Cesar's	449

7211. *RESPONSIBILITY assumed. Jews.* [See No. 7225.] ²⁵ Then answered all the people, and said, His blood be on us, and on our children.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

7212. — *Financial.* [The good Samaritan.] ²⁵ When he departed, he took out two pence, and gave *them* to the host, and said.. Take care of him ; and whatsoever thou spendest more, when I come again, I will repay thee.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

7213. — *Self-defence.* [See No. 7252.] ²¹ Howbeit he refused to turn aside : wherefore Abner with the hinder end of the spear smote him under the fifth rib..and he fell down there, and died.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 2.

7214. — *acknowledged. Samaritan.* ³³ A certain Samaritan, as he journeyed, came where he was..he had compassion on him, ²⁴ And went to him, and bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine, and set him on his own beast, and brought him to an inn, and took care of him.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

7215. — *Alpied. Nathan said,* ⁹ Thou hast killed Uriah the Hittite..and hast taken his wife to be thy wife, and hast slain him with the sword of the children of Ammon.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 12.

7216. — *of Builders. Battlement.* ⁶ When thou buildest a new house, then thou shalt make a battlement for thy roof, that thou bring not blood upon thine house, if any man fall from thence.—*DEUT.*, ch. 22.

7217. — *for Carelessness. Fire.* ⁶ If fire break out, and catch in thorns, so that the stacks of corn, or the standing corn, or the field, be consumed *therewith* ; he that kindled the fire shall surely make restitution.—*EX.*, ch. 22.

7218. — *Pit.* ³³ If a man shall dig a pit, and not cover it, and an ox or an ass fall therein ; ³⁴ The owner of the pit shall make it good, and give money unto the owner of them ; and the dead *beast* shall be his.—*EX.*, ch. 21.

7219. — *Cattle.* ³⁶ If it be known that the ox hath used to push in time past, and his owner hath not kept him in ; he shall surely pay ox for ox ; and the dead shall be his own.—*EX.*, ch. 21.

7220. — *confessed. Jonah.* ¹² He said unto them, Take me up, and cast me forth into the sea ; so shall the sea be calm unto you : for I know that for my sake this great tempest is upon you.—*JONAH*, ch. 1.

7221. — *Conscious of. Sailors.* ¹³ The men rowed hard to bring *it* to the land ; but they could not : for the sea wrought, and was tempestuous against them. ¹⁴ Wherefore they cried unto the Lord, and said, We beseech thee, O Lord, we beseech thee, let us not perish for this man's life, and lay not upon us innocent blood.—*JONAH*, ch. 1.

7222. — *Charged with. Ahab.* ¹⁷ When Ahab saw Elijah..Ahab said unto him, *Art* thou he that troubleth Israel ? ¹⁸ And he answered, I have not troubled Israel ; but thou, and thy father's house, in that ye have forsaken the commandments of the Lord, and thou hast followed Baalim.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 18.

7223. — *Cleared of. Paul.* ²⁵ Ye shall see my face no more. ²⁶ Wherefore I take you to record this day, that I *am* pure from the blood of *all* men. ²⁷ For I have not shunned to declare unto you all the counsel of God.—*ACTS*, ch. 20.

7224. — *Christian. "Occupy."* ¹⁸ A certain nobleman went into a far country to receive for himself a kingdom, and to return. ¹³ And he called his ten servants, and delivered them ten pounds, and said unto them, Occupy till I come.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

7225. — *disclaimed. Pilate.* ²⁴ When Pilate saw that he could prevail nothing, but *that* rather a tumult was made, he took water, and washed *his* hands before the multitude, saying, I am innocent of the blood of this just person : see ye to it.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

7226. — *distributed. Calf made.* ²⁵ The Lord plagued the people, because they made the calf, which Aaron made.—*EX.*, ch. 32.

7227. — *divided. Law.* ²⁵ If one man's ox hurt another's, that he die ; then they shall sell the live ox, and divide the money of it ; and the dead ox also they shall divide.—*EX.*, ch. 21.

7228. — *discharged. At Ephesus.* ²⁰ I kept back nothing that was profitable unto you..and have taught you publicly, and from house to house, ²¹ Testifying both to the Jews, and also to the Greeks, repentance toward God, and faith toward our Lord Jesus Christ.—*ACTS*, ch. 20.

7229. — *Watchman.* ³ If..he blow the trumpet, and warn the people ; ⁴ Then whosoever heareth the sound of the trumpet, and taketh not warning ; if the sword come, and take him away, his blood shall be upon his own head.—*EZEK.*, ch. 33.

7230. — *evaded. "Other Side."* ³⁰ Leaving him half dead. ³¹ And by chance there came down a certain priest that way : and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. ³² And likewise a Levite..came and looked on him, and passed by on the other side.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

7231. — *Freed from. At Corinth.* ⁵ Paul was pressed in the spirit, and testified to the Jews *that* Jesus *was* Christ. ⁶ And when they opposed themselves, and blasphemed, he shook *his* raiment, and said..Your blood be upon your own heads ; I *am* clean : from henceforth I will go unto the Gentiles.—*ACTS*, ch. 18.

7232. — *feared. Council.* ²⁸ Did not we straitly command you that ye should not teach in this name ? and, behold, ye have filled Jeru-

salem with your doctrine, and intend to bring this man's blood upon us.—ACTS, ch. 5.

7233. — *Indirect.* *Stephen said,* ⁵ Which of the prophets have not your fathers persecuted? and they have slain them which shewed before of the coming of the Just One; of whom ye have been now the betrayers and murderers.—ACTS, ch. 7.

7234. — *for Injury.* *"Woe."* ¹ Woe unto the world because of offences! for it must needs be that offences come; but woe to that man by whom the offence cometh!—MAT., ch. 18.

7235. — *for Improvement.* *Talent.* ²⁸ Take therefore the talent from him. ²⁹ For unto every one that hath shall be given, and he shall have abundance: but from him that hath not shall be taken away even that which he hath. ³⁰ And cast ye the unprofitable servant into outer darkness.—MAT., ch. 25.

7236. — *for Knowledge.* *Backsliders.* ³⁰ For if after they have escaped the pollutions of the world... they are again entangled therein, and overcome, the latter end is worse with them than the beginning. ³¹ For it had been better for them not to have known the way of righteousness, than, after they have known it, to turn from the holy commandment.—2 PETER, ch. 2.

7237. — *Ministerial.* *Plague stayed.* ⁴⁶ Moses said unto Aaron, Take a censer, and put fire therein from off the altar, and put on incense, and go quickly unto the congregation, and make an atonement for them: for the plague is begun.—NUM., ch. 16.

7238. — *Watchman.* ⁸ When I say unto the wicked, O wicked man, thou shalt surely die; if thou dost not speak to warn the wicked from his way, that wicked man shall die in his iniquity; but his blood will I require at thine hand.—EZEK., ch. 33.

7239. — *Loose.* ¹⁹ I will give unto thee the keys of the kingdom of heaven: and whatsoever thou shalt bind on earth shall be bound in heaven; and whatsoever thou shalt loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven.—MAT., ch. 16.

7240. — *of Manhood.* *Blind Man.* ²² His parents... feared the Jews: for the Jews had agreed already, that if any man did confess that he was Christ, he should be put out of the synagogue. ²³ Therefore said his parents, He is of age; ask him.—JOHN, ch. 9.

7241. — *misplaced.* *Providence.* ²² The earth opened her mouth, and swallowed them up, and their houses, and all the men that *appertained* unto Korah, and all their goods. ⁴¹ But on the morrow all the congregation... murmured against Moses and against Aaron, saying, Ye have killed the people.—NUM., ch. 16.

7242. — *Minute.* *Words.* ³⁶ Every idle word that men shall speak, they shall give account thereof in the day of judgment. ³⁷ For by thy words thou shalt be justified, and by thy words thou shalt be condemned.—MAT., ch. 12.

7243. — *Overwhelming.* *Moses.* ¹¹ Thou layest the burden of all this people upon me? ¹² Have I conceived all this people? have I begotten them, that thou shouldest say unto me, Carry them in thy bosom, as a nursing father beareth the sucking child, unto the land which

thou swarest unto their fathers? ¹³ Whence should I have flesh to give?—NUM., ch. 11.

7244. — *for Offences.* *Drowned.* ⁵ Whoso shall receive one such little child in my name receiveth me. ⁶ But whoso shall offend one of these little ones which believe in me, it were better for him that a millstone were hanged about his neck, and that he were drowned in the depth of the sea.—MAT., ch. 18.

7245. — *for Others.* *"Keeper."* ⁹ The Lord said unto Cain, Where is Abel thy brother? And he said, I know not: Am I my brother's keeper? ¹⁰ And he said, What hast thou done? the voice of thy brother's blood crieth unto me from the ground.—GEN., ch. 4.

7246. — *Parental.* *Eli's.* [Adulterers... covetous.] ¹³ Will judge his house for ever for the iniquity which he knoweth; because his sons made themselves vile, and he restrained them not.—1 SAM., ch. 3.

7247. — *Strict.* *A Prophet.* [Ahab let Ben-hadad go.] ⁴² Said unto him, Thus saith the Lord, Because thou hast let go out of thy hand a man whom I appointed to utter destruction, therefore thy life shall go for his life, and thy people for his people.—1 KINGS, ch. 20.

7248. — *for Servants.* *Arson.* ²¹ Joab arose, and came to Absalom unto his house, and said... Wherefore have thy servants set my field on fire?—2 SAM., ch. 14.

7249. — *for Success.* *"Tread upon."* ²⁸ There shall no man be able to stand before you: for the Lord your God shall lay the fear of you and the dread of you upon all the land that ye shall tread upon.—DEUT., ch. 11.

7250. — *A terrible.* *Haman.* ⁹ If it please the king, let it be written that they may be destroyed: and I will pay ten thousand talents of silver... to bring it into the king's treasures.—ESTHER, ch. 3.

7251. — *Unintended.* *David's.* ²¹ Saul had slain the Lord's priests. ²² And David said unto Abiathar, I knew... when Doeg the Edomite was there, that he would surely tell Saul: I have occasioned the death of all the persons of thy father's house. ²³ Abide thou with me.—1 SAM., ch. 22.

7252. — *Warning of.* *Unheeded.* ¹⁸ Asahel was as light of foot as a wild roe. ¹⁹ And Asahel pursued after Abner. ²² And Abner said again to Asahel, Turn thee aside from following me: wherefore should I smite thee to the ground?—2 SAM., ch. 2.

7253. *RESPONSIBILITIES, Various.* *Talents.* ¹⁵ Unto one he gave five talents, to another two, and to another one; to every man according to his several ability; and straightway took his journey.—MAT., ch. 25.

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7254. *REST, An enforced.* *Darkness.* ²² Moses stretched forth his hand toward heaven; and there was a thick darkness in all the land of Egypt three days: ²³ They saw not one another, neither rose any from his place for three days.—EX., ch. 12.

7255. — of Faith. *Quietness.* ¹⁸ Thus saith the Lord. In returning and rest shall ye be saved; in quietness and in confidence shall be your strength: and ye would not. ¹⁶ But ye said, No; for we will flee upon horses; therefore shall ye flee: and, We will ride upon the swift; therefore shall they that pursue you be swift.—*ISA.*, ch. 30.

7256. — Improved. *"Edified."* ³¹ Then had the churches rest throughout all Judea and Galilee and Samaria, and were edified; and walking in the fear of the Lord, and in the comfort of the Holy Ghost, were multiplied.—*ACTS*, ch. 9.

7257. — after Labour. *Creation.* ¹ The heavens and the earth were finished, and all the host of them. ² And on the seventh day God ended his work which he had made; and he rested on the seventh day.—*GEN.*, ch. 2.

7258. — No. *Dry Places.* ⁴³ When the unclean spirit is gone out of a man, he walketh through dry places, seeking rest, and findeth none.—*MAT.*, ch. 12. ³⁰ The bed is shorter than that a man can stretch himself on it: and the covering narrower than that he can wrap himself in it.—*ISA.*, ch. 28.

7259. — of Soul. *In Jesus.* ²⁸ Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. ²⁹ Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest unto your souls.—*MAT.*, ch. 11.

7260. — without. *Jesus.* ³¹ Come ye yourselves apart into a desert place, and rest a while: for there were many coming and going, and they had no leisure so much as to eat. ³² And they departed into a desert place by ship privately.—*MARK*, ch. 6.

7261. — — *Wanderer.* ⁶ As a bird that wandereth from her nest, so is a man that wandereth from his place.—*PROV.*, ch. 27.

7262. — — *Afflicted.* ⁴ When I lie down, I say, When shall I arise, and the night be gone? and I am full of tossings to and fro unto the dawning of the day.—*JOB*, ch. 7.

7263. — Year of. *"Seventh."* ³ Six years thou shalt sow thy field, and six years thou shalt prune thy vineyard, and gather in the fruit thereof; ⁴ But in the seventh year shall be a sabbath of rest unto the land, a sabbath for the Lord: thou shalt neither sow thy field, nor prune thy vineyard.—*LEV.*, ch. 25.

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7265. — — *Rich Fool.* ¹⁶ The ground of a certain rich man brought forth plentifully: ¹⁷ And he thought..What shall I do, because I have no room where to bestow my fruits?.. ²⁰ But God said..Thou fool, this night thy soul shall be required of thee: then whose shall those things be?—*LUKK.*, ch. 12.

7266. — from Fear. *The Disobedient.* ⁴⁴ Thy life shall hang in doubt before thee; and thou shalt fear day and night, and shalt have none assurance of thy life: ⁴⁵ In the morning thou shalt say, Would God it were even! and at even thou shalt say, Would God it were morning.—*DEUT.*, ch. 28.

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7268. — Imperative. *Theft.* ³ If a thief be found breaking up, and be smitten that he die, there shall no blood be shed for him. ² If the sun be risen upon him, there shall be blood shed for him; for he should make full restitution: if he have nothing, then he shall be sold for his theft.—*EX.*, ch. 22.

7269. — for Loss. *By Carelessness.* ²³ And if a man shall open a pit, or if a man shall dig a pit, and not cover it, and an ox or an ass fall therein; ²⁴ The owner of the pit shall make it good, and give money unto the owner of them; and the dead beast shall be his.—*EX.*, ch. 21.

7270. — — *By Neglect.* ²⁵ And if one man's ox hurt another's, that he die; then they shall sell the live ox, and divide the money of it; and the dead ox also they shall divide. ²⁶ Or if it be known that the ox hath used to push in time past, and his owner hath not kept him in; he shall surely pay ox for ox; and the dead shall be his own.—*EX.*, ch. 21.

7271. — — *By Fire.* ⁶ If fire break out, and catch in thorns, so that the stacks of corn, or the standing corn, or the field, be consumed therewith; he that kindled the fire shall surely make restitution.—*EX.*, ch. 22.

7272. — — *By Theft.* ¹ If a man shall

deliver unto his neighbour money or stuff to keep, and it be stolen out of the man's house; if the thief be found, let him pay double.—Ex., ch. 22.

7273. — — — *By Lending.* ¹⁴ If a man borrow *aught* of his neighbour, and it be hurt, or die, the owner thereof *being* not with it, he shall surely make it good. ¹⁵ But if the owner thereof be with it, he shall not make it good: if it be an hired thing, it came for his hire.—Ex., ch. 22.

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7275. — — — *Spiritual. Prodigal.* ²² The father said to his servants, Bring forth the best robe, and put it on him; and put a ring on his hand, and shoes on his feet.—LUKE, ch. 15.

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7277. — — — *Evidence by. Law.* ¹¹ How shall we know the word which the Lord hath not spoken? ²² When a prophet speaketh in the name of the Lord, if the thing follow not, nor come to pass, that is the thing which the Lord hath not spoken..thou shalt not be afraid of him.—DEUT., ch. 18.

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7278. RESURRECTION, Announcement of. *Jesus.* ²⁸ The hour is coming, in the which all that are in the graves shall hear his voice, ²⁹ And shall come forth; they that have done good, unto the resurrection of life; and they that have done evil, unto the resurrection of damnation.—JOHN, ch. 5.

7279. — — — *Bodies. Spiritual.* ⁴² It is sown in corruption, it is raised in incorruption: ⁴³ It is sown in dishonour, it is raised in glory: it is sown in weakness, it is raised in power: ⁴⁴ It is sown a natural body, it is raised a spiritual body.—1 COR., ch. 15.

7280. — — — *Difficulties representing.* " Whose Wife." [See No. 7287.]

7281. — — — *Denied. At Athens.* ²² When they heard of the resurrection of the dead, some mocked: and others said, We will hear thee again of this matter.—ACTS, ch. 17.

7282. — — — *Sadducees.* ¹ There arose a dissension between the Pharisees and the Sadducees: and the multitude was divided. ⁸ For the Sadducees say that there is no resurrection, neither angel, nor spirit.—ACTS, ch. 23.

7283. — — — *foretold. "Awake."* ² Many of them that sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. And they that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament.—DAN., ch. 12.

7284. — — — *Ancient Faith in. Moses.* ²² That the dead are raised, even Moses shewed at the bush, when he calleth the Lord the God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob. ²⁸ For he is not a God of the dead, but of the living.—LUKE, ch. 20.

7285. — — — *Isaiah.* ¹⁹ Thy dead men shall live, together with my dead body shall they arise. Awake and sing, ye that dwell in dust: for thy dew is as the dew of herbs, and the earth shall cast out the dead.—ISA., ch. 26.

7286. — — — *Hosea.* ¹⁴ I will ransom them from the power of the grave; I will redeem them from death: O death, I will be thy plagues; O grave, I will be thy destruction.—HOSEA, ch. 13.

7287. — — — *and Marriage. As Angels.* ¹¹ Last of all the woman died also. ²⁸ Therefore in the resurrection whose wife shall she be of the seven? for they all had her. ³⁰ For in the resurrection they neither marry, nor are given in marriage, but are as the angels.—MAT., ch. 22.

7288. — — — *recompenses. "Blessed."* ¹² When thou makest a feast, call the poor, the maimed, the lame, the blind: ¹⁴ And thou shalt be blessed; for they cannot recompense thee: for thou shalt be recompensed at the resurrection of the just.—LUKE, ch. 12.

7289. RETALIATION, Cowardly. *Joab.* ²¹ When Abner was returned to Hebron, Joab took him aside in the gate to speak with him quietly, and smote him there under the fifth rib, that he died, for the blood of Asahel his brother.—2 SAM., ch. 3.

7290. — — — *disallowed. "Resist not."* ³⁸ It hath been said, An eye for an eye, and a tooth for a tooth: ³⁹ But I say unto you, That ye resist not evil: but whosoever shall smite thee on thy right cheek, turn to him the other also.—MAT., ch. 5.

7291. — — — *Jewish. "Eye for Eye."* ²⁸ Those which remain shall hear, and fear, and shall henceforth commit no more any such evil among you. ³¹ And thine eye shall not pity; but life shall go for life, eye for eye, tooth for tooth, hand for hand, foot for foot.—DEUT., ch. 19.

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7292. RETRIBUTION for Angels. In Darkness. ⁶ The angels which kept not their first estate, but left their own habitation, he hath reserved in everlasting chains under darkness unto the judgment of the great day.—JUDE.

7293. — — — *commenced. In Persia.* ¹ When the king's commandment..drew near to be put in execution, in the day that the enemies of the

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7294. — *Slew seventy Brothers.* ¹² A certain woman cast a piece of a millstone upon Abimelech's head, and all to brake his skull. ¹⁴ Thus God rendered the wickedness of Abimelech, which he did unto his father, in slaying his seventy brethren.—*JUDGES*, ch. 9.

7295. — *Fear of Joseph's Brethren.* ²² Reuben answered. Spake I not unto you, saying, Do not sin against the child; and ye would not hear? therefore, behold, also his blood is required.—*GEN.*, ch. 42.

7296. — *Faith in. Natural.* ⁴ When the barbarians saw the venomous beast hang on his hand, they said among themselves, No doubt this man is a murderer, whom, though he hath escaped the sea, Yet vengeance suffereth not to live.—*ACTS*, ch. 28.

7297. — *inflicted. Providential.* ⁶ Adonibezek fled; and they pursued after him, and caught him, and cut off his thumbs and his great toes. ⁷ And Adonibezek said, Threescore and ten kings, having their thumbs and their great toes cut off, gathered their meat under my table; as I have done, so God hath requited me.—*JUDGES*, ch. 1.

7298. — *Justifiable. Haman's.* ⁹ Harbonah, one of the chamberlains, said. Behold also the gallows fifty cubits high..made for Mordecai, who had spoken good for the king, standeth in the house of Haman. Then the king said, Hang him thereon.—*ESTHER*, ch. 7.

7299. — *Daniel's Foes.* ²⁴ They brought those men who had accused Daniel, and they cast them into the den of lions, them, their children, and their wives; and the lions brake all their bones in pieces.—*DAN.*, ch. 6.

7300. — *Providential. In Samaria.* ²⁵ At the beginning of their dwelling there.. they feared not the Lord: therefore the Lord sent lions among them which slew some of them.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 17.

7301. — *In Egypt.* ²⁹ At midnight the Lord smote all the firstborn in the land of Egypt, from the firstborn of Pharaoh that sat on his throne unto the firstborn of the captive that was in the dungeon.—*EX.*, ch. 12.

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7302. RETURN, A sad. *Joseph's Brethren.* ¹² He searched, and began at the eldest, and left at the youngest: and the cup was found in Benjamin's sack. ¹³ Then they rent their clothes, and laded every man his ass, and returned to the city.—*GEN.*, ch. 44.

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7303. REVELBY, Impious. *Belshazzar.* ⁸ They brought the golden vessels that were taken out of the temple..at Jerusalem; and the king and his princes, his wives and his concubines, drank in them. ⁴ They drank wine, and praised the gods of gold, and of silver, of brass.—*DAN.*, ch. 5.

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7305. — *A Brother's.* *Absalom.* ²⁸ When I say unto you, Smite Amnon; then kill him, fear not..be courageous.. ²⁹ And the servants of Absalom did..Then all the king's sons arose, and gat him up upon his mule, and fled.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 13.

7306. — *Joab.* ²¹ And when Abner was returned to Hebron, Joab took him aside in the gate to speak with him quietly, and smote him there under the fifth rib, that he died, for the blood of Asahel his brother.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 3.

7307. — *The best. Kindness.* ²¹ If thine enemy be hungry, give him bread to eat; and if he be thirsty, give him water to drink: ²² For thou shalt heap coals of fire upon his head, and the Lord shall reward thee.—*PROV.*, ch. 25.

7308. — *frustrated. Haman.* ⁴ The king said, Who is in the court? Now Haman was come..to speak unto the king to hang Mordecai on the gallows that he had prepared for him.—*ESTHER*, ch. 6.

7309. — *ignored. Moses.* ¹ Miriam and Aaron spake against Moses because of the Ethiopian woman whom he had married.. ¹² And Moses cried unto the Lord, saying, Heal her now, O God, I beseech thee.—*NUM.*, ch. 12. [Of leprosy inflicted.]

7310. — *By David.* [Shimei cursed and cast stones when David fled from Absalom.] ²¹ Abishai said, Shall not Shimei be put to death for this, because he cursed the Lord's anointed? ²² And David said, What have I to do with you, ye sons of Zeruiah, that ye should this day be adversaries unto me?—*2 SAM.*, ch. 19.

7311. — *Justifiable. Samson.* ⁶ The Philistines came up, and burnt her and her father with fire. ⁷ And Samson said..Though ye have done this, yet will I be avenged of you, and after that I will cease. ⁸ And he smote them hip and thigh with a great slaughter.—*JUDGES*, ch. 15.

7312. — *nursed. Absalom.* ²⁹ Absalom spake unto his brother Amnon neither good nor bad: for Absalom hated Amnon, because he had forced his sister Tamar. ³³..after two full years..Absalom had sheepshearers in Baalhazor..and Absalom invited all the king's sons.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 13. [See No. 7305.]

7313. — *proposed. Esau.* ⁴¹ Esau hated Jacob because..his father blessed him: and Esau said in his heart, The days of mourning for my father are at hand; then will I slay my brother Jacob.—*GEN.*, ch. 27.

7314. — *Price for. Haman.* ⁹ Let it be written that they may be destroyed: and I will pay ten thousand talents of silver..into the king's treasures.—*ESTHER*, ch. 3.

7315. — *Prayer for. Samson.* ²¹ There were upon the roof about three thousand men and

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⁴ And Ezra blessed the Lord, the great God. And all the people answered, Amen, Amen, with lifting up their hands: and they bowed their heads, and worshipped the Lord with their faces to the ground.—NEH., ch. 8.

7317. — Affectionate. Magdalene. ¹ Jesus sat at meat in the Pharisee's house, brought an alabaster box of ointment. . . ³⁰ And stood at his feet behind him weeping, and began to wash his feet with tears, and did wipe them with the hairs of her head, and kissed his feet, and anointed them with the ointment.—LUKE, ch. 7.

7318. — for Age. Pharaoh's. ¹ Joseph brought in Jacob his father, and set him before Pharaoh: and Jacob blessed Pharaoh.—GEN., ch. 47.

7319. — Careful. "Shoes off!" ⁴ God called unto him out of the midst of the bush, and said, Moses, Moses! And he said, Here am I. ⁵ And he said, Draw not nigh hither: put off thy shoes from off thy feet; for the place whereon thou standest is holy ground.—EX., ch. 3.

7320. — commanded. Flocks. ³ No man shall come up with thee, neither let any man be seen throughout all the mount; neither let the flocks nor herds feed before that mount.—EX., ch. 34.

7321. — commends. Peter. ⁸ When Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, Depart from me; for I am a sinful man, O

Lord. . . ¹⁰ And Jesus said unto Simon . . . from henceforth thou shalt catch men.—LUKE, ch. 5.

7322. — of Esteem. Mephibosheth. ⁶ When Mephibosheth, the son of Jonathan . . . was come unto David, he fell on his face, and did reverence.—2 SAM., ch. 9.

7323. — Joyous. "Shouted. fell." ²⁴ There came a fire out from before the Lord, and consumed upon the altar the burnt offering and the fat: which when all the people saw, they shouted, and fell on their faces.—LEV., ch. 22.

7324. — manifested. Joshua. ¹⁴ As captain of the host of the Lord am I now come. And Joshua fell on his face to the earth, and did worship, and said unto him, What saith my lord unto his servant? ¹⁵ . . . Loose thy shoe from off thy foot; for the place whereon thou standest is holy.—JOSH., ch. 5.

7325. — necessary. Sacrifices. ¹ The heaven is my throne, and the earth is my footstool. . . ² . . . but to this man will I look, even to him that is poor and of a contrite spirit, and trembleth at my word. ³ He that killeth an ox is as if he slew a man; he that sacrificeth a lamb, as if he cut off a dog's neck.—ISA., ch. 66.

7326. — Philistines. ¹⁹ The men of Beth-shemesh, because they had looked into the ark of the Lord, even he smote of the people fifty thousand and threescore and ten men.—1 SAM., ch. 6.

7327. — Preserved by. Soldiers. ¹³ The third captain of fifty went up . . . and fell on his knees before Elijah . . . and said . . . O man of God, I pray thee, let my life, and the life of these fifty thy servants, be precious in thy sight.—2 KINGS, ch. 1.

7328. — Unworthy of. The Agagite. ¹ All the king's servants, that were in the king's gate, bowed, and revered Haman; for the king had so commanded concerning him. But Mordecai bowed not, nor did him reverence.—ESTHER, ch. 3.

7329. — for the Word. "When he opened it, all the people stood up." [See No. 7316.]

7330. — Worthy of. Parable. ²³ The husbandmen took his servants, and beat one, and killed another, and stoned another. ²⁴ Again, he sent other servants. . . ²⁷ But last of all he sent unto them his son, saying, They will reverence my son.—MAT., ch. 21.

7331. — Youthful. Young Ruler. ¹¹ When he was gone forth into the way, there came one running, and kneeled to him, and asked him, Good Master, what shall I do that I may inherit eternal life?—MARK, ch. 10.

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7332. REVENUE, Royal. Solomon. ¹⁴ The weight of gold that came to Solomon in one year was six hundred threescore and six talents

of gold, ¹⁸ Besides *that he had* of the merchantmen, and of the traffick of the spice merchants, and of all the kings of Arabia.—1 KINGS, ch. 10.

7333. REVELATION sufficient. *Dives.* ²⁰ He said, Nay, father Abraham : but if one went unto them from the dead, they will repent. ²¹ And he said, .If they hear not Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded, though one rose from the dead.—LUKE, ch. 16.

7344. REVIVAL, Bible Reading in. *King Josiah said,* ¹³ Go ye, inquire of the Lord for me, and for the people, and for all Judah, concerning the words of this book that is found : for great is the wrath of the Lord that is kindled against us, because our fathers have not hearkened unto the words of this book.—2 KINGS, ch. 22.

7335. — Call for a. "Proclamation." ¹ They made proclamation throughout Judah and Jerusalem, .that they should gather .unto Jerusalem ; ² And that whosoever would not come within three days, according to the counsel of the princes and the elders, all his substance should be forfeited, and himself separated from the congregation.—EZRA, ch. 10.

7336. — Changes in. By the Spirit. ¹⁶ Until the spirit be poured upon us from on high, and the wilderness be a fruitful field, and the fruitful field be counted for a forest. ¹⁶ Then judgment shall dwell in the wilderness, and righteousness remain in the fruitful field.—ISA., ch. 32.

7337. — A continued. At Jerusalem. [Temple purified, priests reconsecrated.] ²¹ The children of Israel .kept the feast of unleavened bread seven days with great gladness : and the Levites and the priests praised the Lord day by day, *singing* with loud instruments unto the Lord. . ²² And the whole assembly took counsel to keep other seven days : and they kept *other* seven days with gladness. ²⁴ For Hezekiah king of Judah did give to the congregation a thousand bullocks and seven thousand sheep ; and the princes gave to the congregation a thousand bullocks and ten thousand sheep : and a great number of priests sanctified themselves.—2 CHRON., ch. 30.

7338. — Commotion in. "Shaking." [See No. 7355.] ¹ So I prophesied as I was commanded : and as I prophesied, there was a noise, and behold a shaking, and the bones came together, bone to his bone.—EZEK., ch. 37.

7339. — Eagerness for a. "Amen." [See No. 7354.] ⁵ Ezra opened the book in the sight of all the people, .and when he opened it, all the people stood up : ⁶ And Ezra blessed the Lord, the great God. And all the people answered Amen, Amen, with lifting up their hands : and they bowed their heads, and worshipped the Lord with *their faces* to the ground.—NEH., ch. 8.

7340. — Fruit of. Pentecost. ⁴⁴ All that believed were together, and had all things common ; ⁴⁵ And sold their possessions and goods, and parted them to all *men*, as every man had need.—ACTS, ch. 2.

7341. — Families in. [See No. 7334.] *"Small and Great."* ¹ The king went up into the house of the Lord, and all the men of Judah and all the inhabitants of Jerusalem .and

all the people, both small and great : and he read in their ears all the words of the book of the covenant.—2 KINGS, ch. 23.

7342. — A famous. "Great Joy." [See No. 7337.] ⁴⁴ All the congregation of Judah, with the priests and the Levites, and all .that came out of Israel, and the strangers that came out of the land of Israel, and that dwelt in Judah, rejoiced. ⁴⁶ So there was great joy in Jerusalem : for since the time of Solomon, .there was not the like in Jerusalem.—2 CHRON., ch. 30.

7343. — A genuine. Jewish. ²¹ Hezekiah .said, Now ye have consecrated yourselves unto the Lord, come near and bring sacrifices and thank offerings into the house of the Lord. And the congregation brought in sacrifices and thank offerings ; and as many as were of a free heart, burnt offerings.—2 CHRON., ch. 29.

7344. — A general. Antioch. ⁴³ When the congregation was broken up, many of the Jews and religious proselytes followed Paul and Barnabas : who .persuaded them to continue in the grace of God. ⁴⁴ And the next sabbath day came almost the whole city together to hear the word of God.—ACTS, ch. 13.

7345. — — Samaria. ⁵ Philip went down to the city of Samaria, and preached Christ unto them. ⁶ And the people with one accord gave heed unto those things which Philip spake, hearing and seeing the miracles which he did. . ⁸ And there was great joy in that city.—ACTS, ch. 8.

7346. — Irregularity in. "Levites helped." [See No. 7343.] ²⁴ The priests were too few, so that they could not flay all the burnt offerings : wherefore their brethren the Levites did help them, till the work was ended, and until the other priests had sanctified themselves : for the Levites were more upright in heart to sanctify themselves than the priests.—2 CHRON., ch. 29.

7347. — Ingathering by. Primitive. [See No. 7363.] ⁴¹ The same day there were added unto them about three thousand souls. ⁴² And they continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers.—ACTS, ch. 2.

7348. — — Jerusalem. ⁴ Many of them which heard the word believed ; and the number of the men was about five thousand.—ACTS, ch. 4.

7349. — Joy of. Jewish. [See No. 7346.] ²⁵ The burnt offerings were in abundance, with the fat of the peace offerings, and the drink offerings for every burnt offering. So the service of the house of the Lord was set in order. ²⁶ And Hezekiah rejoiced, and all the people, that God had prepared the people : for the thing was done suddenly.—2 CHRON., ch. 29.

7350. — — Pentecost. ⁴⁴ They, continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, did eat their meat with gladness and singleness of heart, ⁴¹ Praising God, and having favour with all the people. And the Lord added to the church daily such as should be saved.—ACTS, ch. 2.

7351. — Liberality in. Jewish. [See No. 7343.] ²³ The number of the burnt offerings, which the congregation brought, was threescore and ten bullocks, an hundred rams, and two

hundred lambs. . . ²³ And the consecrated things were six hundred oxen and three thousand sheep. —2 CHRON., ch. 29.

7352. — Means of. "Put Away." ² Samuel spake. If ye do return unto the Lord with all your hearts, then put away the strange gods, and Ashtaroth, from among you, and prepare your hearts unto the Lord, and serve him only : and he will deliver you out of the hand of the Philistines. —1 SAM., ch. 7.

7353. — Mourning for a. Temple rebuilt. ¹ When Ezra had prayed, and when he had confessed, weeping and casting himself down before the house of God, there assembled unto him out of Israel a very great congregation of men and women and children : for the people wept very sore. . . ⁶ Then Ezra rose up . . . and went into the chamber of Johanan . . . he did eat no bread, nor drink water : for he mourned because of the transgression of them that had been carried away. —EZRA, ch. 10.

7354. — A Meeting for. At Jerusalem. ¹ Ezra the priest brought the law before the congregation both of men and women, and all that could hear with understanding. . . ³ And he read therein . . . from the morning until midday . . . and the ears of all the people were attentive unto the book of the law. —NEH., ch. 8.

7355. — Need of. "Dry Bones." ¹ Hand of the Lord was upon me . . . and set me down in the midst of the valley which was full of bones, ² And caused me to pass by them round about : and, behold, there were very many in the open valley ; and, lo, they were very dry. —EZEK., ch. 37.

7356. — Preparation for a. Made straight. ⁴ Prepare ye the way of the Lord, make his paths straight. ⁶ Every valley shall be filled, and every mountain and hill shall be brought low ; and the crooked shall be made straight, and the rough ways shall be made smooth ; ⁶ And all flesh shall see the salvation of God. —LUKE, ch. 3.

7357. — Elijah. ²⁰ He repaired the altar of the Lord that was broken down. ³¹ And Elijah took twelve stones, according to the number of the tribes of the sons of Jacob. . . ³² And with the stones he built an altar. —1 KINGS, ch. 18.

7358. — Preaching. At Capernaum. ² Straightway many were gathered together, inasmuch that there was no room to receive them, no, not so much as about the door : and he preached the word unto them. —MARK, ch. 2.

7359. — by Preaching. Prophecy. ⁴ Prophesy upon these bones, and say unto them, O ye dry bones, hear the word of the Lord. ⁶ Thus saith the Lord God unto these bones ; Behold, I will cause breath to enter into you, and ye shall live. —EZEK., ch. 37.

7360. — Remarkable. The Baptist. ⁵ Then went out to him Jerusalem, and all Judea, and all the region round about Jordan, ⁶ And were baptized of him in Jordan, confessing their sins. —MAT., ch. 3.

7361. — Readiness for. "Great Rain." [See No. 7353.] ⁵ Then all the men of Judah and Benjamin gathered themselves together unto Jerusalem within three days . . . and all the people sat in the street of the house of God, trembling be-

cause of this matter, and for the great rain. —EZRA, ch. 10.

7362. — Reclaimed by. "Bones . . . Army." [See No. 7359.] ¹⁰ So I prophesied as he commanded me, and the breath came into them, and they lived, and stood up upon their feet, an exceeding great army. —EZEK., ch. 37.

7363. — A sudden. Pentecost. ²¹ When they heard this, they were pricked in their heart, and said unto Peter and to the rest of the apostles, Men and brethren, what shall we do ? ²³ Then Peter said . . . Repent, and be baptized . . . and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost. —ACTS, ch. 2.

7364. — By the Truth. "Gave the Sense." [See No. 7354.] ¹ The Levites, caused the people to understand the law : and the people stood in their place. ⁸ So they read in the book in the law of God distinctly, and gave the sense, and caused them to understand the reading. —NEH., ch. 8.

7365. — Unity in a. "All . . . loud Voice." [See No. 7361.] ¹¹ Make confession unto the Lord God of your fathers, and do his pleasure : and separate yourselves from the people of the land, and from the strange wives. ¹³ Then all the congregation answered and said with a loud voice, As thou hast said, so must we do. —EZRA, ch. 10.

7366. — Vows in. "Stood to the Covenant." ³ The king stood by a pillar, and made a covenant before the Lord, to walk after the Lord, and to keep his commandments . . . with all their heart and all their soul, to perform the words of this covenant that were written in this book. And all the people stood to the covenant. —2 KINGS, ch. 23.

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7367. REVILING, Abusive. *Paul.* ²³ They gave him audience unto this word, and then lifted up their voices, and said, Away with such a fellow from the earth: for it is not fit that he should live. ²⁴ They cried out..and threw dust into the air.—*ACTS*, ch. 22.

7368. REVOLUTION, Christianity a. *At Thessalonica.* ⁵ The Jews..moved with envy, took unto them certain lewd fellows of the baser sort..and set all the city on an uproar, and assaulted the house of Jason.. ⁶ And when they found them not, they drew Jason and certain brethren unto the rulers of the city, crying, These that have turned the world upside down are come hither also.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

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7369. REWARD, Abundant. *Peter's.* ³ He entered into one of the ships, which was Simon's, and prayed him that he would thrust out a little from the land. And he sat down, and taught the people out of the ship.. ⁵ Nevertheless at thy word I will let down the net. ⁶ And when they had this done, they inclosed a great multitude of fishes.—*LUKE*, ch. 5.

7370. — for Benevolence. *At Resurrection.* ²³ Said..to him that bade him, When thou makest a dinner or a supper, call not thy friends, nor thy brethren, neither thy kinsmen, nor thy rich neighbours; lest they also bid thee again, and a recompense be made thee. ²⁴ But..call the poor, the maimed, the lame, the blind: ²⁵ And thou shalt be blessed..thou shalt be recompensed at the resurrection of the just.—*LUKE*, ch. 14.

7371. — delayed. *Mordecai.* ³ It was found written, that Mordecai had told of Bigthana and Teresh, two of the king's chamberlains, the keepers of the door, who sought to lay hand on the king Ahasuerus. ⁵ And the king said, What honour and dignity hath been done to Mordecai for this? Then said the king's servants..There is nothing done for him.—*ESTHER*, ch. 6.

7372. — declined. *Abram.* ²² Abram said to the king of Sodom, I have lifted up mine hand unto the Lord.. ²³ That I will not take from a thread even to a shoelatchet, and that I will not take any thing that is thine, lest thou shouldst say, I have made Abram rich.—*GEN.*, ch. 14.

7373. — for Dishonour. *Delilah.* ⁵ The lords of the Philistines..said unto her, Entice him, and see wherein his great strength lieth, and by what means..we may bind him to afflict him: and we will give thee every one of us eleven hundred pieces of silver.—*JUDGES*, ch. 16.

7374. — Future. *Moses.* ²⁶ Esteeming the reproach of Christ greater riches than the treasures in Egypt: for he had respect unto the recompense of the reward.—*HEB.*, ch. 11.

7375. — Gracious. *Woman.* ⁷ There cometh a woman of Samaria to draw water: Jesus saith..Give me to drink.. ¹⁸ The woman then left her waterpot, and went her way into the city, and saith to the men, ²⁹ Come, see a man which told me all things that ever I did: is not this the Christ?—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

7376. — by Grace. *Servants.* ⁹ Doth he thank that servant because he did the things that were commanded him? I trow not. ¹⁰ So likewise ye, when ye shall have done all..say, We are unprofitable servants: we have done that which was our duty to do.—*LUKE*, ch. 17.

7377. — The Labourer's. *"Fruit."* ²⁸ Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields; for they are white already to harvest. ³² And he that reapeth receiveth wages, and gathereth fruit unto life eternal: that both he that soweth and he that reapeth may rejoice together.—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

7378. — of Treachery. *Judas.* ⁴ I have sinned in that I have betrayed the innocent blood. And they said, What is that to us? see thou to that. ⁵ And he cast down the pieces of silver in the temple, and departed, and went and hanged himself.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

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7379. RICH, Benevolence of the. *Zaccheus.* ⁵ Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor;

and if I have taken any thing from any man by false accusation, I restore him fourfold.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

7380. — Duty of the. "*Do Good.*" ¹⁸ That they do good, that they be rich in good works, ready to distribute, willing to communicate; ¹⁹ Laying up in store for themselves a good foundation against the time to come, that they may lay hold on eternal life.—*1 TIM.*, ch. 6.

7381. — Hospitality of the. *Zaccheus.* ⁵ Zaccheus, make haste, and come down; for to day I must abide at thy house. ⁶ And he made haste, and came down, and received him joyfully.—*ACTS*, ch. 19.

7382. — Indifference of the. *Dives.* ¹⁹ There was a certain rich man, which fared sumptuously every day: ²⁰ And there was a certain beggar named Lazarus, which was laid at his gate, full of sores, ²¹ And desiring to be fed with the crumbs.—*LUKE*, ch. 16.

7383. — Oppression of the. "*Buy.*" ⁶ That we may buy the poor for silver, and the needy for a pair of shoes; yea, and sell the refuse of the wheat?—*AMOS*, ch. 8.

7384. — Peril by the. *Young Ruler.* ²³ He was sad at that saying, and went away grieved: for he had great possessions. ²⁴ And Jesus saith, How hardly shall they that have riches enter into the kingdom of God!—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

7385. — Robbery by the. *Parable.* ³ The rich man had exceeding many flocks and herds: ⁴ But the poor man had nothing, save one little ewe lamb, which he had bought and nourished up: and it grew up with his children. The rich man spared to take of his own flock, to dress for the wayfaring man that was come, but took the poor man's lamb.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 12.

7386. — surpassed, The. "*Two Miles.*" ⁴³ This poor widow hath cast more in, than all they which have cast into the treasury: ⁴⁴ For all they did cast in of their abundance; but she of her want did cast in all that she had, even all her living.—*MARK*, ch. 12.

7387. RICHES, Advantage of. "*Distribute.*" [See No. 7380.]

7388. — Cost of. *Jacob.* ⁴⁰ Thus I was; in the day the drought consumed me, and the frost by night; and my sleep departed from mine eyes. ⁴¹ Thus have I been twenty years in thy house.—*GEN.*, ch. 31.

7389. — Care of. *Dives.* ¹⁷ He thought within himself, saying, What shall I do, because I have no room where to bestow my fruits? ¹⁸ And he said, This will I do: I will pull down my barns, and build greater.—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

7390. — Display of. *Solomon's.* ¹⁶ King Solomon made two hundred targets of beaten gold: six hundred shekels of gold went to one target. ¹⁷ And he made three hundred shields of beaten gold; three pounds of gold went to one shield: and the king put them in the house of the forest of Lebanon.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 10.

7391. — *Solomon's.* ¹⁸ The king made a great throne of ivory, and overlaid it with the best gold. ¹⁹ The throne had six steps, and the top of the throne was round behind: and there were stays on either side, and two lions stood beside the stays. ²⁰ And twelve lions stood there on the one side and on the

other upon the six steps: there was not the like made in any kingdom.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 10.

7392. — Dangers in. *The King.* ¹⁶ He shall not multiply horses to himself. ¹⁷ Neither shall he multiply wives to himself, that his heart turn not away: neither shall he greatly multiply to himself silver and gold.—*DEUT.*, ch. 17.

7393. — Despised. *Moses.* ²⁴ By faith Moses refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter; ²⁵ Choosing rather to suffer affliction with the people of God, than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season; ²⁶ Esteeming the reproach of Christ greater riches than the treasures in Egypt.—*HEB.*, ch. 11.

7394. — Deceptive. *Proverb.* ⁷ There is that maketh himself rich, yet hath nothing: there is that maketh himself poor, yet hath great riches.—*PROV.*, ch. 13.

7395. — Discontent with. *Haman.* ¹¹ Haman told them of the glory of his riches, and his children, and the king had promoted him. ¹² Yet all this availeth me nothing, so long as I see Mordecai the Jew sitting at the king's gate.—*ESTHER*, ch. 5.

7396. — Extravagance with. *Solomon.* ²¹ All king Solomon's drinking vessels were of gold, and all the vessels of the house of the forest of Lebanon were of pure gold; none were of silver: it was nothing accounted of in the days of Solomon.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 10.

7397. — Great. *Solomon's.* ¹⁴ The weight of gold that came to Solomon in one year was six hundred threescore and six talents of gold. ¹⁵ Besides that he had of the merchantmen, and of the traffick of the spice merchants, and of all the kings of Arabia, and of the governors of the country.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 10.

7398. — Hurtful. "*Kept.*" ¹³ There is a sore evil, namely, riches kept for the owners thereof to their hurt. ¹⁴ But those riches perish by evil travail: and he begetteth a son, and there is nothing in his hand. ¹⁵ As he came forth, naked shall he return.—*ECC.*, ch. 5.

7399. — Hasty. *Proverb.* ²⁰ A faithful man shall abound with blessings: but he that maketh haste to be rich shall not be innocent. ²¹ He that hasteth to be rich hath an evil eye, and considereth not that poverty shall come upon him.—*PROV.*, ch. 28.

7400. — Increase of. *Jacob.* ¹⁸ I am not worthy of the least of all the mercies, which thou hast shewed unto my servant; for with my staff I passed over this Jordan; and now I am become two bands. ¹⁹ Deliver me, I pray thee, from the hand of Esau.—*GEN.*, ch. 32.

7401. — Ill-gotten. *Ahab's.* ¹⁹ Thus saith the Lord, Hast thou killed, and also taken possession? In the place where dogs licked the blood of Naboth shall dogs lick thy blood, even thine. ²⁰ And Ahab said to Elijah, Hast thou found me, O mine enemy?—*1 KINGS*, ch. 21.

7402. — Misled by. *Dives.* ¹⁹ I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years; take thine ease, eat, drink, and be merry.—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

7403. — Overgrowth of. "*Thorns.*" ¹⁸ These are they which are sown among thorns; such as hear the word, ¹⁹ And the cares of this

world, and the deceitfulness of riches, and the lusts of other things entering in, choke the word, and it becometh unfruitful.—**MARX**, ch. 4.

7404. — an *Obstacle*. *Young Ruler*. "Yet lackest thou one thing: sell all that thou hast, and distribute unto the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven: and come, follow me. "And when he heard this, he was very sorrowful; for he was very rich.—**LUKE**, ch. 18.

7405. — *Poverty with*. *Laodiceans*. "So then because thou art lukewarm, and neither cold nor hot, I will spew thee out of my mouth. "Because thou sayest, I am rich, and increased with goods, and have need of nothing; and knowest not that thou art wretched, and miserable, and poor, and blind, and naked.—**REV.**, ch. 3.

7406. — *Pride from*. *Tyre*. "Son of man, say unto the prince of Tyrus. Because thine heart is lifted up, and thou hast said, I am a god, I sit in the seat of God, in the midst of the seas. "by thy traffick hast thou increased thy riches, and thine heart is lifted up because of thy riches.—**EZEK.**, ch. 28.

7407. — *restored*. *Job*. "The Lord blessed the latter end of Job more than his beginning: for he had fourteen thousand sheep, and six thousand camels, and a thousand yoke of oxen, and a thousand she asses. "He had also seven sons and three daughters.—**JOB**, ch. 42.

7408. — *for the Eye*. "*Beholding*." "When goods increased, they are increased that eat them: and what good is there to the owners thereof, saving the beholding of them with their eyes?—**ECCLES.**, ch. 5.

7409. — *Separation by*. *Jacob — Esau*. "Esau took his wives, and all the persons of his house, and his cattle, and all his substance, and went into the country from the face of his brother Jacob. "For their riches were more than that they might dwell together; and the land could not bear their cattle.—**GEN.**, ch. 36.

7410. — *Surrender of*. *Dives*. "But God said unto him, Thou fool, this night thy soul shall be required of thee: then whose shall those things be, which thou hast provided?—**LUKE**, ch. 12.

7411. — *A Sinner's*. *Gehazi's*. "Is it a time to receive money, and to receive garments, and oliveyards, and vineyards, and sheep, and oxen, and menservants, and maidservants? "The leprosy therefore of Naaman shall cleave unto thee, and unto thy seed for ever.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 5.

7412. — *transformed*. "*Treasure in Heaven*." [See No. 7404.]

7413. — *Unjust*. "*Fraud*." "The hire of the labourers who have reaped down your fields, which is of you kept back by fraud, crieth; and the cries of them which have reaped are entered into the ears of the Lord of Sabaoth.—**JAMES**, ch. 5.

7414. — *Unsatisfying*. "*Beholding*." "He that loveth silver shall not be satisfied with silver; nor he that loveth abundance with increase: this is also vanity. "When goods increase, they are increased that eat them: and what good is there to the owners thereof, saving

the beholding of them with their eyes?—**ECCLES.**, ch. 5.

7415. — *unchosen*. *Solomon*. "Because thou hast asked this thing, and hast not asked for thyself long life; neither riches, nor the life of thine enemies; but hast asked for thyself understanding to discern judgment. "I have also given thee that which thou hast not asked, both riches, and honour.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 3.

7416. — *undesired*. *Agur*. "Give me neither poverty nor riches; feed me with food convenient for me: "Lest I be full, and deny thee, and say, Who is the Lord? or lest I be poor, and steal and take the name of my God in vain.—**PROV.**, ch. 30.

7417. — *Uncertain*. *Wings*. "Wilt thou set thine eyes upon that which is not? for riches certainly make themselves wings; they fly away as an eagle toward heaven.—**PROV.**, ch. 23.

7418. — *Undesirable*. *Proverb*. "Better is a little with righteousness than great revenues without right.—**PROV.**, ch. 16.

7419. — *Unessential*. *Dives*. "Take heed, and beware of covetousness: for a man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth. "And he spake a parable. The ground of a certain rich man brought forth plentifully.—**LUKE**, ch. 12.

7420. — *Unhappiness with*. *Nabal*. "Was very great, and he had three thousand sheep, and a thousand goats. "the name of his wife Abigail; and she was a woman of good understanding, and of a beautiful countenance: but the man was churlish and evil in his doings.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 25.

7421. — *unenjoyed*. *Vanity*. "There is an evil which is common among men: "A man to whom God hath given riches, wealth, and honour, so that he wanteth nothing for his soul of all that he desireth, yet God giveth him not power to eat thereof, but a stranger eateth it: this is vanity.—**ECCLES.**, ch. 6.

7422. — *Vanity of*. *Solomon*. "I made me great works; I builded me houses; I planted me vineyards: "I made me gardens and orchards, and I planted trees in them of all kind of fruits.—[See **ECCLES.** 2: 4-11.]

7423. — *and Wickedness*. *Woe*. "Go to now, ye rich men, weep and howl for your miseries that shall come upon you. "Your riches are corrupted, and your garments are moth-eaten. "Your gold and silver is cankered; and the rust of them shall be a witness against you, and shall eat your flesh as it were fire.—**JAMES**, ch. 5.

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Best. Buy of me gold tried in the fire 3636
Better. Silver and gold have I none, such as I have 3637
City. City was pure gold like unto glass 3638
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Furniture. Beds of gold and silver vessels 3640
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Extensive. Whether things present or things to 6288

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Forsaken. Regard not your stuff..E. is yours 8886
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Greater. Esteeming the reproach of C...riches of E. 195
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7424. RIDDLE. Difficult. *Samson's.* ¹⁴ Out of the eater came forth meat, and out of the strong came forth sweetness. And they could not in three days expound the riddle. ¹⁸ And the men of the city said unto him on the seventh day before the sun went down, What is sweeter than honey? and what is stronger than a lion. —JUDGES, ch. 14.

7425. RIDICULE of Doctrine. *At Mars' Hill.* ²² When they heard of the resurrection of the dead, some mocked. —ACTS, ch. 17.

7426. — Fatal. *Samson.* ²⁵ When their hearts were merry..they said, Call for Samson, that he may make us sport. ³⁰ And Samson said, Let me die with the Philistines. And he bowed himself with all his might; and the house fell upon the lords, and upon all the people. —JUDGES, ch. 16.

7427. — of Failure. *Tower-builder.* ²² Lest haply, after he hath laid the foundation, and is not able to finish it, all that behold it begin to mock him, ³⁰ Saying, This man began to build, and was not able to finish. —LUKE, ch. 14.

7428. — Horrible. *Trial of Christ.* ⁴¹ The chief priests mocking him, with the scribes and elders, said, ⁴² He saved others; himself he cannot save. If he be the King of Israel, let him now come down from the cross, and we will believe him. ⁴³ He trusted in God; let him deliver him now, if he will have him? for he said, I am the Son of God. ⁴⁴ The thieves also..cast the same in his teeth. —MAT., ch. 27.

7429. — Impious. *Ephraimites.* [Hezekiah sent messengers calling Israel to the passover.] ¹⁰ They laughed them to scorn, and mocked them. ¹¹ Nevertheless, divers of Asher and Manasseh and of Zebulun humbled themselves, and came to Jerusalem. —2 CHRON., ch. 30.

7430. — — At Athens. ¹⁸ Certain philosophers of the Epicureans, and of the Stoics, encountered him. And some said, What will this babbler say? other some, He seemeth to be a setter forth of strange gods: because he preached unto them Jesus, and the resurrection. —ACTS, ch. 17.

7431. — Insulting. *Mutilation.* ² David sent to comfort him by the hand of his servants for his father. ⁴ Hanun took David's servants, and shaved off the one half of their beards, and cut off their garments in the middle, even to their buttocks, and sent them away. —2 SAM., ch. 10.

7432. — Opposition by. *Wall-builders.* ² He spake before his brethren and the army of

Samaria, and said, What do these feeble Jews? will they fortify themselves? will they sacrifice? will they make an end in a day? will they revive the stones out of the heaps of the rubbish. —NEH., ch. 4.

7433. — — Of Work. ² Tobiah the Ammonite was by him, and he said, Even that which they build, if a fox go up, he shall even break down their stone wall. —NEH., ch. 4.

7434. — Punishment for. *Behel Children.* ²³ Said unto him, Go up, thou bald head. ²⁴ And he turned back..and cursed them in the name of the Lord. And there came forth two she bears out of the wood, and tare forty and two children of them. —2 KINGS, ch. 2.

7535. — of Royalty. *Pilate's Hall.* ⁸ Then came Jesus forth, wearing the crown of thorns, and the purple robe. And Pilate saith..Behold the man. —JOHN, ch. 19.

7436. — Scornful. *Wall-builders.* ¹⁹ When Sanballat the Horonite, and Tobiah the servant, the Ammonite, and Geshem the Arabian, heard it, they laughed us to scorn, and despised us, and said, What is this thing that ye do? will ye rebel against the king? —NEH., ch. 2.

7437. — of the Spirit. *Pentecost.* ¹² Were all amazed, and were in doubt, saying one to another, What meaneth this? ¹³ Others mocking said, These men are full of new wine. —ACTS, ch. 2.

7438. — Trial by. *Blind Son.* ²⁸ They reviled him, and said, Thou art his disciple; but we are Moses' disciples. ²⁹ We know that God spake unto Moses: as for this fellow, we know not from whence he is. —JOHN, ch. 9.

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DERISION.

Horrible. Put on him a scarlet robe..crown 2197
Implous. Laughed them to scorn and mocked 2198
Nickname. Thou art a Samaritan, and hast a devil 2200
Punished. Sarah saw the son of Hagar mocking 2199
Truth. Pharisees who were covetous..derided 2201
Unfortunates. Thieves also..cast the same into 2202
Wicked. They shoot out the lip, and shake the 2203

INSULT.

Ignored. Despised him [Saul]..held his peace 4567
First. Thrust him [Jesus] out of the city..headlong 4568
Rewarded. Cut off their garments in the middle 4569
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IRONY.

Horrible. This is Jesus the king of the Jews 4659
Rebuke. Cry aloud, for he is a god 4660

MOCKERY.

Blasphemous. Crown of thorns..reed..Hall, King 5484
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SARCASM.

Brother's. With whom hast thou left those few a. 7576
Wife's. How glorious was the king of I. to-day? 7577

SCOFFERS.

Malicious. Prophecy unto us, thou Christ..who 7614
" Herod arrayed him in a gorgeous robe 7615

SCORN.

of Pride. [Haman] Scorn to lay hands on Mordecai 7618
Public. All clap their hands at thee and hiss 7619
Unbelief. She sleepeth..they laughed him to scorn 7620
Taunt. Who made thee a prince and a judge over 8280

7439. RIGHT, Boldness for the. Battle. ¹ When thou goest out to battle against thine enemies, and seest horses, and chariots, and a people more than thou, be not afraid of them: for the Lord thy God is with thee.—*DEUT.*, ch. 20.

7440. RIGHTS affirmed. Civil. ³¹ Paul said.. They have beaten us openly uncondemned, being Romans, and have cast us into prison; and now do they thrust us out privily? nay verily; but let them come themselves and fetch us out.—*ACTS*, ch. 16. [Done at Philippi.]

7441. — Belittled. Esau. ²⁵ As they bound him with thongs, Paul said.. Is it lawful for you to scourge a man that is a Roman, and uncondemned? ²⁶ When the centurion heard that, he went and told the chief captain, saying, Take heed what thou doest; for this man is a Roman.—*ACTS*, ch. 22.

7442. — Belittled. Esau. ³⁴ Jacob gave Esau bread and pottage of lentiles; and he did eat and drink, and rose up, and went his way. Thus Esau despised his birthright.—*GEN.*, ch. 25.

7443. — Surrender of. Pay. ¹¹ If we have sown unto you spiritual things, is it a great thing if we shall reap your carnal things? ¹² Nevertheless we have not used this power: but suffer all things, lest we should hinder the gospel of Christ.—*1 COR.*, ch. 9.

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LIBERTY.

Choice. Father give..he divided unto them 4962
Common. Casting out devils..Forbid him not 4963
not license. Take heed lest..liberty..stumbling 4964

7444. RIGHTEOUSNESS, Benefits of. Proverb. ²¹ The fear of the Lord prolongeth days: but the years of the wicked shall be shortened. ²⁸ The hope of the righteous shall be gladness: but the expectation of the wicked shall perish.—*PROV.*, ch. 10.

7445. — Discarded. Legal. ⁴ If any other man thinketh that he hath whereof he might trust in the flesh, I more: ⁵ Circumcised the eighth day, of the stock of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew of the Hebrews; as touching the law, a Pharisee; ⁶ Concerning zeal, persecuting the church; touching the righteousness which is in the law, blameless. ⁷ But what things were gain to me, those I counted loss for Christ.—*PHIL.*, ch. 3.

7446. — False. Boast. ⁴ Speak not thou in thine heart..saying, For my righteousness the Lord hath brought me in to possess this land: but for the wickedness of these nations the Lord doth drive them out from before thee.—*DEUT.*, ch. 9.

7447. — Flattery of. Pharisee. ¹¹ The Pharisee..prayed thus with himself, God, I thank thee, that I am not as other men are, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this publican. ¹² I fast twice in the week, I give tithes of all that I possess.—*LUKE*, ch. 18.

7448. — observed. Noah's. ¹ Come thou and all thy house into the ark: for thee have I seen righteous before me in this generation.—*GEN.*, ch. 7.

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FAULTLESS.

Condemned. Pilate said..I find no fault in him 3085
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HOLINESS.

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Celebration. Cherubim..Holy, holy, holy is the L. 3999

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Chosen. Shall be a peculiar treasure..holy nation 4001

Church. Glorious church not having spot..holy 4002

Prayer for. Be filled with all the fulness of God 4003

Perfect. Which of you convinceth me of sin? 4004

Unapproachable. Let bounds..about the mount 4005

Universal. Upon the bells of the horses, Holiness 4006

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7449. RISING, Early. Jesus. ²⁵ In the morning, rising up a great while before day, he departed into a solitary place, and there prayed. ²⁶ And Simon and they that were with him, followed after him.—*MAT.*, ch. 1.

7450. — Apostles. ²⁴ There was also a strife among them, which of them should be accounted the greatest.—*LUKE*, ch. 22.

7451. RIVALRY for Place. James and John. ²³ To sit on my right hand, and on my left, is not mine to give, but it shall be given to them for whom it is prepared of my Father. ²⁴ And when the ten heard it, they were moved with indignation against the two brethren.—*MAT.*, ch. 20.

7452. — reproved. Serving. [After above.] ¹³ Ye call me Master and Lord: and ye say well; for so I am. ¹⁴ If I then, your Lord and Master, have washed your feet; ye also ought to wash one another's feet.—*JOHN*, ch. 13.

7453. RIVER, The first mentioned. Eden. ¹⁰ A river went out of Eden to water the garden; and from thence it was parted, and became into four heads.—*GEN.*, ch. 2.

7454. — of Life. Heaven. ¹ He shewed me a pure river of water of life, clear as crystal, proceeding out of the throne of God and of the Lamb. ² In the midst of the street of it, and on either side of the river, was there the tree of life, which bare twelve manner of fruits, and yielded her fruit every month: and the leaves of the tree were for the healing of the nations.—*REV.*, ch. 22.

7455. — On Earth. ⁴ There is a river, the streams whereof shall make glad the city of God, the holy place of the tabernacles of the Most High.—*PS.* 46.

7456. — of Salvation. "To swim in." ³ The man that had the line..measured a thousand cubits, and he brought me through the waters; the waters were to the ankles. ⁴ Again he measured a thousand..the waters were to the knees. Again he measured a thousand..the waters were to the loins. ⁵ Afterward he measured a thousand; and it was a river that I could not pass over: for the waters were risen, waters to swim in.—*EZEK.*, ch. 47.

7457. ROBBERY, Insolent. Danites. ¹⁸ Went into Micah's house, and fetched the carved image, the ephod, and the teraphim, and the molten image. Then said the priest unto them, What do ye? ¹⁹ And they said unto him, Hold thy peace, lay thine hand upon thy mouth, and go with us.—*JUDGES*, ch. 18.

7458. — Spiritual. Offerings. ⁶ Will a man rob God? Yet ye have robbed me. But ye say, Wherein have we robbed thee? In

tithes and offerings. 'Ye are cursed with a curse: for ye have robbed me, even this whole nation.—MAL., ch. 3.

7459. — *Sacriligious. Shishak.* ¹⁸ He took away the treasures of the house of the Lord, and the treasures of the king's house, and the shields of gold which Solomon had made.—2 *KINGS*, ch. 14.

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THEFT.

Abduction. When I rose in the morning..not my 8767
Confessed. Micah said the 1100 shekels..I took it 8768
Fear. Take thy bill..quickly write fifty 8769
Famished. Men do not despise a thief..hungry 8770
Improbable. Disciples came..stole him..we slept 8771
Justifiable. Josheba took Joash..they hid him 8772
Kidnappers. Man be found stealing..brethren 8773

7460. ROCK of Punishment. *Seirites.* ¹⁸ Other ten thousand left alive did the children of Judah carry away captive, and brought them unto the top of the rock, and cast them down from the top of the rock, that they all were broken in pieces.—2 *CHRON.*, ch. 25.

7461. — *of Salvation. Christ.* ²¹ Their rock is not as our Rock, even our enemies themselves being judges.—*DEUT.*, ch. 32.

7462. — — — *"Higher than I."* ² From the end of the earth will I cry unto thee, when my heart is overwhelmed: lead me to the rock that is higher than I. ³ For thou hast been a shelter for me, and a strong tower from the enemy.—*PS.* 61.

Also see:

Precious Stones. Breastplate..four rows 4348

7463. ROWING, Hard. *Tempest.* ¹² The men rowed hard to bring it to the land; but they could not: for the sea wrought, and was tempestuous against them.—*JONAH*, ch. 1.

7464. RUDENESS, Inconsiderate. *To Shunammite.* ²¹ When she came to the man of God, she caught him by the feet: but Gehazi came near to thrust her away. And the man of God said, Let her alone; for her soul is vexed within her: and the Lord hath hid it from me.—2 *KINGS*, ch. 4.

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INSULT.

Ignored. Bellai said, How shall this man save us 4567
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INSULTS.

Cruel. Mocked Jesus..blindfolded, and struck 4576
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INSOLENCE.

Added. [Danite robbers] said unto Micah, What 4580
Fraternal. With whom hast thou left those few 4581
Injustice. There is no straw..ye are idle 4582
Resented. Whatsoever is pleasant in thine eyes 4583

Friends. Hanun cut off the garments in the 3431

7465. RUIN by Losses. *Laban.* ⁴³ The man increased exceedingly, and had much cattle, and maidservants, and menservants, and camels, and asses. ¹ And he heard the words of Laban's sons, saying, Jacob hath taken away all that was our father's.—*GEN.*, chs. 30, 31.

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CALAMITY.

Destructive. Wall fell upon 27,000 men that were 993
of God. Earth opened her mouth, and swallowed 994
Hardened. I have smitten you with blasting 1001
Indiscriminating. The L. maketh the earth 1002
Misjudged. Tower in Siloam fell, think..they 1003
Predicted. Shall not be left one stone upon a. 997
Waiting. Jonah sat..see what would become 999

CRUELTY.

Captives. Joab put them under saws..harrows 1864
" Judah cast [10,000 men of Seir] from the 1868
Maternal. Athallah..destroyed all the seed royal 1867

DESTRUCTION.

Flood. They ate..drank..married..destroyed 2254
" Every living..man..cattle..fowl 2256
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Israelites. The affliction of I. was very bitter 2263
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EXTERMINATION.

Bloody. Smite Amalek..man, woman..infant 2225
of Wicked. Slew [Ahab's sons]..seventy persons 2226

MASSACRE.

Intended. Letters were sent by post..to destroy 5249
Infants. Herod..slew all the children..in Bethlehem 5250
Treacherous. Jehu said, Proclaim an assembly for 5251

Spiritual. Alex. and Hymeneus..made shipwreck 470

7466. RULER, A born. *Joseph.* ⁷ We were binding sheaves in the field, and, lo, my sheaf arose, and also stood upright; and, behold, your sheaves stood round about, and made obeisance to my sheaf. ⁸ And his brethren said to him, Shalt thou indeed reign over us?—*GEN.*, ch. 37.

7467. — — — *With Potiphar.* ⁴ Joseph found grace in his sight, and he served him: and he made him overseer over his house, and all that he had he put into his hand.—*GEN.*, ch. 39.

7468. — — — *In Prison.* ²² The keeper of the prison committed to Joseph's hand all the prisoners that were in the prison; and whatsoever they did there, he was the doer of it.—*GEN.*, ch. 39.

7469. — — — *Enthroned.* ⁴³ Pharaoh took off his ring from his hand, and put it upon Joseph's hand, and arrayed him in vestures of fine linen, and put a gold chain about his neck: ⁴⁴ And he made him to ride in the second chariot which he had; and they cried before him, Bow the knee: and he made him ruler over all the land of Egypt.—*GEN.*, ch. 41.

7470. — — — *A foolish.* *Saul.* ²⁴ The men of Israel were distressed that day: for Saul had adjured the people, saying, Cursed be the man that eateth any food until evening, that I may be avenged on mine enemies. ²⁶ How much more, if haply the people had eaten freely to day of the spoil of their enemies which they found? for had there not been now a much greater slaughter among the Philistines?—1 *SAM.*, ch. 14. [Captivity was broken, and Philistines fleeing.]

7471. — — — *A pious.* *Rich.* ¹⁸ A certain ruler asked him, saying, Good Master, what shall I do to inherit eternal life? ²⁰ Thou knowest the commandments. ²¹ And he said, All these have I kept from my youth up.—*LUXE.*, ch. 18.

7472. — ruled. *Ahab.* ⁶ He answered, I will not give thee my vineyard. ⁷ And Jezebel his wife said unto him, Dost thou now govern the kingdom of Israel? arise, and eat bread, and let thine heart be merry: I will give thee the vineyard of Naboth the Jezreelite.—1 KINGS, ch. 21.

7473. — A sinful. *Ahab.* ²⁵ There was none like unto Ahab, which did sell himself to work wickedness in the sight of the Lord, whom Jezebel his wife stirred up. ²⁶ And he did very abominably in following idols, as did the Amorites.—1 KINGS, ch. 21.

7474. — — *Proverb.* ¹⁵ As a roaring lion, and a ranging bear; so is a wicked ruler over the poor people.—PROV., ch. 28.

7475. — An unjust. *Parable.* ³ There was in a city a judge, which feared not God, neither regarded man.—LUKE, ch. 18.

7476. RULERS, Guidance for. *Bible.* ¹⁸ When he sitteth upon the throne of his kingdom, he shall write him a copy of this law in a book out of that which is before the priests, the Levites: ¹⁹ And it shall be with him, and he shall read therein all the days of his life.—DEUT., ch. 17.

7477. — Influence of. *Example.* ⁴⁶ Why have ye not brought him? ⁴⁸ The officers answered, Never man spake like this man. ⁴⁷ Then answered them the Pharisees, Are ye also deceived? ⁴⁸ Have any of the rulers or of the Pharisees believed on him?—JOHN, ch. 7.

7478. — Many. *Solomon's.* ¹⁶ Solomon had threescore and ten thousand that bare burdens, and fourscore thousand hewers in the mountains; ¹⁸ Beside the chief of Solomon's officers which were over the work, three thousand and three hundred. ¹⁷ They brought great stones, costly stones, and hewed stones, to lay the foundation of the house.—1 KINGS, ch. 5.

7479. — Qualifications of. *Jethro said,* ¹¹ Thou shalt provide out of all the people able men, such as fear God, men of truth, hating covetousness; and place such over them, to be rulers of thousands, and rulers of hundreds, rulers of fifties, and rulers of tens.—EX., ch. 18.

7480. — Responsibility of. *Saul.* ²³ Because thou hast rejected the word of the Lord, he hath also rejected thee from being king. ²⁴ And Saul said unto Samuel, I have sinned: for I have transgressed the commandment of the Lord, and thy words: because I feared the people, and obeyed their voice.—1 SAM., ch. 15.

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Ambitious. Diotrefes desireth the preeminence 317
Bible. Sitteth upon the throne.. copy of this law 772
Wise. None so wise.. thy word all my people be r. 985
See GOVERNMENT and references.

7481. RUMOR, A demoralizing. *Syrian.* ⁶ The Lord had made.. the Syrians to hear a noise of chariots, of horses, even the noise of a great host: and they said.. Lo, the king of Israel hath hired against us the kings of the Hittites, and the kings of the Egyptians, to come upon us. ⁷ Wherefore they arose and fled in the twilight, and left.. even the camp as it was, and fled for their life.—2 KINGS, ch. 7.

7482. RUNNER, A swift. *Asahel.* ¹⁸ There were three sons of Zeruiah there, Joab, and Abishai, and Asahel: and Asahel was as light of

foot as a wild roe. ¹⁹ And Asahel pursued after Abner.—2 SAM., ch. 2.

7483. SABBATH not desecrated. *Invalid.* ¹⁰ The Jews therefore said unto him that was cured, It is the sabbath day; it is not lawful for thee to carry thy bed. ¹¹.. He that made me whole.. said unto me, Take up thy bed, and walk.—JOHN, ch. 5.

7484. — financiering. *Benevolence.* ¹ Concerning the collection for the saints, as I have given order to the churches of Galatia, even so do ye. ² Upon the first day of the week let every one of you lay by him in store, as God hath prospered him.—1 COR., ch. 16.

7485. — A gloomy. *Joseph's Tomb.* [See No. 7495.]

7486. — divinely honoured. *Creation.* ² He rested on the seventh day from all his work which he had made. ³ And God blessed the seventh day, and sanctified it.—GEN., ch. 2.

7487. — Law of. *Decalogue.* ⁶ Remember the sabbath day, to keep it holy.—EX. 20: 8-10.

7488. — for Man. *Food.* ²³ On the sabbath day; and his disciples began, as they went, to pluck the ears of corn. ²⁴ And the Pharisees said.. Behold, why do they on the sabbath day that which is not lawful?.. ²⁷ And he said.. The sabbath was made for man, and not man for the sabbath.—MARK, ch. 2.

7489. — and Necessity. *Accident.* ¹¹ What man shall.. have one sheep, and if it fall into a pit on the sabbath day, will he not lay hold on it, and lift it out? ¹² How much then is a man better than a sheep? Wherefore it is lawful to do well on the sabbath days.—MAT., ch. 12.

7490. — Neglect of the. *Jews.* ¹⁹ They burnt the house of God, and brake down the wall of Jerusalem, and burnt all the palaces thereof with fire, and destroyed all the goodly vessels thereof. ²⁰ And them that had escaped from the sword carried he away to Babylon; where they were servants.. ²¹ To fulfil the word of the Lord by the mouth of Jeremiah, until the land had enjoyed her sabbaths: for as long as she lay desolate she kept sabbath, to fulfil threescore and ten years.—2 CHRON., ch. 36.

7491. — Observers of. *"Ride upon the high places."* ¹³ If thou turn away thy foot from the sabbath, from doing thy pleasure.—ISA., ch. 58. [See chapter.]

7492. — Preparation for the. *Manna.* ²² On the sixth day they gathered twice as much bread, two omers for one man: and all the rulers of the congregation came and told Moses.—EX., ch. 16.

7493. — protected. *Vigorously.* ²⁰ The merchants and sellers of all kind of ware lodged without Jerusalem once or twice. ²¹ Then I.. said.. Why lodge ye about the wall? if ye do so again, I will lay hands on you. From that time forth came they no more on the sabbath.—NEH., ch. 13.

7494. — restraint. *Traffic.* ¹⁰ When the gates of Jerusalem began to be dark before the sabbath, I commanded that the gates should be shut.. not be opened till after the sabbath: and some of my servants set I at the gates, that there should no burden be brought in.. ²⁰ So the merchants and sellers of all kind of ware lodged without Jerusalem once or twice.—NEH., ch. 13.

7495. — *Rest on the. Women* ⁵⁵ Beheld the sepulchre, and how his body was laid. ⁵⁶ And they returned, and prepared spices and ointments; and rested the sabbath day according to the commandment.—*LUKE*, ch. 23.

7496. — *Regard for the. Oath.* ³¹ If the people of the land bring ware or any victuals on the sabbath day to sell, that we would not buy it of them on the sabbath, or on the holy day.—*NEH.*, ch. 10.

7497. — *By Murderers.* ¹⁵ The man departed, and told the Jews that it was Jesus, which had made him whole. ¹⁶ And therefore did the Jews persecute Jesus, and sought to slay him, because he had done these things on the sabbath day.—*JOHN*, ch. 5.

7498. — *Work. At Capernaum Synagogue.* ² They watched him, whether he would heal him on the sabbath day; that they might accuse him. ³ And he said unto the man which had the withered hand, Stand forth. ⁴ And he saith unto them, Is it lawful to do good on the sabbath days, or to do evil? to save life, or to kill? but they held their peace.—*MARK*, ch. 3.

7499. — *False Zeal for the. Hypocrites.* ¹⁵ Thou hypocrite, doth not each one of you on the sabbath loose his ox or his ass from the stall, and lead him away to watering? ¹⁶ And ought not this woman, being a daughter of Abraham, whom Satan hath bound, lo, these eighteen years, be loosed from this bond on the sabbath day?—*LUKE*, ch. 13.

7500. *SACRIFICE, Apostolical. Paul.* ¹¹ Even unto this present hour we both hunger, and thirst, and are naked, and are buffeted, and have no certain dwellingplace; ¹² And labour, working with our own hands: being reviled, we bless; being persecuted, we suffer it: ¹³ Being defamed, we entreat: we are made as the filth of the world, and are the offscouring of all things unto this day.—*1 COR.*, ch. 4.

7501. — *Better than. Proverb.* ³ To do justice and judgment is more acceptable to the Lord than sacrifice.—*PROV.*, ch. 21.

7502. — *Blessing by. "Tithes."* ¹⁰ Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be meat in mine house, and prove me now herewith, saith the Lord of hosts, if I will not open you the windows of heaven, and pour you out a blessing, that there shall not be room enough to receive it.—*MAL.*, ch. 3.

7503. — *Benevolence a. Macedonians.* ² In a great trial of affliction, the abundance of their joy and their deep poverty abounded unto the riches of their liberality.—*2 COR.*, ch. 8.

7504. — *Consumed with. Galileans.* ¹ There were present at that season some that told him of the Galileans, whose blood Pilate had mingled with their sacrifices.—*LUKE*, ch. 13.

7505. — *A costless. David.* ²⁴ The king said unto Araunah, Nay; but I will surely buy it of thee at a price: neither will I offer burnt offerings unto the Lord my God of that which doth cost me nothing. So David bought the threshingfloor and the oxen for fifty shekels of silver.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 24.

7506. — *of Children. Heathenish.* ² Ahaz.. made also molten images for Baalim. ³ Moreover he burnt incense in the valley of the son of Hinnom, and burnt his children in the fire,

after the abominations of the heathen.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 28.

7507. — *Cheerful. Disciples.* ²⁴ Ye had compassion of me in my bonds, and took joyfully the spoiling of your goods, knowing in yourselves that ye have in heaven a better and an enduring substance.—*HEB.*, ch. 10.

7508. — *for Discipleship. Matthew.* ²¹ He went forth, and saw a publican, named Levi, sitting at the receipt of custom: and he said unto him, Follow me. ²² And he left all, rose up, and followed him.—*LUKE*, ch. 5.

7509. — *Apostles.* ¹⁰ James, and John.. which were partners with Simon. And Jesus said unto Simon, Fear not; from henceforth thou shalt catch men. ¹¹ And when they had brought their ships to land, they forsook all, and followed him.—*LUKE*, ch. 5.

7510. — *Daily. Jewish.* ²⁸ Thou shalt offer upon the altar; two lambs of the first year day by day continually. ²⁹ The one lamb thou shalt offer in the morning; and the other.. at even.—*EX.*, ch. 29.

7511. — *estimated. "Two Mites."* ⁴³ This poor widow hath cast more in, than all they which have cast into the treasury: ⁴⁴ For all they did cast in of their abundance; but she of her want did cast in all that she had, even all her living.—*MARK*, ch. 12.

7512. — *The first. Cain—Abel.* ³ Cain brought of the fruit of the ground an offering unto the Lord. ⁴ And Abel, he also brought of the firstlings of his flock and of the fat thereof. And the Lord had respect unto Abel and to his offering.—*GEN.*, ch. 4.

7513. — *A great. Dedication.* ⁵ King Solomon offered a sacrifice of twenty and two thousand oxen, and an hundred and twenty thousand sheep: so the king and all the people dedicated the house of God.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 7.

7514. — *Gain by. Treasure.* ⁴⁴ The kingdom of heaven is like unto treasure hid in a field; the which when a man hath found, he hideth, and for joy thereof goeth and selleth all that he hath, and buyeth that field.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

7515. — *Pearl.* ⁴⁵ The kingdom of heaven is like unto a merchantman, seeking goodly pearls: ⁴⁶ Who, when he had found one pearl of great price, went and sold all that he had, and bought it.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

7516. — *Human. Moabite.* ²⁶ When the king of Moab saw that the battle was too sore for him, he took with him seven hundred men that drew swords, to break through even unto the king of Edom: but they could not. ²⁷ Then he took his eldest son that should have reigned in his stead, and offered him for a burnt offering upon the wall.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 3.

7517. — *intimated. Return of Ark.* ¹⁴ The cart came into the field of Joshua.. and stood there, where there was a great stone: and they clave the wood of the cart, and offered the kine a burnt offering unto the Lord. ¹⁵ And the Levites took down the ark of the Lord.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 6.

7518. — *an Investment. "Treasure in Heaven."* [See No. 7528.]

7519. — *Irreverent. Jews.* ³ That offereth an oblation, as if he offered swine's blood;

he that burneth incense, as if he blessed an idol. Yea, they have chosen their own ways, and their soul delighteth in their abominations.—ISA., ch. 66.

7520. — necessary. "Strait Gate." ¹³ Enter ye in at the strait gate: for wide is the gate, and broad is the way, that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereat: ¹⁴ Because strait is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it.—MAT., ch. 7.

7521. — Pecuniary. *At Ephesus.* ¹⁸ Many that believed came, and confessed, and shewed their deeds. ¹⁹ Many, which used curious arts brought their books together, and burned them before all men: and they counted the price of them, and found it fifty thousand pieces of silver.—ACTS, ch. 19.

7522. — Prosperity by. *Proverb.* ⁹ Honour the Lord with thy substance, and with the firstfruits of all thine increase: ¹⁰ So shall thy barns be filled with plenty, and thy presses shall burst out with new wine.—PROV., ch. 3.

7523. — of Property. *Disciples.* ²⁴ As many as were possessors of lands or houses sold them, and brought the prices. ²⁵ And laid them down at the apostles' feet: and distribution was made unto every man according as he had need.—ACTS, ch. 4.

7524. — of Praise. *Better.* ³⁰ I will praise the name of God with a song, and will magnify him with thanksgiving. ³¹ This also shall please the Lord better than an ox or bullock that hath horns and hoofs.—PS., ch. 69.

7525. — refused. *Jews.* ⁸ Will a man rob God? Yet ye have robbed me. But ye say, Wherein have we robbed thee? In tithes and offerings. ⁹ Ye are cursed with a curse: for ye have robbed me, even this whole nation. ¹⁰ Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse. . . and prove me now herewith.—MAL., ch. 3.

7526. — of Self. *Jesus.* ²¹ Come ye yourselves apart into a desert place, and rest a while: for there were many coming and going, and they had no leisure so much as to eat.—MARK, ch. 6.

7527. — Tested by. *Abraham's.* ⁶ Abraham took the wood of the burnt offering, and laid it upon Isaac his son; and he took the fire in his hand, and a knife; and they went both of them together.—GEN., ch. 22.

7528. — withheld. *Young Ruler.* ²² Sell all that thou hast, and distribute unto the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven: and come, follow me. ²³ And when he heard this, he was very sorrowful: for he was very rich.—LUKE, ch. 18.

7529. — Waiting by. *Abram.* ¹⁰ He divided them in the midst, and laid each piece one against another; but the birds divided he not. ¹¹ And when the fowls came down upon the carcases, Abram drove them away. ¹² When the sun went down, and it was dark, behold a smoking furnace, and a burning lamp that passed between those pieces.—GEN., ch. 15.

7530. SACRIFICES blemished. *Unaccepted.* ¹⁹ Ye shall offer at your own will a male without blemish, of the beeves, of the sheep, or of the goats. ²⁰ But whatsoever hath a blemish, that shall ye not offer: for it shall not be acceptable.—LEV., ch. 22.

7531. — begrudged. *Jews.* ¹⁰ Who is there even among you that would shut the doors for nought? neither do ye kindle fire on mine altar for nought. I have no pleasure in you, saith the Lord of hosts, neither will I accept an offering at your hand.—MAL., ch. 1. [See chapter.]

7532. — Diabolical. *Apostates.* ¹⁷ They sacrificed unto devils, not to God; to gods whom they knew not, to new gods that came newly up, whom your fathers feared not.—DEUT., ch. 32.

7533. — Love more than. *A Scribe said,* ³³ To love him with all the heart, and with all the understanding, and with all the soul, and with all the strength, and to love his neighbour as himself, is more than all whole burnt offerings and sacrifices.—MARK, ch. 12.

7534. — Numerous. *Temple begun.* ²¹ They sacrificed sacrifices. . . and offered burnt offerings unto the Lord, on the morrow after that day, even a thousand bullocks, a thousand rams, and a thousand lambs, with their drink offerings, and sacrifices in abundance for all Israel: ²² And did eat and drink before the Lord on that day with great gladness.—1 CHRON., ch. 29.

7535. — rewarded. *Christian.* ²⁹ There is no man that hath left house, or brethren, or sisters, or father, or mother, or wife, or children, or lands, for my sake, and the gospel's. ³⁰ But he shall receive a hundredfold now in this time, houses, and brethren, and sisters, and mothers, and children, and lands, with persecutions; and in the world to come eternal life.—MAT., ch. 10.

7536. — rejected. *Wicked.* ²¹ I hate, I despise your feast days, and I will not smell in your solemn assemblies. [See Amos 5: 22-24.]

7537. — — *Wicked.* ¹⁹ They have not hearkened unto my words, nor to my law, but rejected it. ²⁰ To what purpose cometh there to me incense from Sheba, and the sweet cane from a far country? your burnt offerings are not acceptable, nor your sacrifices sweet unto me.—JER., ch. 6.

7538. — — *Reluctant.* ¹³ Ye said also, Behold, what a weariness is it! and ye have snuffed at it, saith the Lord of hosts; and ye brought that which was torn, and the lame, and the sick; thus ye brought an offering: should I accept this of your hand?—MAL., ch. 1.

7539. — Personal. *"Bodies."* ¹ I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service.—ROM., ch. 12.

7540. — Unavailing. *Heartless.* ¹¹ To what purpose is the multitude of your sacrifices unto me? saith the Lord: I am full of the burnt offerings of rams, and the fat of fed beasts; and I delight not in the blood of bullocks, or of lambs, or of he goats.—ISA., ch. 1. ¹⁶ For thou desirest not sacrifice; else would I give it: thou delightest not in burnt offering. ¹⁷ The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit: a broken and a contrite heart, O God, thou wilt not despise.—PS., ch. 51.

7541. — — *Eli's.* ¹³ Because his sons made themselves vile, and he restrained them not. ¹⁴ And therefore I have sworn unto the house of Eli, that the iniquity of Eli's house shall not be purged with sacrifice nor offering for ever.—1 SAM., ch. 3.

7542. — Willing. Tabernacle. ¹¹ They came, every one whose heart stirred him up, and every one whom his spirit made willing, and they brought the Lord's offering to the work of the tabernacle.—Ex., ch. 35.

7543. — Joyful. ⁵ If I forget thee, O Jerusalem, let my right hand forget her cunning. ⁶ If I do not remember thee, let my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth; if I prefer not Jerusalem above my chief joy.—Ps. 137.

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7545. — Priestly. Eli's Sons. ¹⁶ If any man said. Let them not fail to burn the fat presently, and then take as much as thy soul desireth; then he would answer him, Nay; but thou shalt give it me now: and if not, I will take it by force. ¹⁷ Wherefore the sin of the young men was very great before the Lord: for men abhorred the offering of the Lord.—1 SAM., ch. 2.

7546. — Unintended. Uzzah. ⁶ Uzzah put forth his hand to the ark of God, and took hold of it; for the oxen shook it. ⁷ And the anger of the Lord was kindled against Uzzah, and God smote him there for his error; and there he died.—2 SAM., ch. 6.

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7547. SAFETY of the Godly. "Keepeth." ³ He will not suffer thy foot to be moved: he that keepeth thee will not slumber. ⁴ Behold, he that keepeth Israel shall neither slumber nor sleep.—Ps. 121. [See chapter.]

7548. — Moses said, ¹⁹ Benjamin... The beloved of the Lord shall dwell in safety by him; and the Lord shall cover him all the day long, and he shall dwell between his shoulders.—DEUT., ch. 33.

7549. — "Hedge." ⁹ Satan answered the Lord, and said, Doth Job fear God for nought? ¹⁰ Hast not thou made a hedge about him, and about his house, and about all that he hath on every side?—JOB, ch. 1.

7550. — Sleep. ⁸ I will both lay me in peace, and sleep: for thou, Lord, only makest me dwell in safety.—Ps. 4.

7551. — "Cover." ³ Surely he shall deliver thee from the snare of the fowler, and from the noisome pestilence. ⁴ He shall cover thee with his feathers, and under his wings shalt thou trust: his truth shall be thy shield and buckler.—Ps. 91.

7552. — by Hiding. Jotham. ⁵ Abimelech went unto his father's house at Ophrah, and slew his brethren the sons of Jerubbaal, being threescore and ten persons, upon one stone... yet Jotham the youngest son... was left: for he hid himself.—JUDGES, ch. 9.

7553. — Mutual. Sailors. ²⁰ As the shipmen were about to flee out of the ship, when they had let down the boat into the sea, under colour as though they would have cast anchors out of the foreship, ²¹ Paul said to the centurion and to the soldiers, Except these abide in the ship, ye cannot be saved.—ACTS, ch. 27.

7554. — supposed. Jailer. ²³ When they had laid many stripes upon them, they cast them into prison, charging the jailer to keep them safely: ²⁴ Who thrust them into the inner prison, and made their feet fast in the stocks.—ACTS, ch. 16.

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7555. SALT a Corrective. At Jericho. ²¹ He went forth unto the spring of the waters, and cast the salt in there, and said, Thus saith the Lord, I have healed these waters; there shall not be from hence any more death or barren land. ²² So the waters were healed... according to the saying of Elisha.—2 KINGS, ch. 2.

7556. SALVATION by a Brother. *Peter.* ⁴¹ He first findeth his own brother Simon, and saith . . . We have found the Messiah, which is, being interpreted, the Christ.—*JOHN*, ch. 1.

7557. — belated. *Door shut.* ²⁶ When once the master of the house is risen up, and hath shut to the door, and ye begin to stand without, and to knock at the door, saying, Lord, Lord, open unto us; and he shall answer, . . . I know you not whence ye are.—*LUKE*, ch. 13.

7558. — Difficulties of. *"Strive."* ²³ Lord, are there few that be saved? And he said, . . . ²⁴ Strive to enter in at the strait gate: for many, I say unto you, will seek to enter in, and shall not be able.—*LUKE*, ch. 13.

7559. — in Emergency. *Red Sea.* ¹⁵ Wherefore criest thou unto me? speak unto the children of Israel, that they go forward: ¹⁶ But lift thou up thy rod, and stretch out thine hand over the sea, and divide it. . . . Israel shall go on dry ground through the midst of the sea.—*EX.*, ch. 14.

7560. — free. *"Him that cometh."* ³⁵ And Jesus said, . . . I am the bread of life: he that cometh to me shall never hunger. . . . ³⁷ All that the Father giveth me shall come to me; and him that cometh to me I will in no wise cast out.—*JOHN*, ch. 6.

7561. — — *"Rivers."* ³¹ In the last day, that great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried, saying, If any man thirst, let him come unto me, and drink. ³² He that believeth on me, as the Scripture hath said, out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water.—*JOHN*, ch. 7.

7562. — by Faith. *Jailer* ²⁹ Came trembling, and fell down before Paul and Silas, ³⁰ And brought them out, and said, Sirs, what must I do to be saved? ³¹ And they said, Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved.—*ACTS*, ch. 16.

7563. — — *Whosoever.* ¹⁴ Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the Son of man be lifted up: ¹⁵ That whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have eternal life.—*JOHN*, ch. 3.

7564. — by Few. *Jonathan.* ⁶ Jonathan said to the young man that bare his armour, Come, and let us go over unto the garrison of these uncircumcised: it may be that the Lord will work for us: for there is no restraint to the Lord to save by many or by few.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 14. [Twenty years of tribute ended.]

7565. — Gratitude for. *Joseph said,* ²⁴ Ye shall give the fifth part unto Pharaoh, and four parts shall be your own, for seed of the field, and for your food, and for them of your households, and for food for your little ones. ²⁵ And they said, Thou hast saved our lives.—*GEN.*, ch. 47.

7566. — by Humanity. *Angel said,* ⁵ Now send men to Joppa, . . . and call for . . . Peter: ⁶ He lodgeth with one Simon a tanner, whose house is by the sea side: he shall tell thee what thou oughtest to do.—*ACTS*, ch. 10.

7567. — A wonderful. *Red Sea.* ²² The children of Israel went into the midst of the sea upon the dry ground: and the waters were a wall unto them on their right hand, and on their left.—*EX.*, ch. 14.

7568. — by Waiting. *The Nations.* ¹⁷ Ye

shall not need to fight in this battle: set yourselves, stand ye still, and see the salvation of the Lord with you, O Judah and Jerusalem: fear not, nor be dismayed; to-morrow go out against them: for the Lord will be with you. ¹⁸ And Jehoshaphat bowed his head.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 20.

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7571. SANCTUARY for Criminals. *Temple.* ¹¹ It was told Solomon. . . Adonijah feareth king Solomon; for, lo, he hath caught hold on the

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7572. — *Tabernacle.* ²⁹ It was told king Solomon that Joab was fled unto the tabernacle by the altar. Then Solomon sent Benaiash the son of Jehoiada, saying, Go, fall upon him.—1 KINGS, ch. 2.

7573. — *Help in the. Envy of the Wicked.* ² As for me, my feet were almost gone; my steps had well nigh slipped. ¹⁶ When I thought to know this, it was too painful for me; ¹⁷ Until I went into the sanctuary of God; then understood I their end.—PS. 73.

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7576. SARCASM, A Brother's. Eliab. ²⁸ Eliab's anger was kindled against David, and he said, Why camest thou down hither? and with whom hast thou left those few sheep in the wilderness? I know thy pride, and the naughtiness of thine heart; for thou art come down that thou mightest see the battle.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

7577. — *A Wife's. Michal.* ²⁰ David returned to bless his household. And Michal..came out to meet David, and said, How glorious was the king of Israel to day, who uncovered himself to day in the eyes of the handmaids..as one of the vain fellows shamelessly uncovereth himself!—2 SAM., ch. 6.

7578. SATAN, Audacity of. Temptation. ³ When the tempter came to him, he said, If thou be the Son of God, command that these stones be made bread.—MAT., ch. 4.

7579. — *bound. Thousand Years.* ¹ I saw an angel come down from heaven, having the key of the bottomless pit and a great chain in his hand. ² And he laid hold on the dragon, that old serpent, which is the devil, and Satan, and bound him a thousand years.—REV., ch. 20.

7580. — *Children of. Pharisees.* ⁴⁴ Ye are of your father the devil, and the lusts of your father ye will do: he was a murderer from the beginning, and abode not in the truth, because there is no truth in him..he is a liar, and the father of it.—JOHN, ch. 8.

7581. — *Cunning of. Fall.* ⁴ The serpent said unto the woman, Ye shall not surely die: ⁵ For God doth know that in the day ye eat thereof, then your eyes shall be opened, and ye shall be as gods, knowing good and evil.—GEN., ch. 3.

7582. — *Doom of. Hell.* ³ And cast him into the bottomless pit, and shut him up, and set a seal upon him, that he should deceive the nations no more, till the thousand years should be fulfilled: and after that he must be loosed a little season.—REV., ch. 20.

7583. — *Delivered to. Apostates.* ¹⁰ Have made shipwreck: ²⁰ Of whom is Hymeneus and Alexander; whom I have delivered unto Satan, that they may learn not to blaspheme.—1 TIM., ch. 1.

7584. — *Enmity of. Eden.* ¹⁵ I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy

head, and thou shalt bruise his heel.—GEN., ch. 3.

7585. — *Fall of. War in Heaven.* ¹ There was war in heaven: Michael and his angels fought against the dragon; and the dragon fought and his angels, ² And prevailed not; neither was their place found any more in heaven.—REV., ch. 12.

7586. — *Filled by. Ananias.* ³ Peter said, Ananias, why hath Satan filled thine heart to lie to the Holy Ghost, and to keep back part of the price of the land.—ACTS, ch. 5.

7587. — *Injurious. To Job.* ¹¹ Put forth thine hand now, and touch all that he hath, and he will curse thee to thy face. ¹² And the Lord said unto Satan, Behold, all that he hath is in thy power; only upon himself put not forth thine hand.—JOB, ch. 1.

7588. — *Inspired by. Judas.* ² Supper being ended, the devil having now put into the heart of Judas Iscariot, Simon's son, to betray him.—JOHN, ch. 13.

7589. — *Leadership of. Judas.* ³¹ After the sop Satan entered into him. Then said Jesus unto him, That thou doest, do quickly.—JOHN, ch. 13.

7590. — *Peril from. "Lion."* ⁸ Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour.—1 PETER, ch. 5.

7591. — *quoting Scripture. To Jesus.* ⁶ If thou be the Son of God, cast thyself down: for it is written, He shall give his angels charge concerning thee: and in their hands they shall bear thee up, lest at any time thou dash thy foot against a stone.—MAT., ch. 4.

7592. — *at Wership. "Came also."* ¹ There was a day when the sons of God came to present themselves before the Lord, and Satan came also among them to present himself before the Lord.—JOB, ch. 2.

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7593. SATISFACTION, Fulness of. Simeon. ²⁸ Then took he him up in his arms, and blessed God, and said, ²⁹ Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace, according to thy word: ³⁰ For mine eyes have seen thy salvation.—LUKE, ch. 2.

7594. — *Inward. Proverb.* ¹⁴ The backslider in heart shall be filled with his own ways: and a good man shall be satisfied from himself.—PROV., ch. 14.

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7595. SAVED, Many. In Heaven. ² I beheld, and, lo, a great multitude, which no man could number, of all nations, and kindreds, and people, and tongues, stood before the throne.—REV., ch. 7.

7596. SAVING Men. Peril. ⁴⁷ Aaron... ran into the midst of the congregation; and, behold, the plague was begun... and he put on incense, and made an atonement for the people. ⁴⁸ And he stood between the dead and the living; and the plague was stayed.—NUM., ch. 16.

7597. — *Devoted to.* ¹⁹ I made myself servant unto all, that I might gain the more. ²⁰ And unto the Jews I became as a Jew, that I might gain the Jews; to them that are under the law, as under the law, that I might gain them that are under the law.—1 COR., ch. 9.

7598. — *Zeal in.* ¹⁵ When the morning arose, then the angels hastened Lot, saying, Arise, take thy wife, and thy two daughters, which are here; lest thou be consumed in the iniquity of the city.—GEN., ch. 19.

7599. — *Property. Swine.* ¹³ Two thousand... were choked in the sea. ¹⁴ And they that fed the swine fled, and told it in the city, and in the country. And they went out to see what it was that was done. ¹⁵ And they began to pray him to depart out of their coasts.—MARK, ch. 5.

7600. — *Self with Others. Esther.* ¹³ Mordecai commanded to answer Esther, Think not with thyself that thou shalt escape in the king's house, more than all the Jews.—ESTHER, ch. 4.

7601. SAVIOUR needed, A. Enemies. ² Nahash the Ammonite answered them, On this condition will I make a covenant with you, that I may thrust out all your right eyes, and lay it for a reproach upon all Israel. ³ And the elders of Jabesh said... Give us seven days' respite... and then, if there be no man to save us, we will come out to thee.—1 SAM., ch. 11.

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7602. SAYINGS treasured. Mary. ⁴⁹ How is it that ye sought me? wist ye not that I must be about my Father's business? ⁵⁰ And they understood not the saying which he spake unto them. ⁵¹ But his mother kept all these sayings in her heart.—LUKE, ch. 2.

7603. SCANDAL, Ministerial. Eli's Sons. ²⁸ Eli was very old, and heard all that his sons did unto all Israel; and how they lay with the women... at the door of the tabernacle.—1 SAM., ch. 2.

7604. — *A public. Absalom.* ²² They spread Absalom a tent upon the top of the house; and Absalom went in unto his father's concubines in the sight of all Israel.—2 SAM., ch. 16.

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7605. SCHOOL, Christianity in the. *At Ephesus.* ⁹ He departed from them, and separated the disciples, disputing daily in the school of one Tyrannus. ¹⁰ . . . by the space of two years.—*Acts*, ch. 19.

7606. — The Gospel. "Every House." ⁴² Daily in the temple, and in every house, they ceased not to teach and preach Jesus Christ.—*Acts*, ch. 5.

7607. — The Home. "Children." ⁶ These words, which I command thee, . . . thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up.—*Deut.*, ch. 6.

7608. — The Synagogue. Jesus. ²² Jesus went about all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, and preaching the gospel of the kingdom.—*Mat.*, ch. 4.

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7609. SCHISM, Hurtful. Body. ¹⁵ If the foot shall say, Because I am not the hand, I am not of the body; is it therefore not of the body? ¹⁶ And if the ear shall say, Because I am not the eye, I am not of the body; is it therefore not of the body?—1 Cor., ch., 12.

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7610. SCIENTIST, The first. Adam. ¹⁹ The Lord God formed every beast of the field, and every fowl of the air, and brought them unto Adam to see what he would call them; and whatsoever Adam called every living creature, that was the name thereof.—*Gen.*, ch. 2.

7611. — A famous. Solomon. ²² He spake of trees, from the cedar tree that is in Lebanon, even unto the hyssop that springeth out of the wall: he spake also of beasts, and of fowl, and of creeping things, and of fishes.—1 Kings, ch. 4.

7612. SCIENTISTS, Tributes of. Magi. ¹⁰ When they saw the star, they rejoiced with exceeding great joy. ¹¹ . . . they saw the young child with Mary his mother, and fell down, and worshipped him: and when they had opened their treasures, they presented unto him gifts; gold, and frankincense, and myrrh.—*Mat.*, ch. 2.

7613. — Worshipping. Magi. ¹ When Jesus was born in Bethlehem . . . there came wise men from the east to Jerusalem, ² Saying, Where is he that is born King of the Jews? for we have seen his star in the east, and are come to worship him.—*Mat.*, ch. 2.

7614. SCOFFERS, Malicious. Caiaphas' Court. ⁶ They spit in his face, and buffeted him; and others smote him with the palms of their hands, ⁸ Saying, Prophecy unto us, thou Christ, Who is he that smote thee?—*Mat.*, ch. 26.

7615. — Herod's Court. ¹¹ Herod with his men of war set him at nought, and mocked him, and arrayed him in a gorgeous robe, and sent him again to Pilate.—*Luke*, ch. 23.

7616. — Pilate's Court. ²⁶ They stripped him, and put on him a scarlet robe. ²⁷ And when they had platted a crown of thorns, they put it upon his head, and a reed in his right hand: and they bowed the knee before him, and mocked him, saying, Hail, King of the Jews! ²⁸ And they spit upon him, and took the reed, and smote him on the head.—*Mat.*, ch. 27.

7617. — Crucifixion. ²⁹ They that passed by reviled him, wagging their heads, ³⁰ And saying, Thou that destroyest the temple, and buildest it in three days, save thyself. If thou be the Son of God, come down from the cross.—*Mat.*, ch. 27.

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7618. SCORN of Pride. *Haman.* ⁵ When Haman saw that Mordecai bowed not, nor did him reverence, then was Haman full of wrath. ⁶ And he thought scorn to lay hands on Mordecai alone; for they had shewed him the people of Mordecai.—*ESTHER*, ch. 3.

7619. — Public. *Jerusalem.* ¹⁸ All that pass by clap their hands at thee; they hiss and wag their head at the daughter of Jerusalem, saying, Is this the city that men call The perfection of beauty, The joy of the whole earth?—*LAM.*, ch. 2.

7620. — of Unbelief. *Jairus' Daughter.* ³⁵ All wept, and bewailed her: but he said, Weep not; she is not dead, but sleepeth. ³⁶ And they laughed him to scorn, knowing that she was dead. ³⁷ And he..took her by the hand, and called, saying, Maid, arise.—*LUKE*, ch. 8.

7621. SCORNNERS of the Gospel. *"Made Light."* ⁴ My oxen and my fatlings are killed, and all things are ready: come unto the marriage. ⁵ But they made light of it, and went their ways, one to his farm, another to his merchandise. ⁶ And the remnant took his servants..and slew them.—*MAT.*, ch. 22.

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7622. SCOURGE, Use of. *In Temple.* ¹⁵ When he had made a scourge of small cords, he drove them all out of the temple, and the sheep, and the oxen; and poured out the changers' money, and overthrew the tables; ¹⁶ And said, make not my Father's house a house of merchandise.—*JOHN*, ch. 2.

7623. SCRIPTURE, Adding to. *Woe.* ¹⁸ I testify unto every man that heareth the words of the prophecy of this book, If any man shall add unto these things, God shall add unto him the plagues that are written in this book.—*REV.*, ch. 22.

7624. — Diminishing. *Woe.* ¹⁹ If any man shall take away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God shall take away his part out of the book of life, and out of the holy city, and from the things which are written in this book.—*REV.*, ch. 22.

7625. SCRIPTURES, Efficacy of. *"Rain."* ¹⁰ As the rain cometh down, and the snow from heaven, and returneth not thither, but watereth the earth, and maketh it bring forth and bud, that it may give seed to the sower, and bread to the eater: ¹¹ So shall my word be.—*ISA.*, ch. 55.

7626. — Opening of. *At Emmaus.* ³³ They said, Did not our heart burn within us, while he talked with us by the way, and while he opened to us the Scriptures?—*LUKE*, ch. 24.

7627. — regarded. *By Murderers.* ³¹ The Jews therefore, because it was the preparation, that the bodies should not remain upon the cross on the sabbath day, (for that sabbath day was a high day,) besought Pilate that their legs might be broken, and that they might be taken away.—*JOHN*, ch. 19.

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7628. SCRUPLES of Hypocrites. *Murderers.* ²⁸ Then led they Jesus from Caiaphas unto the hall of judgment..and they themselves went not into the judgment hall, lest they should be defiled; but that they might eat the passover.—*JOHN*, ch. 18.

7629. — Little. *Tithes.* ²³ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye pay tithe of mint and anise and cummin, and have omitted the weightier matters of the law, judgment, mercy, and faith.—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

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7630. SEA calmed. *Gennesaret.* ²⁴ They came to him, and awoke him, saying, Master, Master, we perish. Then he arose, and rebuked the wind and the raging of the water: and they ceased, and there was a calm.—*LUKE*, ch. 8.

7631. — divided. *The. Red Sea.* ²² And the children of Israel went into the midst of the sea upon the dry ground: and the waters were a wall unto them on their right hand, and on their left.—*EX.*, ch. 14.

7632. — Destruction by the. *Red Sea.* ²⁸ The waters returned, and covered the chariots, and the horsemen, and all the host of Pharaoh that came into the sea after them; there remained not so much as one of them.—*EX.*, ch. 14.

7633. — of Glass. *Revelation.* ² I saw as it were a sea of glass mingled with fire: and them that had gotten the victory over the beast..stand on the sea of glass, having the harps of God.—*REV.*, ch. 15.

7634. — Tempestuous. *Waves.* ²⁵ He commandeth, and raiseth the stormy wind, which lifteth up the waves thereof. ²⁶ They mount up to the heaven, they go down again to the depths: their soul is melted because of trouble.—*PS.* 107.

7635. SEASIDE Meeting. *Successful.* ⁸ When Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, Depart from me; for I am a sinful man, O Lord. ⁹ For he was astonished, and all that were with him, at the draught of the fishes. ¹⁰ Jesus said unto Simon, Fear not; from henceforth thou shalt catch men. ¹¹ And when they had brought their ships to land, they forsook all, and followed him.—LUKE, ch. 5.

7636. — Worship by. *Jesus.* ¹ He began again to teach by the sea side: and there was gathered unto him a great multitude, so that he entered into a ship, and sat in the sea; and the whole multitude was by the sea on the land.—MARK, ch. 4.

7637. SEAMEN, Distress of. *"Reel."* ²¹ They reel to and fro, and stagger like a drunken man, and are at their wit's end. ²² Then they cry unto the Lord in their trouble, and he bringeth them out of their distresses. ²³ He maketh the storm a calm.—PS. 107.

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7638. SEARCH, Unsuccessful. *For Elijah.* ¹⁶ Lest peradventure the Spirit of the Lord hath taken him up, and cast him upon some mountain, or into some valley. And he said, Ye shall not send. ¹⁷ And when they urged him till he was ashamed, he said, Send. They sent therefore fifty men; and they sought three days, but found him not.—2 KINGS, ch. 2.

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7639. SEASON, Out of. *Parable.* ⁵ Which of you shall have a friend, and shall go unto him at midnight, and say unto him, Friend, lend me three loaves; ⁷ And he from within shall answer, Trouble me not: the door is now shut, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot rise and give thee.—LUKE, ch. 11.

7640. SEASONS, Certainty of the. *Changes.* ²¹ Neither will I again smite any more every thing living, as I have done. ²² While the earth remaineth, seedtime and harvest, and cold and heat, and summer and winter, and day and night shall not cease.—GEN., ch. 8.

7641. — Changes of. *Summer.* ¹¹ For, lo, the winter is past, the rain is over and gone; ¹² The flowers appear on earth; the time of the singing of birds is come, and the voice of the turtle is heard in our land; ¹³ The fig tree putteth forth her green figs, and the vines with the tender grape give a good smell.—SOLOMON'S SONG, ch. 2.

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7642. SECESSION predicted. *Enemies.* ¹⁶ We certify the king that, if this city be builded again, and the walls thereof set up, by this means thou shalt have no portion on this side the river.—EZRA, ch. 4.

7643. — Political. *Rehoboam* ¹⁴ Spake to them after the counsel of the young men, saying, My father made your yoke heavy, and I will add to your yoke: my father also chastised you with whips, but I will chastise you with scorpions. ¹⁶ So when all Israel saw that the king hearkened not unto them, the people answered, What portion have we in David?..to your tents, O Israel.—1 KINGS, ch. 12.

7644. SECRET, A Woman's. *Spies to Rahab.* ²⁰ If thou utter this our business, then we will be quit of thine oath which thou hast made us to swear.—JOSH., ch. 2.

7645. SECRECY, Difficult. *Man slaughter.* ¹² He looked this way and that way, and when he saw that there was no man, he slew the Egyptian, and hid him in the sand. ¹³ And when he went out the second day. ¹⁴ And he said, intendest thou to kill me, as thou killedst the Egyptian? And Moses feared, and said, Surely this thing is known.—EX., ch. 2.

7646. — impossible. *Of Plans.* ¹¹ The heart of the king of Syria was sore troubled.. and he called his servants, and said, which of us is for the king of Israel? ¹² And one of his servants said, None, my lord, O king: but Elisha, the prophet, telleth the king of Israel the words that thou speakest in thy bedchamber.—2 KINGS, ch. 6.

See other illustrations under:

HIDDEN.

Cave. Obadiah took 200 prophets and hid in a c. 3906
Field. David hid himself in the field 3967
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House of God. Joash was hid..six years 3969
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HIDING.

Difficult. Moses feared..Surely this is known 3974
Sinners. Adam, where art thou?..hid myself 3975
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MYSTERY.

Conversion. Nicodemus answered, How can these 5660
Marvellous. Sat..according to his birthright..men 5661
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Stumbling. Eateth my flesh..disciples went back 5664
Unsolved. No man knoweth his sepulchre..this day 5663
Unexplainable. Thou knowest not now..know 5665

7647. SECTARIAN, A furious. *Saul.* ¹¹ I punished them oft in every synagogue, and compelled them to blaspheme; and being exceedingly mad against them, I persecuted them even unto strange cities. ¹² Whereupon as I went to Damascus with authority and commission from the chief priests.—ACTS, ch. 26.

7648. SECTARIANISM reproved. *John said,* ²³ We saw one casting out devils in thy name, and he followeth not us: and we forbade him, because he followeth not us. ²⁴ But Jesus said, Forbid him not.—MARK, ch. 9.

Also see:

Partisans. I am of Paul, and I of Apollos 5685
Schism. If the foot shall say..I am not the hand 7609

7649. SECURITY of the Godly. *Fortress.* ¹ He that dwelleth in the secret place of the Most High shall abide under the shadow of the

Almighty. ² I will say of the Lord, *He is my refuge and my fortress: my God; in him will I trust.*—Ps. 91. [See chapter.]

See SAFETY.

7650. SEED, According to the. *Eliphaz said,* ² They that plough iniquity, and sow wickedness, reap the same. ³ By the blast of God they perish.—Job, ch. 4.

7651. — Accidental. “*By Way Side.*” ¹⁹ When any one heareth the word of the kingdom, and understandeth it not, then cometh the wicked one, and catcheth away that which was sown in his heart. This is he which received seed by the way side.—Mat., ch. 13.

7652. — Growth of. “*Mystery.*” ²¹ The seed should spring and grow up, he knoweth not how. ²² For the earth bringeth forth fruit of herself: first the blade, then the ear, after that the full corn in the ear.—Mark, ch. 4.

7653. — A little. *Mustard.* ³¹ The kingdom of heaven is like to a grain of mustard seed. ³² . . . the least of all seeds: but when it is grown, it is the greatest among herbs, and becometh a tree, so that the birds . . . lodge in the branches.—Mat., ch. 13.

7654. SEEING, Partial. *Eve.* ⁶ When the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was pleasant to the eyes, and a tree to be desired to make one wise, she took of the fruit thereof, and did eat.—Gen., ch. 3.

7655. — Proof by. *Jonathan.* ⁴⁸ Blessed be the Lord God of Israel, which hath given one to sit on my throne this day, mine eyes even seeing it. ⁴⁹ And all the guests that were with Adonijah were afraid, and rose up, and went every man his way.—1 KINGS, ch. 1.

7656. — unsatisfactory. *Proverb.* ⁸ All things are full of labour; man cannot utter it: the eye is not satisfied with seeing, nor the ear filled with hearing.—EccL., ch. 1.

7657. — vexations. *Lot.* ¹ Delivered just Lot, vexed with the filthy conversation of the wicked: ² (For that righteous man dwelling among them, in seeing and hearing, vexed his righteous soul from day to day.)—2 PETER, ch. 2.

See other illustrations under:

VISION.

Comforting. Stephen saw . . . Jesus standing	9225
of God. I saw also the Lord . . . on a throne	9226
“ Woe is me, for I am undone . . . unclean I.	9227
Instructed. What G. hath cleansed . . . common	9228
Prepared for. I was fasting until . . . ninth hour	9229
Perfected. Restored, and saw every man clearly	9230
Spirit. A spirit passed . . . hair of my flesh stood up	9231
Transforming. Moses wist not that . . . face shone	9232
“ Beholding as in a glass . . . changed	9233
Trance. Peter fell into a trance . . . sheet knit.	9234

See EYE and references.

7658. SEEKER, A determined. *Jacob.* ²⁵ The hollow of Jacob's thigh was out of joint, as he wrestled with him. ²⁶ And he said, Let me go, for the day breaketh. And he said, I will not let thee go, except thou bless me.—GEN., ch. 32.

7659. — An earnest. *David.* ¹ O God, thou art my God; early will I seek thee: my soul thirsteth for thee, my flesh longeth for thee in a dry and thirsty land, where no water is; ² To see thy power and thy glory, so as I have seen thee in the sanctuary.—Ps. 63.

7660. — — David. ¹ As the heart panteth after the water brooks, so panteth my soul after thee, O God. ² My soul thirsteth for God, for the living God: when shall I come and appear before God?—Ps. 42.

7661. — A hopeful. *David.* ¹⁰ As with a sword in my bones, mine enemies reproach me; while they say daily unto me, Where is thy God? ¹¹ Why art thou cast down, O my soul? and why art thou disquieted within me? hope thou in God: for I shall yet praise him, who is the health of my countenance, and my God.—Ps. 42.

7662. — A rich. *Zaccheus.* ³ A man named Zaccheus, which was the chief among the publicans, and he was rich. ² And he sought to see Jesus who he was.—LUKE, ch. 19.

7663. — A sad. *David.* ³ My tears have been my meat day and night, while they continually say unto me, Where is thy God? ⁴ When I remember these things, I pour out my soul in me: for I had gone with the multitude, I went with them to the house of God, with the voice of joy and praise.—Ps. 42.

7664. SEEKERS, False. “*Loaves.*” ²⁵ When they had found him on the other side of the sea, they said . . . Rabbi, when camest thou hither? ²⁶ Jesus . . . said . . . Ye seek me, not because ye saw the miracles, but because ye did eat of the loaves, and were filled.—JOHN, ch. 6.

7665. — — Disciples. ²⁴ There arose a great tempest in the sea, inasmuch that the ship was covered with the waves: but he was asleep. ²⁵ And his disciples . . . awoke him, saying, Lord, save us: we perish.—Mat., ch. 8.

7666. SEEKING, Continuous. *Anna.* ²⁷ She was a widow of about fourscore and four years, which departed not from the temple, but served God with fastings and prayers night and day.—LUKE, ch. 2.

7667. — in Distress. *Moses.* ³ Thou hast brought us up out of Egypt, to kill us and our children and our cattle with thirst? ⁴ And Moses cried unto the Lord, saying, What shall I do unto this people? they be almost ready to stone me.—Ex., ch. 17.

7668. — Determined. “*Roof.*” ⁴ When they could not come nigh unto him for the press, they uncovered the roof where he was: and when they had broken it up, they let down the bed wherein the sick of the palsy lay.—MARK, ch. 2.

7669. — Earnestness in. *Barthimeus.* [See No. 7675.] ⁴⁸ They call the blind man, saying unto him, Be of good comfort, rise; he calleth thee. ⁵⁰ And he, casting away his garment, rose, and came to Jesus.—MARK, ch. 10.

7670. — — “Sweep.” ¹ What woman having ten pieces of silver, if she lose one piece, doth not light a candle, and sweep the house, and seek diligently till she find it?—LUKE, ch. 15.

7671. — in Haste. *Shepherds.* ¹³ Let us now go even unto Bethlehem, and see this thing . . . which the Lord hath made known unto us. ¹⁴ And they came with haste, and found Mary, and Joseph, and the babe lying in a manger.—LUKE, ch. 2.

7672. — in Humility. *Daniel.* ³ I set my

face unto the Lord God, to seek by prayer and supplications, with fasting, and sackcloth, and ashes : ⁴ And I prayed unto the Lord my God, and made my confession.—**DAN.**, ch. 9.

7673. — heartily. *Successful.* ¹³ Then... ye shall go and pray unto me, and I will hearken unto you. ¹⁵ And ye shall seek me, and find me, when ye shall search for me with all your heart.—**JOB**, ch. 29.

7674. — intensely. *Jesus.* ¹ In the days of his flesh, when he had offered up prayers and supplications with strong crying and tears unto him that was able to save him from death, and was heard in that he feared.—**HEB.**, ch. 7.

7675. — Irrepressible. *Bartimeus.* ⁴¹ When he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out, and say, Jesus, thou Son of David, have mercy on me. ⁴⁸ And many charged him that he should hold his peace : but he cried the more a great deal, Thou Son of David, have mercy on me.—**MARK**, ch. 10. [See No. 7669.]

7676. — longingly. *In Adversity.* ³ Oh that I knew where I might find him ! that I might come even to his seat ! ⁴ I would order my cause before him, and fill my mouth with arguments.—**JOB**, ch. 23.

7677. — Piety first. *Jesus said.* ²⁹ Seek not ye what ye shall eat or what ye shall drink, neither be ye of doubtful mind. ³¹ But rather seek ye the kingdom of God ; and all these things shall be added unto you.—**LUKE**, ch. 12.

7678. — prompted. *In Samaria.* ²⁶ He hath sent lions among them, and, behold, they slay them, because they know not the manner of the God of the land. ³⁷ Then the king of Assyria commanded, saying, Carry thither one of the priests whom ye brought from thence... and let him teach them the manner of the God of the land.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 17.

7679. — Persistent. *Humility.* ³⁴ Wherefore hidest thou thy face, and forgettest our affliction and our oppression ? ³⁵ For our soul is bowed down to the dust : our belly cleaveth unto the earth. ³⁶ Arise for our help, and redeem us, for thy mercies' sake.—**PS.** 44.

7680. — repeated. *Paul.* ¹ There was given to me a thorn in the flesh, the messenger of Satan to buffet me, lest I should be exalted above measure. ⁸ For this thing I besought the Lord thrice, that it might depart from me.—**2 COR.**, ch. 12.

7681. — Relatives. *For Jesus.* ⁴⁰ One of the two which heard John speak... was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother. ⁴¹ He first findeth his own brother Simon, and saith... We have found the Messiah.—**JOHN**, ch. 1.

7682. — for Sinners. *Jesus.* ¹³ They that be whole need not a physician, but they that are sick. ¹⁵ For I am not come to call the righteous, but sinners to repentance.—**MAT.**, ch. 9.

Also see :

Unsuccessful. 50 men sought... 8 days [for M.'s b.] 7630

7683. SELF, Unmindful of. *Jesus.* ²⁷ There followed him a great company of people, and of women, which also bewailed and lamented him. ³⁶ But Jesus turning unto them said, Daughters of Jerusalem, weep not for me, but weep for yourselves.—MAT.**, ch. 27.**

7684. — — *Jesus.* ³⁰ And the multitude cometh together again, so that they could not so much as eat bread. ³¹ And when his friends heard of it, they went out to lay hold on him : for they said, He is beside himself.—**MARK**, ch. 4.

7685. SELF-ABASEMENT rewarded. *Publican.* ¹³ The publican, standing afar off, would not lift up so much as his eyes unto heaven, but smote upon his breast, saying, God be merciful to me a sinner. ¹⁴ I tell you, this man went down to his house justified.—LUKE**, ch. 18.**

7686. — Unworthy. *Spies.* ³³ We saw the giants, the sons of Anak... and we were in our own sight as grasshoppers, and so we were in their sight.—**NUM.**, ch. 13.

See HUMILITY.

7687. SELF-CONCEIT, Hopeless. *Proverb.* ¹² Seest thou a man wise in his own conceit ? there is more hope of a fool than of him.—PROV.**, ch. 26. ³ Let another man praise thee, and not thine own mouth ; a stranger, and not thine own lips.—**PROV.**, ch. 27.**

7688. — Poverty and. *Proverb.* ⁹ He that is despised, and hath a servant, is better than he that honoureth himself, and lacketh bread.—**PROV.**, ch. 12.

See PRIDE.

7689. SELF-CONFIDENCE, Boasting. *Israelites.* ³ The Lord said unto Gideon, The people that are with thee are too many for me to give the Midianites into their hands, lest Israel vaunt themselves against me, saying, Mine own hand hath saved me.—JUDGES**, ch. 7.**

7690. — False. *Hazael.* ¹³ I know the evil that thou wilt do unto the children of Israel : their strong holds wilt thou set on fire, and their young men wilt thou slay with the sword, and wilt dash their children, and rip up their women with child. ¹⁵ And Hazael said, But what, is thy servant a dog, that he should do this great thing ?—**2 KINGS**, ch. 8.

7691. — Rebuked. *Peter.* ²¹ Lord, why cannot I follow thee now ? I will lay down my life for thy sake. ²⁸ Wilt thou lay down thy life for my sake ? Verily, verily, I say unto thee, The cock shall not crow, till thou hast denied me thrice.—**JOHN**, ch. 13.

See other illustrations under :

PRESUMPTION.

Availed. Better...he said, Come up hither ; than 6534
Daring. Egyptians pursued...midst of the sea 6535
Failure. Presumed to go...Amalekites smote them 6536
Future. Know not what shall be on the morrow 6537
Impatient. Because thou comest not...I offered 6538
Pride. Uzziah...burnt incense upon the altar 6539
Penalty. Come unto the king...not called...death 6540
Religious. Prophet that shall speak...not com'd 6541
Rebuked. Uzziah...censer in his hand...leprosy 6542
Sin. Trodden under foot the Son of God 6543
Success. Soul that doeth...presumptuously...cut off 6544
" Joshua made as if beaten...drawn away 6545
Temptation. On a pinnacle...cast thyself down 6546
Unholy. 250 princes...ye take too much upon you 6547
See SELF-RIGHTEOUSNESS below.

7692. SELF-CONDEMNATION acknowledged. *King Ahab.* ⁴⁰ As thy servant was busy here and there, he was gone. And the king of Israel said...So shall thy judgment be ; thyself hast decided

4. "Thus saith the Lord, Because thou hast let go out of thy hand a man whom I appointed to utter destruction, therefore thy life shall go for his life, and thy people for his people.—1 Kings, ch. 20.

7693. — — *Pharisees.* "He that is without sin among you, let him first cast a stone at her." And they, being convicted by their own conscience, went out one by one, beginning at the eldest, even unto the last: and Jesus was left alone, and the woman.—JOHN, ch. 8.

7694. — *Future.* "Speechless." "Friend, how camest thou in hither not having a wedding garment? And he was speechless.—MAT., ch. 22.

7695. — *Sincere.* *Thief.* "The other answering rebuked him, saying, Dost not thou fear God, seeing thou art in the same condemnation? "And we indeed justly; for we receive the due reward of our deeds: but this man hath done nothing amiss.—LUKE, ch. 24.

7696. — *Unexpected.* *David.* "He shall restore the lamb fourfold, because he did this thing, and because he had no pity." And Nathan said to David, *Thou art the man.*—2 SAM., ch. 12.

See CONSCIENCE.

7697. SELF-CONTROL, Lack of. *Proverb.* "He that hath no rule over his own spirit is like a city that is broken down, and without walls.—PROV., ch. 25.

7698. — *Masterly.* *Saul.* "Saul also went home to Gibeah; and there went with him a band of men, whose hearts God had touched." But the children of Belial said, How shall this man save us? And they despised him, and brought him no presents. But he held his peace.—1 SAM., ch. 10.

7699. — *Resolute.* *Eating.* "Put a knife to thy throat, if thou be a man given to appetite." Be not desirous of his dainties: for they are deceitful meat.—PROV., ch. 23.

See TEMPERANCE.

7700. SELF-DEFENCE, Lawful. *In Persia.* "The king granted the Jews which were in every city to gather themselves together, and to stand for their life, to destroy, to slay, the people and province that would assault them, both little ones and women, and to take the spoil of them for a prey.—ESTHER, ch. 8.

Also see:

Valorous. Slew him with his own spear 9159

7701. SELF-DENIAL in Abstinence. *David.* "The three mighty men brake through the host of the Philistines, and drew water out of the well of Beth-lehem, that was by the gate, and brought it to David: nevertheless he would not drink thereof, but poured it out unto the Lord.—2 SAM., ch. 23.

7702. — *Bodily.* *Paul.* "I keep under my body, and bring it into subjection: lest that by any means, when I have preached to others, I myself should be a castaway.—1 COR., ch. 9.

7703. — *better.* *Loiterers.* "When the people complained, it displeased the Lord, and his anger was kindled; and the fire of the Lord consumed them that were in the uttermost parts of the camp.—NUM., ch. 11.

7704. — *Costly.* *Jesus said,* "If thy right hand offend thee, cut it off, and cast it from thee: for it is profitable for thee that one of thy members should perish, and not that thy whole body should be cast into hell.—MAT., ch. 5.

7705. — *difficult.* *Young Ruler.* "One thing thou lackest, sell whatsoever thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven; and come, take up the cross, and follow me." "He went away grieved: for he had great possessions.—MARK, ch. 10.

7706. — *Decent.* *Eating.* "When thou sittest to eat with a ruler, consider diligently what is before thee: "And put a knife to thy throat, if thou be a man given to appetite.—PROV., ch. 23.

7707. — *essential.* "Cross." "If any man will come after me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross daily, and follow me." "For whosoever will save his life shall lose it: but whosoever will lose his life for my sake, the same shall save it.—LUKE, ch. 9.

7708. — *Marvellous.* *Abram.* "The Lord had said unto Abram, Get thee out of thy country, and from thy kindred, and from thy father's house, unto a land that I will shew thee.—GEN., ch. 12.

7709. — — *Moses.* "By faith Moses, when he was come to years, refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter; "Choosing rather to suffer affliction with the people of God, than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season.—HEB., ch. 11.

7710. — — *Paul.* "Even unto this present hour we both hunger, and thirst, and are naked. [See No. 7526.]

7711. — *for Others.* *Paul.* "If meat make my brother to offend, I will eat no flesh while the world standeth, lest I make my brother to offend.—1 COR., ch. 8.

7712. — *Patriotic.* *Nehemiah.* "Twelve years, I and my brethren have not eaten the bread of the governor." But the former governors, were chargeable unto the people, and had taken of them bread and wine, besides forty shekels of silver.—NEH., ch. 5.

7713. — *Positive.* *Christian.* "If any man come to me, and hate not his father, and mother, and wife, and children, and brethren, and sisters, yea, and his own life also, he cannot be my disciple." And whosoever doth not bear his cross, and come after me, cannot be my disciple.—LUKE, ch. 14.

7714. — *rewarded.* *Future.* "We have forsaken all, and followed thee; what shall we have therefore? "And Jesus said, "In the regeneration when the Son of man shall sit in the throne of his glory, ye also shall sit upon twelve thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel.—MAT., ch. 19.

7715. — — "Hundredfold." "Every one that hath forsaken houses, or brethren, or sisters, or father, or mother, or wife, or children, or lands, for my name's sake, shall receive a hundredfold, and shall inherit everlasting life.—MAT., ch. 19.

7716. — *Saved by.* "Strait Gate." "Enter ye in at the strait gate: for wide is the gate,

and broad is the way, that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereat : ¹⁴ Because strait is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it.—MAT., ch. 7.

7717. — Sabbath. *Rewarded.* ¹³ If thou turn away thy foot from the sabbath, *from* doing thy pleasure on my holy day ; and call the sabbath a delight, the holy of the Lord, honourable ; and shalt honour him, not doing thine own ways, nor finding thine own pleasure, nor speaking *thine own* words : ¹⁴ Then shalt thou delight thyself in the Lord.—ISA., ch. 58.

7718. — Service of. "*To Minister.*" ²¹ Whosoever will be chief among you, let him be your servant : ²² Even as the Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give his life a ransom.—MAT., ch. 20.

7719. — Vow of. *Rechabites.* ⁶ We will drink no wine : for Jonadab . . our father commanded us, saying, Ye shall drink no wine, *neither* ye, nor your sons forever : ⁷ Neither shall ye build house, nor sow seed, nor plant vineyard.—ISA., ch. 35.

See SELF-CONTROL.

7720. SELF-EXAMINATION, Benefits of. *Corinthians.* ¹¹ Ye sorrowed after a godly sort, what carefulness it wrought in you, yea, *what* clearing of yourselves, yea, *what* indignation, yea, *what* fear, yea, *what* vehement desire, yea, *what* zeal, yea, *what* revenge ! In all things ye have approved yourselves to be clear in this matter.—2 COR., ch. 7.

7721. — overlooked. "*Beam.*" ³ Why beholdest thou the mote that is in thy brother's eye, but considerest not the beam that is in thine own eye.—MAT., ch. 7.

7722. — Prayerful. *David.* ²³ Search me, O God, and know my heart : try me, and know my thoughts : ²⁴ And see if *there be any* wicked way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting.—PS. 139.

7723. — Personal. *Apostles.* ²¹ As they did eat, he said . . one of you shall betray me. ²² And they were exceeding sorrowful, and began every one of them to say unto him, Lord, is it I ?—MAT., ch. 26.

7724. SELF-RIGHTEOUSNESS cautioned against. *Israelites.* ² A people great and tall, the children of the Anakim . . of whom thou hast heard say, Who can stand before the children of Anak ! . . ⁴ Speak not thou in thine heart . . saying, For my righteousness the Lord hath brought me in to possess this land : but for the wickedness of these nations the Lord doth drive them out from before thee.—DEUT., ch. 9.

7725. — corrected. "*Remember.*" ⁶ God giveth thee not this good land to possess it for thy righteousness ; for thou *art* a stiffnecked people. ⁷ Remember, and forget not, how thou provokedst the Lord thy God to wrath in the wilderness : from the day that thou didst depart out of the land of Egypt, until ye came unto this place, ye have been rebellious.—DEUT., ch. 9.

7726. — Failure of. *Pharisee.* ¹³ And the publican, standing afar off, would not lift up so much as *his eyes* unto heaven, but smote upon his breast, saying, God be merciful to me a sin-

ner. ¹⁴ I tell you, this man went down to his house justified *rather* than the other.—LUKE, ch. 18.

7727. — Mistake of. *Zophar said,* ⁴ Thou hast said, My doctrine is pure, and I am clean in thine eyes. ⁵ But oh that God would speak, and open his lips against thee ; ⁶ And that he would shew thee the secrets of wisdom, that *they are* double to that which is ! Know therefore that God exacteth of thee *less* than thine iniquity *deserveth*.—JOB, ch. 11.

7728. — Offensive. *Smoke.* ⁵ Stand by thyself, come not near to me ; for I am holier than thou. These are a smoke in my nose, a fire that burneth all the day.—ISA., ch. 65.

7729. — Recital of. *Pharisee.* ¹¹ Pharisee . . prayed thus with himself, God, I thank thee, that I am not as other men are, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this publican. ¹² I fast twice in the week, I give tithes of all that I possess.—LUKE, ch. 18.

7730. — Unlawful. *Jewish.* ³ I have spread out my hands all the day unto a rebellious people, which walketh in a way *that was* not good, after their own thoughts ; ⁴ A people that provoketh me to anger continually to my face ; that sacrificeth in gardens, and burneth incense upon altars of brick.—ISA., ch. 65.

7731. SELF-WILL, Destructive. *Jews.* ²¹ O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, *thou* that killest the prophets, and stonest them which are sent unto thee, how often would I have gathered thy children together, even as a hen gathereth her chickens under *her* wings, and ye would not ! ²² Behold, your house is left unto you desolate.—MAT., ch. 23.

7732. — Loss by. *Israel.* ⁴⁴ They presumed to go up unto the hill top : nevertheless the ark of the covenant of the Lord, and Moses, departed not out of the camp. ⁴⁵ Then the Amalekites . . and the Canaanites which dwelt in that hill . . smote them.—NUM., ch. 14.

7733. — Obstinate. *Jews.* ¹⁵ All the people that dwelt in the land of Egypt, in Pathros, answered Jeremiah, saying, ¹⁶ . . we will not hearken unto thee. ¹⁷ But we will certainly do whatsoever thing goeth forth out of our own mouth, to burn incense unto the queen of heaven.—JER., ch. 44.

7734. — Sin of. *King Saul.* [Saul had disobediently spared animals of Amalek for sacrifice.] ²² Behold, to obey is better than sacrifice, and to hearken than the fat of rams. ²³ For rebellion is as the sin of witchcraft, and stubbornness is as iniquity and idolatry.—1 SAM., ch. 15.

7735. — Work of. *Simeon and Levi.* ⁶ O my soul, come not thou into their secret ; unto their assembly, mine honour, be not thou united : for in their anger they slew a man, and in their selfwill they digged down a wall. ⁷ Cursed be their anger, for *it was* fierce ; and their wrath, for it was cruel.—GEN., ch. 49.

See WILL and references.

7736. SELFISHNESS, Appeal to. *Jonathan.* ²¹ For as long as the son of Jesse liveth upon the ground, thou shalt not be established, nor thy kingdom. Wherefore now send and fetch him unto me, for he shall surely die. ²² And

Jonathan answered Saul his father, and said unto him, Wherefore shall he be slain? what hath he done?—1 SAM., ch. 20.

7737. — Ministerial. Eli's Sons. ¹⁶ And if any man said unto him, Let them not fail to burn the fat presently, and then take as much as thy soul desireth; then he would answer him, Nay; but thou shalt give it me now, and if not, I will take it by force. ¹⁷ Wherefore the sin of the young men was very great before the Lord: for men abhorred the offering of the Lord.—1 SAM., ch. 2.

7738. — Misery of. Haman. ¹¹ Haman told them of the glory of his riches, and the multitude of his children, and the king had promoted him. ¹² Yet all this availeth me nothing, so long as I see Mordecai the Jew sitting at the king's gate.—ESTHER, ch. 5.

7739. — Overreaching. Haman. ⁶ Haman thought in his heart, To whom would the king delight to do honour more than to myself? ⁷ Then the king said to Haman, take the apparel and the horse, as thou hast said, and do even so to Mordecai the Jew. let nothing fail of all that thou hast spoken.—ESTHER, ch. 6.

7740. — Outrageous. Parable. ³ The rich man had exceeding many flocks and herds: ⁴ But the poor man had nothing, save one little ewe lamb, which he had bought and nourished up: and it grew up, with his children; ⁵ And there came a traveller unto the rich man, and he spared, his own flock, but took the poor man's lamb, and dressed it for the man.—2 SAM., ch. 12.

7741. — Provision for. Feast. ¹² When thou makest a dinner or a supper, call not thy friends, nor thy brethren, neither thy kinsmen, nor thy rich neighbours; lest they also bid thee again, and a recompense be made thee.—LUKE, ch. 14.

7742. — rebuked. Good Samaritan. [Wounded by robbers, a priest and Levite passed him by on "the other side."] ²³ But a certain Samaritan, as he journeyed, came where he was: and when he saw him, he had compassion on him.—LUKE, ch. 10. [See chapter.]

7743. — revealed. Young Ruler. ²² And he was sad at that saying, and went away grieved: for he had great possessions. ²³ And Jesus saith unto his disciples, How hardly shall they that have riches enter into the kingdom of God! —MARK, ch. 10.

7744. — with Wealth. "Fool." ¹¹ What shall I do, because I have no room where to bestow my fruits? ¹² And he said, This will I do: I will pull down my barns, and build greater. ¹³ And I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years; take thine ease, eat, drink, and be merry.—LUKE, ch. 12.

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7746. — Impaired. Barzillai. ³⁴ How long have I to live, that I should go up with the king unto Jerusalem? ³⁵ I am this day fourscore years old: and can I discern between good and evil? can thy servant taste what I eat or what I drink? can I hear any more the voice of singing?—2 SAM., ch. 19.

7747. — Description. ³ When the keepers of the house shall tremble, and the strong men shall bow themselves, and the grinders cease because they are few, and those that look out of the windows be darkened.—ECC., ch. 12. [See chapter.]

7748. SENSES, Use of. Five. ²² Jacob went near unto Isaac his father; and he felt him, and said, The voice is Jacob's voice, but the hands are the hands of Esau. ²⁷ And he came near, and kissed him: and he smelled the smell of his raiment, and blessed him.—GEN., ch. 27.

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7752. — *Changed.* *At Nazareth.* "All... wondered at the gracious words which proceeded out of his mouth. And they said, Is not this Joseph's son? "And all they in the synagogue, when they heard these things, were filled with wrath, "and thrust him out of the city, and led him unto the brow of the hill whereon their city was built, that they might cast him down headlong.—*LUKE*, ch. 4.

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7755. — *declined.* *Ruth.* "Ruth said, Entreat me not to leave thee, or to return from following after thee : for whither thou goest, I will go : and where thou lodgest, I will lodge : thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God : "Where thou diest, will I die, and there will I be buried.—*RUTH*, ch. 1.

7756. — *Desirable.* *Jeremiah.* "Oh that I had in the wilderness a lodging place of wayfaring men ; that I might leave my people, and go from them ! for they be all adulterers, an assembly of treacherous men.—*JER.*, ch. 9.

7757. — *deferred.* "End." "The kingdom of heaven is like unto a net, that was cast into the sea, and gathered of every kind : "Which, when it was full, they drew to shore, and sat down, and gathered the good into vessels, but cast the bad away. "So shall it be at the end of the world : the angels shall come forth, and sever the wicked from among the just.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

7758. — *from Drunkards.* "Not to eat." [See No. 7770.]

7759. — *an Evidence.* *Religious.* "Wherein shall it be known here that I and thy people have found grace in thy sight? is it not in that

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7760. — *effected.* *Shechaniah.* "Said unto Ezra, We have trespassed against our God, and have taken strange wives of the people of the land : yet now there is hope in Israel concerning this thing. "Now therefore let us make a covenant with our God to put away all the wives, and such as are born of them.—*EZRA*, ch. 10.

7761. — *feared.* *Babel.* "They said, Go to, let us build us a city, and a tower, whose top may reach unto heaven ; and let us make us a name, lest we be scattered abroad upon the face of the whole earth.—*GEN.*, ch. 11.

7762. — *A glorious.* *Elijah.* "As they still went on, and talked... behold, there appeared a chariot of fire, and horses of fire, and parted them both asunder : and Elijah went up by a whirlwind into heaven.—2 *KINGS*, ch. 2.

7763. — *A godly.* *Jews.* "They read in the book of Moses in the audience of the people, that the Ammonite and the Moabite should not come into the congregation of God for ever... "when they had heard the law... they separated from Israel all the mixed multitude.—*NUM.*, ch. 13.

7764. — *impossible.* *Paul.* "I am persuaded, that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, "Nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.—*ROM.*, ch. 8.

7765. — *ignored.* *Solomon.* "Of the nations concerning which the Lord said... Ye shall not go in to them, neither shall they come in unto you : for surely they will turn away your heart after their gods : Solomon clave unto these in love.—1 *KINGS*, ch. 11.

7766. — — "Sons of God." "The sons of God saw the daughters of men that they were fair ; and they took them wives of all which they chose.—*GEN.*, ch. 6. [The flood followed.]

7767. — *An impressive.* *At Sanai.* "And all the people saw the thunders, and the lightnings, and the noise of the trumpet, and the mountain smoking... they removed, and stood afar off.—*Ex.*, ch. 20.

7768. — *at the Judgment.* "Tares." "Nay ; lest while ye gather up the tares, ye root up also the wheat with them. "Let both grow together until the harvest : and... I will say to the reapers, Gather ye together first the tares, and bind them in bundles to burn them : but gather the wheat unto my barn.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

7769. — *made.* *Egypt.* "I will sever in that day the land of Goshen, in which my people dwell, that no swarms of flies shall be there.—*Ex.*, ch. 8.

7770. — *from Misers.* "Covetous." "I have written unto you not to keep company, if any man that is called a brother be a fornicator, or covetous, or an idolater, or a railer, or a drunkard, or an extortioner ; with such a one no not to eat.—1 *COR.*, ch. 5.

7771. — *neglected.* *From Egypt.* "The

mixed multitude that *was* among them fell a lusting : and the children of Israel also wept again, and said, Who shall give us flesh to eat ?
 5 We remember the fish, which we did eat in Egypt freely ; the cucumbers, and the melons, and the leeks, and the onions, and the garlic.
 —NUM., ch. 11.

7772. — — *Jews.* 1 *Even* of the Canaanites, the Hittites, the Perizzites, the Jebusites, the Ammonites, the Moabites, the Egyptians, and the Amorites. 2 For they have taken of their daughters for themselves, and for their sons : so that the holy seed have mingled themselves with the people of those lands.—EZRA, ch. 9.

7773. — — “ *Thorns.* ” 55 If ye will not drive out the inhabitants of the land from before you ; then . . . those which ye let remain of them *shall* be pricks in your eyes, and thorns in your sides, and shall vex you in the land wherein ye dwell. 56 Moreover . . . I shall do unto you, as I thought to do unto them.—NUM., ch. 33.

7774. — — *Canaanites* 38 Were mingled among the heathen, and learned their works. 39 And they served their idols : which were a snare unto them. 40 Yea, they sacrificed their sons and their daughters unto devils.—PS. 106.

7775. — — *Overscrupulous. Pharisees.* 1 The Pharisees and scribes murmured, saying, This man receiveth sinners, and eateth with them.—LUKE, ch. 15.

7776. — — *Reverential. At Sinai.* 11 The third day the Lord will come down in the sight of all the people. . . 12 And thou shalt set bounds unto the people round about, saying, Take heed to yourselves, *that ye go not up into the mount . . . whosoever toucheth the mount shall be surely put to death.*—EX., ch. 19.

7777. — — *required. Prejudice.* 36 Moses said, It is not meet so to do ; for we shall sacrifice the abomination of the Egyptians to the Lord our God . . . before their eyes, and will they not stone us ?—EX., ch. 8.

7778. — — *Reason of. Moses said,* 3 Neither shalt thou make marriages with them ; thy daughter thou shalt not give unto his son, nor his daughter shalt thou take unto thy son. 4 For they will turn away thy son from following me, that they may serve other gods.—DEUT., ch. 7.

7779. — — *A sorrowful. Naomi.* 14 They lifted up their voice, and wept again : and Orpah kissed her mother in law ; but Ruth clave unto her.—RUTH, ch. 1.

7780. — — *David.* 41 David . . . fell on his face to the ground, and bowed himself three times : and they kissed one another, and wept one with another, until David exceeded. 42 And Jonathan said to David, Go in peace.—1 SAM., ch. 20.

7781. — — *Spiritual. Fan.* 17 Whose fan is in his hand, and he will thoroughly purge his floor, and will gather the wheat into his garner ; but the chaff he will burn with fire unquenchable.—LUKE, ch. 3.

7782. — — *Significant. Clean and Unclean.* [See Lev., ch. 11.]

7783. — — *of Sinners. Beatitude.* 28 Blessed are ye, when men shall hate you, and when they

shall separate you *from their company*, and shall reproach you, and cast out your name as evil, for the Son of man's sake. 29 Rejoice ye in that day, and leap for joy : for, behold, your reward is great in heaven.—LUKE, ch. 6.

7784. — — *by Sin. From God.* 1 The Lord's hand is not shortened, that it cannot save ; neither his ear heavy, that it cannot hear : 2 But your iniquities have separated between you and your God, and your sins have hid his face from you, that he will not hear.—ISA., ch. 59.

7785. — — *taught. Law.* 19 Thou shalt not let thy cattle gender with a diverse kind : thou shalt not sow thy field with mingled seed : neither shall a garment mingled with linen and woollen come upon thee.—LEV., ch. 19.

7786. — — *Law.* 10 Thou shalt not plough with an ox and an ass together. 11 Thou shalt not wear a garment of divers sorts, as of woollen and linen together.—DEUT., ch. 22.

7787. — — *unavoidable. Corinthians.* 20 I would not that ye should have fellowship with devils. 21 Ye cannot drink the cup of the Lord, and the cup of devils : ye cannot be partakers of the Lord's table, and of the table of devils.—1 COR., ch. 10.

7788. — — *from the World. The Angel said,* 2 Ye shall make no league with the inhabitants of this land ; ye shall throw down their altars : but ye have not obeyed my voice ; why have ye done this ?—JUDGES, ch. 2.

7789. — — “ *Sheep* ” — “ *Goats.* ” 31 Then shall he sit upon the throne of his glory : 32 And before him shall be gathered all nations : and he shall separate them . . . as a shepherd divideth his sheep from the goats.—MAT., ch. 25.

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7790. SERMON, A long. *Paul.* ¹ Paul preached unto them, ready to depart on the morrow; and continued his speech until midnight.—*ACTS*, ch. 20.

7791. — to Women. *At Philippi.* ¹³ On the sabbath we went out of the city by a river side, where prayer was wont to be made; and we sat down, and spake unto the women which resorted thither.—*ACTS*, ch. 16.

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7792. SERPENT, An evil. *Satan.* ³ The woman said unto the serpent, We may eat of the fruit of the trees of the garden: ⁵ But of the fruit of the tree which is in the midst of the garden... ⁴ And the serpent said...Ye shall not surely die.—*GEN.*, ch. 3.

7793. — A healing. *Brass.* ⁹ Moses made a serpent of brass, and put it upon a pole; and...if a serpent had bitten any man, when he beheld the serpent of brass, he lived.—*NUM.*, ch. 21.

7794. — A harmless. *Paul.* ⁵ And he shook off the beast into the fire, and felt no harm. ⁶ Howbeit they looked when he should have swollen, or fallen down dead suddenly: but after they...saw no harm come to him, they changed their minds, and said that he was a god.—*ACTS*, ch. 28.

7795. — A Rod. *Aaron's.* ¹⁰ Aaron cast down his rod before Pharaoh, and before his servants, and it became a serpent.—*EX.*, ch. 7.

7796. — The stinging. *Cup.* ³¹ Look not thou upon the wine when it is red, when it giveth his colour in the cup, when it moveth itself aright. ³² At the last it biteth like a serpent, and stingeth like an adder.—*PROV.*, ch. 23.

7797. SERPENTS, Plague of. *Wilderness.* ⁵ There is no bread, neither is there any water; and our soul loatheth this light bread. ⁶ And the Lord sent fiery serpents among the people, and they bit the people; and much people of Israel died.—*NUM.*, ch. 21.

7798. SERVANT, Affection for a. *Centurion's.* ² A certain centurion's servant, who was dear unto him, was sick, and ready to die. ³ And

when he heard of Jesus, he sent unto him the elders of the Jews, beseeching him that he would come and heal his servant.—*LUKE*, ch. 7.

7799. — The Christian. *Meek.* ²⁰ For what glory is it, if, when ye be buffeted for your faults, ye shall take it patiently? but if, when ye do well, and suffer for it, ye take it patiently, this is acceptable with God.—*1 PETER*, ch. 2.

7800. — A deceitful. *Gehazi.* ²⁰ The servant of Elisha...said, Behold, my master hath spared Naaman this Syrian, in not receiving at his hands that which he brought: but, as the Lord liveth, I will run after him, and take somewhat of him.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 5.

7801. — The Lord's. *Moses.* ¹ After the death of Moses, the servant of the Lord, the Lord spake unto Joshua the son of Nun, Moses' minister.—*JOSH.*, ch. 1.

7802. — of Men. *Paul.* ¹⁹ Though I be free from all men, yet have I made myself servant unto all, that I might gain the more. ²⁰ And unto the Jews I became as a Jew, that I might gain the Jews; to them that are under the law, as under the law, that I might gain them.—*1 COR.*, ch. 9.

7803. — Only a. *Shepherd.* ¹³ Shepherd, whose own the sheep are not, seeth the wolf coming, and leaveth the sheep, and fleeth; and the wolf catcheth them... ¹² The hireling fleeth, because he is a hireling, and careth not for the sheep.—*JOHN*, ch. 10.

7804. SERVANTS, Oppression of. *Law.* ¹⁴ Thou shalt not oppress a hired servant that is poor and needy, whether he be of thy brethren, or of thy strangers... ¹⁵ At his day thou shalt give him his hire, neither shall the sun go down upon it; for he is poor, and setteth his heart upon it: lest he cry against thee unto the Lord.—*DEUT.*, ch. 24.

7805. — Unprofitable. *Duty only.* ⁸ Afterward thou shalt eat and drink? ⁹ Doth he thank that servant because he did the things that were commanded him? I trow not. ¹⁰ So likewise ye, when ye shall have done all those things which are commanded you, say, We are unprofitable servants: we have done that which was our duty to do.—*LUKE*, ch. 17.

7806. SERVICE from all. *Christian.* ²⁶ He that is greatest among you, let him be as the younger; and he that is chief, as he that doth serve. ²⁷ For whether is greater, he that sitteth at meat, or he that serveth? is not he that sitteth at meat? but I am among you as he that serveth.—*LUKE*, ch. 22.

7807. — Consecrated. *Priests.* ²³ Moses took of the blood of it, and put it upon the tip of Aaron's right ear, and upon the thumb of his right hand, and upon the great toe of his right foot.—*LEV.*, ch. 8. [Also his sons.]

7808. — Distinction by. *David's.* ²⁷ As David returned from the slaughter of the Philistine, Abner took him, and brought him before Saul with the head of the Philistine in his hand.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 17.

7809. — dishonoured. *God's.* ⁸ If ye offer the blind for sacrifice, is it not evil? and if ye offer the lame and sick, is it not evil? offer it now unto thy governor; will he be pleased with thee, or accept thy person? saith the Lord of hosts.—*MAL.*, ch. 1.

7810. SERVICES, Diverse. *David said,* ²⁴ As his part is that goeth down to the battle, so shall his part be that tarrieth by the stuff: they shall part alike.—1 SAM., ch. 30.

7811. SERVICE, Earnestness in. *Tabernacle Builders.* ²² They came, both men and women, as many as were willing-hearted, and brought bracelets, and ear-rings, and rings, and tablets, all jewels of gold: and every man that offered, offered an offering of gold unto the Lord.—EX., ch. 35.

7812. — Excused from. *Mary.* ⁴⁰ Lord, dost thou not care that my sister hath left me to serve alone? bid her therefore that she help me. ⁴² Mary hath chosen that good part, which shall not be taken away from her.—LUKE, ch. 10.

7813. — Hardships of. *Laban's.* ³⁹ That which was torn of beasts I brought not unto thee; I bare the loss of it; of my hand didst thou require it, whether stolen by day, or stolen by night. ⁴⁰ In the day the drought consumed me, and the frost by night, and my sleep departed from mine eyes. ⁴¹ Thus have I been twenty years.—GEN., ch. 31.

7814. — Half-hearted. *Irksome.* ¹³ Ye said also, Behold, what a weariness is it! and ye have snuffed at it, saith the Lord of hosts; and ye brought that which was torn, and the lame, and the sick; thus ye brought an offering: should I accept this of your hand?—MAL., ch. 1.

7815. — neglected. *God's.* ⁸ Will a man rob God?..robbed me. But ye say, Wherein have we robbed thee? In tithes and offerings. ⁹ Ye are cursed with a curse: for ye have robbed me, even this whole nation. ¹⁰ Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be meat in mine house, and prove me now herewith.—MAL., ch. 3.

7816. — An outward. *Naaman.* ¹⁸ When my master goeth into the house of Rimmon to worship there, and he leaneth on my hand, and I bow myself in the house of Rimmon, the Lord pardon thy servant in this thing. ¹⁹ And he said unto him, Go in peace.—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

7817. — One or Other. *Moses said,* ⁴¹ Because thou servedst not the Lord thy God with joyfulness, for the abundance of all things; ⁴² Therefore shalt thou serve thine enemies, in hunger, and in thirst, and in nakedness, and in want of all things: and he shall put a yoke of iron upon thy neck, until he have destroyed thee.—DEUT., ch. 28.

7818. — Pay for. *God's.* ¹⁰ Who is there even among you that would shut the doors for nought? neither do ye kindle fire on mine altar for nought. I have no pleasure in you, saith the Lord of hosts, neither will I accept an offering at your hand.—MAL., ch. 1.

7819. — rewarded. *"Cup."* ⁴¹ Whosoever shall give you a cup of water to drink in my name, because ye belong to Christ, he shall not lose his reward.—MARK, ch. 9.

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7820. SERVITUDE, Degraded by. *At Red Sea.* ¹⁹ Is not this the word that we did tell thee in Egypt, saying, Let us alone, that we may serve the Egyptians? For it had been better for us to serve the Egyptians, than that we should die in the wilderness.—EX., ch. 14.

7821. — Rigorous. *Egyptian.* ¹⁴ They made their lives bitter with hard bondage, in mortar, and in brick, and in all manner of service in the field: all their service..was with rigour.—EX., ch. 2.

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7822. SEXES, Distinction of. *Dress.* ⁵ The woman shall not wear that which pertaineth unto a man, neither shall a man put on a woman's garment: for all that do so are abomination unto the Lord.—DEUT., ch. 22.

7823. — unlike. *Hair.* ¹⁴ Doth not even nature itself teach you, that, if a man have long hair, it is a shame unto him? ¹⁵ But if a woman have long hair, it is a glory to her: for her hair is given her for a covering.—1 COR., ch. 11.

7824. SEVERITY, Merciless. *Creditor.* ²⁶ The same servant went out, and found one of his fellow servants, which owed him a hundred pence: and he laid hands on him, and took him by the throat, saying, Pay me that thou owest.—MAT., ch. 18.

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7826. SHAME from Abuse. *Messengers.* ⁴ The men were greatly ashamed: and the king said, Tarry at Jericho until your beards be grown, and then return.—2 SAM., ch. 10.

7827. — A Criminal's. *Idolaters.* ²⁶ As the thief is ashamed when he is found, so is the house of Israel ashamed; they, their kings, their princes, and their priests, and their prophets. ²⁷ Saying to a stock, Thou art my father.—JER., ch. 2.

7828. — impossible. *Obdurate.* ¹⁰ For every one from the least even unto the greatest is given to covetousness, from the prophet even unto the priest every one dealeth falsely. ¹¹ Were they ashamed when they had committed abomination? nay, they were not at all ashamed, neither could they blush.—JER., ch. 8.

7829. — Rejoicing in. *Apostles.* ⁴¹ They departed from the presence of the council, rejoicing that they were counted worthy to suffer shame for his name.—ACTS, ch. 5.

7830. — for Shame. *Judgment.* ²⁰ Who-soever shall be ashamed of me, and of my words, of him shall the Son of man be ashamed, when he shall come in his own glory, and in his Father's, and of the holy angels.—LUKE, ch. 9.

7831. — Sin causes. *In Eden.* ⁷ The eyes of them both were opened, and they knew that they were naked; and they sewed fig leaves together, and made themselves aprons.—GEN., ch. 3.

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7832. SHEPHERD, The first. *Abel.* ² Abel was a keeper of sheep, but Cain was a tiller of the ground.—GEN., ch. 4.

7833. — A faithful. *Jacob.* ²⁹ That which was torn of beasts..I bare the loss of it; of my hand didst thou require it, whether stolen by day, or stolen by night. ⁴⁰ Thus I was; in the day the drought consumed me, and the frost by night; and my sleep departed from mine eyes.—GEN., ch. 31.

7834. — The good. *Jesus.* ¹¹ I am the good shepherd: the good shepherd giveth his life for the sheep.—JOHN, ch. 10.

7835. — A great. *King Mesha.* ⁴ Mesha king of Moab was a sheepmaster, and rendered unto the king of Israel a hundred thousand lambs, and a hundred thousand rams, with the wool.—2 KINGS, ch. 3.

7836. SHEPHERDS, Unfaithful. *Priests.* ¹ Woe be to the shepherds of Israel that do feed themselves! should not the shepherds feed the flocks? ² Ye eat the fat, and ye clothe you with the wool, ye kill them that are fed; but ye feed not the flock.—EZEK., ch. 34.

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7837. SHIPS, Wealth by. *Solomon's.* ²⁸ King Solomon made a navy of ships in Ezion-geber..on the shore of the Red sea.. ²⁹ And they came to Ophir, and fetched from thence gold, four hundred and twenty talents, and brought it to king Solomon.—1 KINGS, ch. 9.

7838. — Builder, The first. *Noah.* ¹⁵ The length of the ark shall be three hundred cubits, the breadth of it fifty cubits, and the height of it thirty cubits.—GEN., ch. 6.

7839. SHIPWRECK, Perils from. *Paul.* ²⁵ Thrice was I beaten with rods, once was I stoned, thrice I suffered shipwreck.—2 COR., ch. 11.

7840. — Saved in. *Paul.* ⁴³ The centurion, willing to save Paul, kept them from their purpose; and commanded that they which could swim should cast themselves first into the sea, and get to land: ⁴⁴ And the rest, some on boards, and some on broken pieces of the ship.. they escaped all safe to land.—ACTS, ch. 27.

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7841. SHOUTING in Heaven. *"Alleluia"* ⁴ I heard as it were the voice of a great multitude, and as the voice of many waters, and as the voice of mighty thunderings, saying, Alleluia: for the Lord God omnipotent reigneth.—REV., ch. 19.

7842. — Idolatrous. *Golden Calf.* ¹⁷ When Joshua heard the noise of the people as they shouted, he said unto Moses, There is a noise of war in the camp.—EX., ch. 32.

7843. — Religious. *Dedication.* ²⁴ There came a fire out from before the Lord, and consumed upon the altar the burnt offering and the fat: which when all the people saw, they shouted, and fell on their faces.—LEV., ch. 9.

7844. — — Bringing the Ark. *David* danced before the Lord with all his might. ¹⁴ So David and all the house of Israel brought up the ark of the Lord with shouting, and with the sound of the trumpet.—2 SAM., ch. 6.

7845. — Stimulated by. *Samson*. ¹⁴ The Philistines shouted against him : and the Spirit of the Lord came mightily upon him, and the cords that were upon his arms became as flax that was burnt with fire, and his bands loosed from off his hands.—*JUDGES*, ch. 15. [He slew a thousand men.]

7846. — of Triumph. *Builders*. ¹¹ They sang together by course in praising and giving thanks unto the Lord ; because he is good, for his mercy endureth for ever toward Israel. And all the people shouted with a great shout, when they praised the Lord, because the foundation of the house of the Lord was laid.—*EZRA*, ch. 3.

7847. — Vain. *Ark lost*. ⁶ When the ark of the covenant of the Lord came into the camp, all Israel shouted with a great shout, so that the earth rang again.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 4.

7848. — for Victory. *At Jericho*. ²⁰ The people shouted when the priests blew with the trumpets. . . when the people heard the sound of the trumpet, and the people shouted with a great shout. . . the wall fell down flat.—*JOSEPH*, ch. 6.

7849. — and Weeping. *Builders*. ¹² Ancient men, that had seen the first house, when the foundation of this house was laid before their eyes, wept with a loud voice ; and many shouted aloud for joy : ¹³ So that the people could not discern the noise of the shout of joy from the noise of the weeping of the people ; for the people shouted with a loud shout, and the noise was heard afar off.—*EZRA*, ch. 3.

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7850. SICK, Anxiety for the. *Lazarus*. ³ His sisters sent unto him, saying, Lord, behold, he whom thou lovest is sick.—*JOHN*, ch. 11.

7851. — — Nobleman. ⁴¹ When he heard that Jesus was come out of Judea into Galilee, he went unto him, and besought him that he would come down, and heal his son : for he was at the point of death.—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

7852. SICKNESS, Distressing. *Mortal*. ¹⁴ Elisha was fallen sick of his sickness whereof he died. And Josiah the king of Israel came down unto him, and wept over his face, and said, O my father, my father ! the chariot of Israel, and the horsemen thereof.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 13.

7853. — Dependency in. *Hezekiah*. ¹² Mine age is departed, and is removed from me as a shepherd's tent : I have cut off like a weaver my life : he will cut me off with pining sickness : from day even to night wilt thou make an end of me.—*ISA.*, ch. 38.

7854. — Jesus in. *Sought*. ⁴⁷ When he heard that Jesus was come out of Judea into Galilee, he went unto him, and besought him that he would come down, and heal his son : for he was at the point of death. . . ⁴⁹ The nobleman saith unto him, Sir, come down ere my child die.—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

7855. — misimproved. *Hezekiah*. ²⁴ Hezekiah was sick to the death, and prayed unto the Lord : and he gave him a sign. ²⁵ But Hezekiah rendered not again according to the benefit done unto him ; for his heart was lifted up.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 32.

7856. — from Overwork. *Epaphroditus*.

²⁰ For the work of Christ he was nigh unto death, not regarding his life, to supply your lack of service toward me.—*PHIL.*, ch. 2.

7857. — Punished by. *Disobedient*. ²⁸ If thou wilt not observe to do all . . . that are written in this book, that thou mayest fear this glorious and fearful name, THE LORD THY GOD ; ²⁹ Then the Lord will make thy plagues wonderful. . . even great plagues, and of long continuance, and sore sicknesses, and of long continuance.—*DEUT.*, ch. 28.

7858. — Pretended. *David*. ¹⁹ Michal let David down through a window : and he went, and fled, and escaped. . . ¹⁴ And when Saul sent messengers to take David, she said, He is sick.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 19.

7859. — Reflections in. *Hezekiah*. ¹⁰ I said in the cutting off of my days, I shall go to the gates of the grave : I am deprived of the residue of my years. ¹¹ I said, I shall not see the Lord, even the Lord, in the land of the living : I shall behold man no more with the inhabitants of the world.—*ISA.*, ch. 38.

7860. — relieved. *By Jesus*. ²⁸ Simon's wife's mother was taken with a great fever ; and they besought him for her. ²⁹ And he stood over her, and rebuked the fever ; and it left her : and immediately she arose and ministered unto them.—*LUKE*, ch. 4.

7861. — Restoration from. *Ben-hadad*. ¹ Elisha came to Damascus ; and Ben-hadad the king of Syria was sick. . . ⁶ And the king said unto Hazael, Take a present in thine hand, and go, meet the man of God, and inquire of the Lord by him, saying, Shall I recover of this disease ?—*2 KINGS*, ch. 8.

7862. — Wasting. *Wrinkles*. ⁸ Thou hast filled me with wrinkles, which is a witness against me : and my leanness rising up in me beareth witness to my face.—*JOB*, ch. 16.

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7863. SIDE, Which. *Angel of God.* ¹³ When Joshua was by Jericho, he lifted up his eyes and looked, and, behold, there stood a man over against him with his sword drawn in his hand: and Joshua went unto him, and said unto him, *Art thou for us, or for our adversaries?*—*JOSH.*, ch. 5.

7864. — *Calf made.* ²⁵ When Moses saw that the people were naked, . . . ²⁶ Then Moses stood in the gate of the camp, and said, Who is on the Lord's side? *let him come unto me.*—*EX.*, ch. 32.

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7865. SIGHT, Walking by. *Israelites.* ³ Would to God we had died by the hand of the Lord in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the fleshpots, and when we did eat bread to the full; for ye have brought us forth into this wilderness, to kill this whole assembly with hunger.—*EX.*, ch. 16.

7866. SIGN, A beautiful. *Rainbow.* ¹² I do set my bow in the cloud, and it shall be for a token of a covenant between me and the earth.—*GEN.*, ch. 9.

7867. — *A cheering.* *Star.* ¹ There came wise men from the east to Jerusalem, ² Saying, Where is he that is born King of the Jews? for we have seen his star in the east, and are come to worship him.—*MAT.*, ch. 2.

7868. — *Dumbness a.* *Zacharias.* ³⁰ Thou shalt be dumb, and not able to speak, until the day that these things shall be performed, because thou believest not my words, which shall be fulfilled in their season.—*LUKE*, ch. 1.

7869. — *Encouraging.* *Mount Carmel.* ⁴⁴ At the seventh time, he said, Behold, there ariseth a little cloud out of the sea, like a man's hand. And he said, Go up, say unto Ahab, Prepare thy chariot, and get thee down, that the rain stop thee not.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 18.

7870. — *Gifts for a.* *"Tongues."* ²² Tongues are for a sign, not to them that believe, but to them that believe not: but prophesying serveth not for them that believe not, but for them which believe.—*1 COR.*, ch. 14.

7871. — *Influential.* *Jonathan.* ⁹ If they say thus unto us, Tarry until we come to you; then we will stand still in our place, and will not go up unto them. ¹⁰ But if they say thus, Come up unto us; then we will go up: for the Lord hath delivered them into our hand; and this shall be a sign unto us.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 14.

7872. — *The Lord's.* *Shadow—Backward.* [See No. 7825.]

7873. — *A protecting.* *"Blood."* ¹³ The blood shall be to you for a token upon the houses where ye are: and when I see the blood, I will pass over you, when I smite the land of Egypt.—*EX.*, ch. 12.

7874. — *of Purity.* *Blue Ribband.* ³⁸ Their generations, and that they put upon the fringe of the borders a ribband of blue: ³⁹ . . . for a fringe, that ye may look upon it, and, . . . ⁴⁰ remember, and do all my commandments, and be holy unto your God.—*NUM.*, ch. 15.

7875. — *A preserved.* *Aaron's Rod.* ¹⁰ The Lord said unto Moses, Bring Aaron's rod again before the testimony, to be kept for a token against the rebels.—*NUM.*, ch. 17.

7876. — *of Summer.* *A. Verdure.* ²² Learn a parable of the fig tree; When his branch is yet tender, and putteth forth leaves, ye know that summer is nigh.—*MAT.*, ch. 24.

7877. — *A Traitor's.* *Judas.* ⁴⁸ He that betrayed him gave them a sign, saying, Whomsoever I shall kiss, the same is he: hold him fast.—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

7878. SIGNS, Celestial. *Planets.* ¹⁴ God said, Let there be lights in the firmament of the heaven to divide the day from the night; and let them be for signs, and for seasons, and for days, and years: ¹⁵ And let them be for lights in the firmament.—*GEN.*, ch. 1.

7879. — *Converted by.* *Simon Magus.* ¹³ Simon himself believed also: and when he was baptized, he continued with Philip, and wondered, beholding the miracles and signs which were done.—*ACTS*, ch. 8.

7880. — *desired.* *Jews.* ³³ Master, we would see a sign from thee. ³⁹ But he answered, . . . An evil and adulterous generation seeketh after a sign; and there shall no sign be given to it, but the sign of the prophet Jonas.—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

7881. — *Evidence by.* *Moses' Rod.* ⁵ He cast it on the ground and it became a serpent: and Moses fled from before it. ⁶ And he put his hand into his bosom: and when he took it out, behold, his hand was leprous as snow. ⁷ And he said, Put thine hand into thy bosom again. And he put his hand into his bosom again; and plucked it out, and, behold, it was turned again as his other flesh.—*EX.*, ch. 4.

7882. — *of Grief.* *For Joseph.* ³⁴ Jacob rent his clothes, and put sackcloth upon his loins, and mourned for his son many days.—*GEN.*, ch. 37.

7883. — *Evidence in.* *Nobleman's.* ⁴⁶ There was a certain nobleman, whose son was sick at Capernaum. ⁴⁸ Then said Jesus unto him, Except ye see signs and wonders, ye will not believe.—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

7884. — *Intrigue by.* *Wicked.* ¹² A naughty person, a wicked man, walketh with a froward mouth. ¹³ He winketh with his eyes, he speaketh with his feet, he teacheth with his fingers.—*PROV.*, ch. 6.

7885. — *overlooked.* *Jews.* ⁵⁴ When ye see a cloud rise out of the west, straightway ye say, There cometh a shower; and so it is. ⁵⁵ And when ye see the south wind blow, ye say, There will be heat; and it cometh to pass. ⁵⁶ Ye hypocrites, ye can discern the face of the sky and of the earth; but how is it that ye do not discern this time?—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

7886. — *required.* *By Jews.* ²¹ It pleased God by the foolishness of preaching to save them that believe. ²² For the Jews require a sign, and the Greeks seek after wisdom.—*1 COR.*, ch. 1.

7887. — *Test.* *Gideon's Fleece.* ²⁸ He rose up early on the morrow, and thrust the fleece together, and wringed the dew out of the fleece, a bowl full of water. ²⁹ And Gideon said unto God, Let not thine anger be hot against me, and I will speak but this once. . . let it now be dry only upon the fleece, and upon all the ground let there be dew.—*JUDGES*, ch. 6.

7888. — *Weather.* *Jesus said,* ² When it is evening, ye say, *It will be fair weather :* for the sky is red. ³ And in the morning, *It will be foul weather to day :* for the sky is red and lowering. O ye hypocrites, ye can discern the face of the sky ; but can ye not discern the signs of the times ?—*MAT.*, ch. 16.

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7889. *SIGNAL to Advance.* "*A Going.*"
¹⁴ When thou hearest the sound of a going in the tops of the mulberry trees..then thou shalt bestir thyself : for then shall the Lord go out before thee, to smite the host of the Philistines.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 5.

7890. — *Conspirator's Kiss.* ⁴⁹ And forthwith he came to Jesus, and said, Hail, Master ; and kissed him. ⁵⁰ And Jesus said unto him, Friend, wherefore art thou come ? Then came they, and laid hands on Jesus, and took him.—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

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7891. *SILENCE of Awe.* *Manoah's Wife.*
⁶ The woman came and told her husband, saying, A man of God came unto me, and his countenance was like the countenance of an angel of God, very terrible : but I asked him not whence he was, neither told he me his name.—*JUDGES*, ch. 13.

7892. — *Criminal.* *To Esther.* ¹⁴ If thou altogether holdest thy peace at this time, then shall there enlargement and deliverance arise to the Jews from another place ; but thou and thy father's house shall be destroyed : and who knoweth whether thou art come to the kingdom for such a time as this ?—*ESTHER*, ch. 4.

7893. — *of Conviction.* *At Capernaum.*
³ He saith unto the man which had the withered hand, Stand forth. ⁴ And he saith unto them, Is it lawful to do good on the sabbath days, or to do evil ? to save life, or to kill ? But they held their peace.—*MARK*, ch. 3.

7894. — *Construction in.* *Temple.* ¹ The house, when it was in building, was built of stone made ready before it was brought thither : so that there was neither hammer nor axe nor any tool of iron heard in the house, while it was in building.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 6.

— *of Desolation.* *Babylon.* ²² And the voice of harpers, and musicians, and of pipers, and trumpeters, shall he heard no more at all in thee ; and no craftsman, of whatsoever craft he be, shall be found any more in thee : and the sound of a millstone shall be heard no more at all in thee : ²³ And the light of a candle shall shine no more at all in thee : and the voice of the bridegroom and of the bride shall be heard no more at all in thee : for thy merchants were the great men of the earth ; for by thy sorceries were all nations deceived.—*REV.*, ch. 18.

7895. — *Difficult.* *Leper.* ⁴⁴ See thou say nothing to any man : but go thy way, shew thyself to the priests, and offer for thy cleansing. . . ⁴⁵ But he went out, and began to publish it much, and to blaze abroad the matter.—*MARK*, ch. 1.

7896. — — *King Saul.* ²¹ The children of Belial said, How shall this man save us ? And they despised him, and brought him no presents. But he held his peace.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 10.

7897. — — *Bartimeus.* ⁴⁸ Many charged him that he should hold his peace : but he cried the more a great deal, *Thou Son of David, have mercy on me.* ⁴⁹ And Jesus..commanded him to be called.—*MARK*, ch. 10.

7898. — *A dangerous.* *Four Lepers.* ⁹ We do not well : this day is a day of good tidings, and we hold our peace : if we tarry till the morning light, some mischief will come upon us : now therefore come, that we may go and tell the king's household.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 7.

7899. — *A discouraging.* "*Not a Word.*"
²² A woman of Canaan..cried unto him, saying, Have mercy on me, O Lord, thou son of David ; my daughter is grievously vexed with a devil. ²³ But he answered her not a word.—*MAT.*, ch. 15.

7900. — *of Fear.* *Ish-bosheth.* ⁸ Then was Abner very wroth for the words of Ish-bosheth, and said, Am I a dog's head, which against Judah do shew kindness this day unto the house of Saul thy father ? ¹¹ And he could not answer Abner a word again, because he feared him.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 3.

7901. — *in Grief.* *Job's Friends* ¹³ Wept ; and they rent every one his mantle, and sprinkled dust upon their heads toward heaven. ¹⁵ So they sat down with him upon the ground seven days and seven nights, and none spake a word unto him : for they saw that his grief was very great.—*JOB*, ch. 2.

7902. — *impossible.* *Apostles.* ⁴⁰ When they had called the apostles, and beaten them, they commanded that they should not speak in the name of Jesus, and let them go. ⁴² And daily in the temple, and in every house, they ceased not to teach and preach Jesus Christ.—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

7903. — *Importance of.* "*Keepeth his Soul.*"
²³ Whoso keepeth his mouth and his tongue, keepeth his soul from troubles.—*PROV.*, ch. 21.

7904. — *of Meekness.* *Before Herod.* ⁹ Then he questioned with him in many words ; but he answered him nothing. ¹⁰ And the chief priests and scribes stood and vehemently accused him.—*LUKE*, ch. 23.

7905. — *Noncommittal.* *Mt. Carmel.* ²¹ Elijah..said, How long halt ye between two opinions ? if the Lord be God, follow him : but if Baal, then, follow him. And the people answered him not a word.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 18.

7906. — *Orderly.* *At Jericho.* ¹⁰ Joshua had commanded the people, saying, Ye shall not shout, nor make any noise with your voice, neither shall any word proceed out of your mouth, until the day I bid you shout ; then shall ye shout.—*JOSH.*, ch. 6.

7907. — *Speech useless.* *Before Pilate.*
⁴ Pilate asked him again, saying, Answerest thou nothing ? behold how many things they witness against thee. ⁵ But Jesus yet answered nothing ; so that Pilate marvelled.—*MARK*, ch. 15.

7908. — *Safety in.* *Proverb.* ¹ A fool's mouth is his destruction, and his lips are the snare of his soul. ⁸ The words of a talebearer are as wounds, and they go down into the innermost parts of the belly.—*PROV.*, ch. 18.

7909. — of Women. *Paul.* ¹¹ Let the woman learn in silence with all subjection. ¹² But I suffer not a woman to teach, nor to usurp authority over the man, but to be in silence.—1 TIM., ch. 2.

7910. — Wisdom of. *Proverb.* ²⁸ Even a fool, when he holdeth his peace, is counted wise : and he that shutteth his lips is esteemed a man of understanding.—PROV., ch. 17.

7911. — Weary of. *Jeremiah.* ⁸ Because the word of the Lord was made a reproach unto me, and a derision, daily. ⁹ Then I said, I will not make mention of him, nor speak any more in his name. But his word was in mine heart as a burning fire shut up in my bones, and I was weary with forbearing, and I could not stay.—JER., ch. 20.

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7912. SIMONY, Crime of. *Simon Magus.* ¹⁸ When Simon saw that through laying on of the apostles' hands the Holy Ghost was given, he offered them money, ¹⁹ Saying, Give me also this power, that on whomsoever I lay hands, he may receive the Holy Ghost.—ACTS, ch. 8.

7913. — Scorn of. *Peter.* ³⁰ Thy money perish with thee, because thou hast thought that the gift of God may be purchased with money. ³¹ Thou hast neither part nor lot in this matter : for thy heart is not right in the sight of God.—ACTS, ch. 8.

7914. SIMPLICITY, Necessity of. *Child.* ³ Except ye be converted, and become as little children, ye shall not enter into the kingdom of heaven.—MAT., ch. 18.

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7915. SIN from Anger. *Moses.* ¹⁰ Hear now, ye rebels ; must we fetch you water out of this rock ? ¹¹ And Moses lifted up his hand, and with his rod he smote the rock twice.—NUM., ch. 20.

7916. — attractive. *Eve.* ⁶ When the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was pleasant to the eyes, and a tree to be desired to make one wise.—GEN., ch. 3.

7917. — advertised. *Judah.* ⁹ The shew of their countenance doth witness against them ; and they declared their sin as Sodom, they hide it not. Woe unto their soul !—ISA., ch. 3.

7918. — Atonement for. *Abel.* ⁴ Abel, he also brought of the firstlings of his flock and of the fat thereof. And the Lord had respect unto Abel and to his offering.—GEN., ch. 4.

7919. — abhorred. "Unclean." ⁵ Woe is me ! for I am undone ; because I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a peo-

ple of unclean lips : for mine eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts.—ISA., ch. 6.

7920. — Boldness in. *Ahab.* ²⁹ Ahab..reigned over Israel in Samaria twenty and two years. ³⁰ And Ahab..did evil in the sight of the Lord above all that were before him.—1 KINGS, ch. 16.

7921. — — Absalom. ³⁰ Said Absalom to Ahithophel, Give counsel. ³¹ And Ahithophel said unto Absalom, Go in unto thy father's concubines, which he hath left to keep the house : and all Israel shall hear that thou art abhorred of thy father : then shall the hands of all that are with thee be strong.—2 SAM., ch. 16.

7922. — Bitterness after. *Adultery.* ² For the lips of a strange woman drop as an honeycomb, and her mouth is smoother than oil : ⁴ But her end is bitter as wormwood, sharp as a twoedged sword. ⁵ Her feet go down to death ; her steps take hold on hell.—PROV., ch. 5.

7923. — Bitterness for. "Bitter Herbs." ¹ They shall take of the blood, and strike it on the two side posts and on the upper door post of the houses. ² And they shall eat the flesh in that night, roast with fire, and unleavened bread ; and with bitter herbs.—EX., ch. 12.

7924. — defeats the Church. *Achan.* [See No. 8024.]

7925. — Counsellor to. *Absalom.* [See No. 7921.]

7926. — Cowards by. *Proverb.* ¹ The wicked flee when no man pursueth : but the righteous are bold as a lion.—PROV., ch. 28.

7927. — Calamity from. *At Ai.* ¹³ There is an accursed thing in the midst of thee, O Israel : thou canst not stand before thine enemies, until ye take away the accursed thing from among you.—JOSH., ch. 7. [See No. 8012.]

7928. — — Jews. ⁶ I also have given you cleanness of teeth in all your cities, and want of bread in all your places : yet have ye not returned unto me, saith the Lord.—AMOS, ch. 4.

7929. — Curses the Land. *Israel.* ⁹ I have smitten you with blasting and mildew ; when your gardens and your vineyards and your fig trees and your olive trees increased, the palmer-worm devoured them : yet have ye not returned unto me, saith the Lord.—AMOS, ch. 4.

7930. — Captivity to. *Paul.* ¹⁴ We know that the law is spiritual : but I am carnal, sold under sin. ¹⁵ For that which I do, I allow not : for what I would, that do I not ; but what I hate, that do I.—ROM., ch. 7.

7931. — Conflict with. *Paul.* ¹⁸ To will is present with me ; but how to perform that which is good I find not. ¹⁹ For the good that I would, I do not : but the evil which I would not, that I do.—ROM., ch. 7.

7932. — Consciousness of. *Job.* ⁵ I have heard of thee by the hearing of the ear ; but now mine eye seeth thee : ⁶ Wherefore I abhor myself, and repent in dust and ashes.—JOB, ch. 42.

7933. — not covered. *Gehazi.* ²⁵ Elisha said..Whence comest thou, Gehazi ? And he said, Thy servant went no whither. ²⁶ And he said..Went not mine heart with thee, when the man turned again from his chariot to meet thee ?

at a time to receive money, and to receive garments, and oliveyards, and vineyards, and sheep, and oxen, and menservants, and maidservants? ¹⁷ The leprosy therefore of Naaman shall cleave unto thee.—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

7934. — — *Judah's.* ¹ The sin of Judah is written with a pen of iron, and with the point of a diamond: it is graven upon the table of their heart, and upon the horns of your altars.—JER., ch. 17.

7935. — — *covered with sin.* *David.* ¹⁴ David wrote a letter to Joab, and sent it by the hand of Uriah. ¹⁵ saying, Set ye Uriah in the forefront of the hottest battle, and retire ye from him, that he may be smitten, and die.—2 SAM., ch. 11.

7936. — — *A costly.* *Haman.* ⁹ If it please the king, let it be written that they may be destroyed: and I will pay ten thousand talents of silver to the hands of those that have the charge of the business.—ESTHER, ch. 3. [About \$15,000,000.]

7937. — — *Contrition for.* *On Atonement Day.* ¹⁰ Whatsoever soul it be that shall not be afflicted in that same day, he shall be cut off from among his people.—LEV., ch. 23.

7938. — — *Conscious of.* *"Went out."* ³ The scribes and Pharisees brought unto him a woman taken in adultery; ⁴ Now Moses in the law commanded us, that such should be stoned: but what sayest thou? ¹ He that is without sin among you, let him first cast a stone at her. ⁸ And they, being convicted by their own conscience, went out one by one, beginning at the eldest, even unto the last.—JOHN, ch. 8.

7939. — — *Consequences of.* *"Burned."* ¹⁷ Can a man take fire in his bosom, and his clothes not be burned? ¹⁸ Can one go upon hot coals, and his feet not be burned? ¹⁹ Whoso committeth adultery with a woman lacketh understanding: he that doeth it destroyeth his own soul.—PROV., ch. 6.

7940. — — *Causing to.* *Others.* ²¹ It is good neither to eat flesh, nor to drink wine, nor any thing whereby thy brother stumbleth, or is offended, or is made weak.—ROM., ch. 14.

7941. — — *Jeroboam.* ²⁸ Omri wrought evil in the eyes of the Lord, and did worse than all that were before him. ²⁶ and in his sin wherewith he made Israel to sin.—1 KINGS, ch. 16.

7942. — — *Responsibility.* ⁶ Whoso shall offend one of these little ones which believe in me, it were better for him that a millstone were hanged about his neck, and that he were drowned in the depth of the sea.—MAT., ch. 18.

7943. — — *Eve.* ⁶ She took of the fruit thereof, and did eat, and gave also unto her husband with her; and he did eat.—GEN., ch. 3.

7944. — — *Drought from.* *Rain.* ¹ I have withholden the rain from you, when there were yet three months to the harvest: and I caused it to rain upon one city, and caused it not to rain upon another city. ⁸ So two or three cities wandered unto one city, to drink water; but they were not satisfied: yet have ye not returned unto me, saith the Lord.—AMOS, ch. 4. [See No. 7929.]

7945. — — *Degradation in.* *"Vomit."* ¹¹ It is happened unto them according to the true proverb, The dog is turned to his own vomit again; and, The sow that was washed to her wallowing in the mire.—2 PETER, ch. 2.

7946. — — *disowned.* *In Eden.* ¹² The woman whom thou gavest to be with me, she gave me of the tree, and I did eat. ¹³ And the Lord God said unto the woman, What is this that thou hast done? And the woman said, The serpent beguiled me.—GEN., ch. 3.

7947. — — *Destruction in.* *Sodom.* ¹⁴ Lot went out, and said, Up, get you out of this place; for the Lord will destroy this city. But he seemed as one that mocked unto his sons in law.—GEN., ch. 19.

7948. — — *Deliverance from.* *"Cleanse."* ¹ If we walk in the light, as he is in the light, we have fellowship one with another, and the blood of Jesus Christ his Son cleanseth us from all sin. ⁸ If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us.—1 JOHN, ch. 1.

7949. — — *denied.* *"Liar."* ⁹ If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. ¹⁰ If we say that we have not sinned, we make him a liar, and his word is not in us.—1 JOHN, ch. 1.

7950. — — *Enormity of.* *"Stonest."* ¹⁷ O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, thou that killest the prophets, and stonest them which are sent unto thee, how often would I have gathered thy children together, even as a hen gathereth her chickens under her wings, and ye would not!—MAT., ch. 23.

7951. — — *Evidence of.* *Saul's.* ¹³ I have performed the commandment of the Lord. ¹⁴ And Samuel said, What meaneth then this bleating of the sheep in mine ears, and the lowing of the oxen which I hear?—1 SAM., ch. 15.

7952. — — *by Excess.* *"Smote twice."* [See No. 7915.]

7953. — — *Exclusion by.* *Aaron.* ²⁴ Aaron shall be gathered unto his people: for he shall not enter into the land which I have given unto the children of Israel, because ye rebelled against my word at the water of Meribah.—NUM., ch. 20.

7954. — — *expensive.* *Prodigal.* ¹³ The younger son gathered all together, and took his journey into a far country, and there wasted his substance with riotous living. ¹⁴ And when he had spent all, there arose a mighty famine, and he began to be in want.—LUKE, ch. 15.

7955. — — *Effects of.* *Grave.* ¹³ So doth the grave those which have sinned. ²⁰ The womb shall forget him; the worm shall feed sweetly on him; he shall be no more remembered; and wickedness shall be broken as a tree.—JOB, ch. 24.

7956. — — *Folly of.* *David's.* ¹⁰ David's heart smote him after that he had numbered the people. And David said, I have sinned greatly. I beseech thee, O Lord, take away the iniquity of thy servant: for I have done very foolishly.—2 SAM., ch. 24.

7957. — — *Forfeited by.* *Canaan.* ¹¹ He smote the rock twice: and the water came out abundantly. ¹² And the Lord spake unto Moses and

Aaron, Because ye believed me not, to sanctify me in the eyes of the children of Israel, therefore ye shall not bring this congregation into the land.—NUM., ch. 20.

7958. The fatal. *Unpardonable.* ²³ Whosoever speaketh against the Holy Ghost, it shall not be forgiven him, neither in this world, neither in the world to come.—MAT., ch. 12.

7959. — *Presumption.* ²⁰ The soul that doeth *ought* presumptuously, *whether he be* born in the land, or a stranger, the same reproacheth the Lord; and that soul shall be cut off from among his people.—NUM., ch. 15.

7960. — against God, All. *Murmurers.* ¹ What are we, that ye murmur against us? ² And Moses said, . . the Lord shall give you in the evening flesh to eat, and in the morning bread to the full. . . what are we? your murmurings are not against us, but against the Lord.—EX., ch. 16.

7961. — offensive to God. *Joseph.* ⁹ There is none greater in this house than I; neither hath he kept back any thing from me but thee, because thou *art* his wife: how then can I do this great wickedness, and sin against God?—GEN., ch. 39.

7962. — angers God. *Calf-Worship.* ⁸ They have turned aside quickly. . . they have made them a molten calf, and have worshipped it, and have sacrificed thereunto, and said, These be thy gods, O Israel, which have brought thee up out of the land of Egypt. ¹⁰ Now therefore let me alone, that my wrath may wax hot against them, and that I may consume them.—EX., ch. 32.

7963. — grieves God. *Antediluvians.* ⁵ God saw that the wickedness of man *was* great in the earth, and *that* every imagination of the thoughts of his heart *was* only evil continually. ⁶ And it repented the Lord that he had made man on the earth, and it grieved him at his heart.—GEN., ch. 6.

7964. — Gifts for. *Many.* ¹ Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, or with ten thousands of rivers of oil? shall I give my first-born for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?—MICAH, ch. 6.

7965. — Hurt of. *"Pricks."* ⁴ Saul, Saul, why persecutest thou me? ⁵ And he said, Who art thou, Lord? And the Lord said, I am Jesus whom thou persecutest: *it is* hard for thee to kick against the pricks.—ACTS, ch. 9.

7966. — from Haste. *Saul.* ¹¹ Thou camest not within the days appointed, and . . the Philistines gathered themselves together at Michmash; ¹² Therefore said I, The Philistines will come down now upon me to Gilgal, and I have not made supplication unto the Lord: I forced myself therefore, and offered a burnt offering.—1 SAM., ch. 13.

7967. — At Sinai. ¹ When the people saw that Moses delayed to come down out of the mount, the people gathered . . unto Aaron, and said, . . Up, make us gods, which shall go before us; for *as for* this Moses, the man that brought us up out of the land of Egypt, we *not* what is become of him.—EX., ch. 33.

7968. — Hiding. *Proverb.* ¹³ He that covereth his sins shall not prosper: but whoso

confesseth and forsaketh *them* shall have mercy.—PROV., ch. 28.

7969. — *Adam.* ⁸ Amongst the trees of the garden. ⁹ And the Lord God called unto Adam. . . Where *art* thou? ¹⁰ And he said, I heard thy voice in the garden, and I was afraid, because I *was* naked; and I hid myself.—GEN., ch. 3.

7970. — Humiliation for. *Ahab.* ²¹ When Ahab heard those words, . . he rent his clothes, and put sackcloth upon his flesh, and fasted, and lay in sackcloth, and went softly.—1 KINGS, ch. 21.

7971. — in the Heart. *"Tablet."* [See No. 7934.]

7972. — Influence for. *Ahithophel.* [See No. 7921.] ²³ The counsel of Ahithophel. . . *was* as if a man had inquired at the oracle of God: so *was* all the counsel of Ahithophel both with David and with Absalom.—2 SAM., ch. 16.

7973. — by Impatience. *"Ye Rebels."* [See No. 7915.]

7974. — Irremediable. *Hence Captivity.* ¹⁵ The Lord God. . . sent to them by his messengers, rising up betimes, and sending; because he had compassion on his people. . . ¹⁶ But they mocked the messengers of God, and despised his words, and misused his prophets, until the wrath of the Lord arose against his people, till there *was* no remedy.—2 CHRON., ch. 36.

7975. — indelible. *"Diamond."* [See No. 7934.]

7976. — Jesus reveals. *To Peter.* ⁸ Simon Peter saw *it*, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, Depart from me; for I am a sinful man, O Lord. ⁹ For he was astonished. . . at the draught of the fishes which they had taken.—LUKE, ch. 5.

7977. — Knowledge by. *In Eden.* ¹ The eyes of them both were opened, and they knew that they *were* naked; and they sewed fig leaves together, and made themselves aprons.—GEN., ch. 3.

7978. — Look of. *Jesus said,* ²⁸ That whosoever looketh on a woman to lust after her hath committed adultery with her already in his heart.—MAT., ch. 5.

7979. — Loathing of. *Job.* ⁴ Behold, I am vile; what shall I answer thee? I will lay mine hand upon my mouth. ⁵ Once have I spoken; but I will not answer: yea, twice; but I will proceed no further.—JOB, ch. 40.

7980. — Leadership in. *Ahaziah* ²¹ Reigned two years over Israel. ²² And he did evil in the sight of the Lord, and walked in the way of his father, and . . his mother, and in the way of Jeroboam the son of Nebat, who made Israel to sin.—1 KINGS, ch. 22.

7981. — of public Men. *Saul.* [See No. 7951.] ²² To obey is better than sacrifice, and to hearken than the fat of rams. ²³ For rebellion *is* as the sin of witchcraft, and stubbornness *is* as iniquity and idolatry. Because thou hast rejected the word of the Lord, he hath also rejected thee from *being* king.—1 SAM., ch. 15.

7982. — Misery from. *Prodigal.* ¹¹ How many hired servants of my father have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger! ¹² I will arise and go to my father, and will say unto him, Father, I have sinned.—LUKE, ch. 15.

7983. — — *Oppressors.* ¹⁶ They put away the strange gods from among them, and served the Lord: and his soul was grieved for the misery of Israel. ¹⁷ Then the children of Ammon were . . . encamped in Gilead.—*JUDGES*, ch. 10.

7984. — — and *Misfortune. Blindness.* ¹ His disciples asked. . . Master, who did sin, this man, or his parents, that he was born blind? ² Jesus answered, Neither hath this man sinned, nor his parents: but that the works of God should be made manifest in him.—*JOHN*, ch. 3.

7985. — — *Marred by. Solomon.* ³ Solomon loved the Lord, walking in the statutes of David his father: only he sacrificed and burnt incense in high places.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 3.

7986. — — *Natural. Birth.* ⁵ Behold, I was shapen in iniquity; and in sin did my mother conceive me.—*PS.* 51.

7987. — — *Only one. David.* ⁵ David did that which was right in the eyes of the Lord, and turned not aside from any thing that he commanded him all the days of his life, save only in the matter of Uriah the Hittite.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 15.

7988. — — *Obduracy in. Jews.* ¹⁰ I have sent among you the pestilence after the manner of Egypt: your young men have I slain with the sword, and have taken away your horses; and I have made the stink of your camps to come up unto your nostrils: yet have ye not returned unto me, saith the Lord.—*AMOS*, ch. 4.

7989. — — *Offering for the People. "Kid" or "Lamb."* ²² He shall lay his hand upon the head. . . and say the sin offering. . . ³⁰ And the priest shall take of the blood thereof with his finger, and put it upon the horns of the altar of burnt offering, and shall pour out all the blood thereof at the bottom of the altar.—*LEV.*, ch. 4.

7990. — — *Plausible. Saul.* [See No. 7951.] ¹¹ The people took of the spoil, sheep and oxen, the chief of the things, which should have been utterly destroyed, to sacrifice unto the Lord.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 15.

7991. — — *by Pride. "Must we."* [See No. 7915.]

7992. — — *Perils in. Proverb.* ²⁷ Can a man take fire in his bosom, and his clothes not be burned? ²⁸ Can one go upon hot coals, and his feet not be burned?—*PROV.*, ch. 6.

7993. — — *Adulterers.* ²² He goeth after her straightway, as an ox goeth to the slaughter, or as a fool to the correction of the stocks; ²³ Till a dart strike through his liver; as a bird hasteth to the snare, and knoweth not that it is for his life.—*PROV.*, ch. 7.

7994. — — *Pleasures of. The Adulteress.* ¹⁶ She saith to him, ¹⁷ Stolen waters are sweet, and bread eaten in secret is pleasant. ¹⁸ But he knoweth not that the dead are there; and that her guests are in the depths of hell.—*PROV.*, ch. 9.

7995. — — *Deception.* ¹⁷ Bread of deceit is sweet to a man; but afterwards his mouth shall be filled with gravel.—*PROV.*, ch. 20.

7996. — — *Poverty.* ¹¹ He that loveth pleasure shall be a poor man: he that loveth wine and oil shall not be rich.—*PROV.*, ch. 21.

7997. — — *of Presumption. Korah.* ³ Two hundred and fifty princes . . . men of renown;

³ . . . gathered themselves together against Moses and against Aaron, and said. . . *Ye take too much upon you, seeing all the congregation are holy, every one of them, and the Lord is among them: wherefore then lift ye up yourselves above the congregation?*—*NUM.*, ch. 16.

7998. — — *Permeated with. Nature.* ⁵ The whole head is sick, and the whole heart faint. ⁶ From the sole of the foot even unto the head there is no soundness in it; but wounds, and bruises, and putrifying sores: they have not been closed, neither bound up, neither mollified with ointment.—*ISA.*, ch. 1.

7999. — — *Purified from. "Blood."* ¹⁹ When Moses had spoken every precept to all the people. . . he took the blood of calves and of goats, with water, and scarlet wool, and hyssop, and sprinkled both the book and all the people.—*HEB.*, ch. 9.

8000. — — *"No Remission."* ¹¹ He sprinkled likewise with blood both the tabernacle, and all the vessels of the ministry. ²² And almost all things are by the law purged with blood; and without shedding of blood is no remission.—*HEB.*, ch. 9.

8001. — — *a Reproach. National.* ²⁴ Righteousness exalteth a nation: but sin is a reproach to any people.—*PROV.*, ch. 14.

8002. — — *feared, Reproach of. Nehemiah.* ¹³ Sanballat had hired him. ¹⁵ . . . that I should be afraid, and do so, and sin, and that they might have matter for an evil report, that they might reproach me.—*NEH.*, ch. 6.

8003. — — *Responsibility in. Ahithophel.* [See No. 7972.]

8004. — — *National Ruin by. King Ahas.* ²² He sacrificed unto the gods of Damascus, which smote him: and he said, Because the gods of the kings of Syria help them, therefore will I sacrifice to them, that they may help me. But they were the ruin of him, and of all Israel.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 28.

8005. — — *Jerusalem.* ¹⁹ Judah kept not the commandments of the Lord. . . but walked in the statutes of Israel which they made. ²⁰ And the Lord rejected all the seed of Israel, and afflicted them, and delivered them into the hand of spoilers, until he had cast them out of his sight.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 17.

8006. — — *Wicked Ruler's. King Ahab.* ¹⁷ When Ahab saw Elijah. . . Ahab said. . . *Art thou he that troubleth Israel?* ¹⁸ And he answered, I have not troubled Israel; but thou, and thy father's house, in that ye have forsaken the commandments of the Lord, and thou hast followed Balaam.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 18.

8007. — — *Removal of. "Walk."* ⁸ He hath shewed thee, O man, what is good; and what doth the Lord require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God.—*MICAH*, ch. 6.

8008. — — *By Fire.* ⁶ Then flew one of the seraphim unto me, having a live coal in his hand, which he had taken. . . from off the altar: ⁷ And he laid it upon my mouth, and said, Lo, this hath touched thy lips; and thine iniquity is taken away.—*ISA.*, ch. 6.

8009. — — *By Blood.* ¹³ If the blood of bulls and of goats, and the ashes of a heifer

sprinkling the unclean, sanctifieth to the purifying of the flesh; ¹⁴ How much more shall the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered himself without spot to God, purge your conscience from dead works to serve the living God?—*HEB.*, ch. 9.

8010. — Remaining. Hurtful. ¹⁵ If ye will not drive out the inhabitants of the land from before you; then, those which ye let remain of them *shall* be pricks in your eyes, and thorns in your sides, and shall vex you.—*NUM.*, ch. 33.

8011. — returning. Self. ¹⁵ He made a pit, and digged it, and is fallen into the ditch which he made. ¹⁶ His mischief shall return upon his own head, and his violent dealing shall come down upon his own pate.—*PS.* 7.

8012. — leads to Sin. Achan's. [See No. 8024.] ¹⁰ And the Lord said unto Joshua, Get thee up; wherefore liest thou thus upon thy face? ¹¹ Israel hath sinned, and they have also transgressed my covenant which I commanded them: for they have even taken of the accursed thing, and have also stolen, and dissembled also, and they have put it even among their own stuff.—*JOSH.*, ch. 7.

8013. — Separation by. Jews. ¹ The Lord's hand is not shortened, that it cannot save; neither his ear heavy, that it cannot hear: ² But your iniquities have separated between you and your God, and your sins have hid his face from you, that he will not hear.—*ISA.*, ch. 59.

8014. — Servitude in. To Moab. ¹² The Lord strengthened Eglon the king of Moab against Israel, because they had done evil. ¹³ . . . went and smote Israel, and possessed the city of palm trees. ¹⁴ So the children of Israel served Eglon . . . eighteen years.—*JUDGES*, ch. 3.

8015. — surrendered. Any Cost. ³⁰ If thy right hand offend thee, cut it off, and cast it from thee: for it is profitable for thee that one of thy members should perish, and not that thy whole body should be cast into hell.—*MAT.*, ch. 5.

8016. — Saved from. "Born of God." ¹ Whosoever is born of God doth not commit sin; for his seed remaineth in him: and he cannot sin, because he is born of God.—*1 JOHN*, ch. 3.

8017. — typified. Serpents. ¹ Wherefore have ye brought us up out of Egypt to die in the wilderness? for *there is* no bread, neither *is there any water*; and our soul loatheth this light bread. ⁶ And the Lord sent fiery serpents among the people, and they bit the people; and much people of Israel died.—*NUM.*, ch. 21.

8018. — The unpardonable. Holy Ghost. ¹¹ All sins shall be forgiven unto the sons of men, and blasphemies wherewith soever they shall blaspheme: ¹² But he that shall blaspheme against the Holy Ghost hath never forgiveness, but is in danger of eternal damnation.—*MAR.*, ch. 3.

8019. — unwashed. Pilate. ²⁴ When Pilate saw that he could prevail nothing, but that rather a tumult was made, he took water, and washed his hands before the multitude, saying, I am innocent of the blood of this just person: see ye to it.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

8020. — Unpolluted by. "Without Sin." ¹⁵ We have not a high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin.—*HEB.*, ch. 4.

8021. — Wretchedness in. Bondage. ⁴⁰ Oh wretched man that I am! who shall deliver me from the body of this death? ²⁵ I thank God through Jesus Christ our Lord.—*ROM.*, ch. 7.

8022. — Wilful. Hopeless. ²⁶ If we sin wilfully after that we have received the knowledge of the truth, there remaineth no more sacrifice for sins, ²⁷ But a certain fearful looking for of judgment and fiery indignation, which shall devour the adversaries.—*HEB.*, ch. 10.

8023. — Washing. Typical. ⁹ Simon Peter saith, . . . Lord, not my feet only, but also my hands and my head. ¹⁰ Jesus saith, . . . He that is washed needeth not save to wash his feet, but is clean every whit.—*JOHN*, ch. 13.

8024. — Weakness from. At Ai. ¹¹ They have even taken of the accursed thing, and have also stolen, and dissembled also, and they have put it even among their own stuff. ¹² Therefore the children of Israel could not stand before their enemies.—*JOSH.*, ch. 7.

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8025. SINCERITY of Consecration. *Josiah.* ⁸ The king stood by a pillar, and made a covenant before the Lord, to walk after the Lord. ⁹ . . . cast forth out of the temple of the Lord all the vessels that were made for Baal, and for the grove, and for all the host of heaven : and he burned them.—2 **KINGS**, ch. 23.

8026. — *in Evil Doing.* *Saul.* ⁹ I verily thought . . . that I ought to do many things contrary to the name of Jesus of Nazareth. ¹⁰ . . . and when they were put to death, I gave my voice against them. ¹¹ And I punished them oft in every synagogue, and compelled them to blaspheme . . . being exceedingly mad against them, I persecuted them even unto strange cities.—**ACTS**, ch. 26.

8027. — *Evidence of.* *Ephesians.* ¹⁹ Many . . . which used curious arts, brought their books together, and burned them before all men ; and they counted the price of them, and found it fifty thousand *pieces* of silver. ²⁰ So mightily grew the word of God, and prevailed.—**ACTS**, ch. 19.

8028. — *Example of.* *Nathanael.* ⁴¹ Behold an Israelite indeed, in whom is no guile ! ⁴² Nathanael saith . . . Whence knowest thou me ? Jesus answered . . . Before that Philip called thee, when thou wast under the fig tree, I saw thee.—**JOHN**, ch. 1.

8029. — *of Heart.* *Godly.* ¹ Lord, who shall abide in thy tabernacle ? who shall dwell in thy holy hill ? ² He that walketh uprightly, and worketh righteousness, and speaketh the truth in his heart.—**PS.** 15.

8030. — *Lovable.* *Young Ruler.* ¹⁸ Good Master, what good thing shall I do, that I may have eternal life ? ²⁰ The young man saith . . . All these things have I kept from my youth up : what lack I yet ?—**MAT.**, ch. 19. ²¹ Jesus beholding him loved him.—**MAT.**, ch. 10.

8031. — *in Opinions.* *Nathanael.* [See No. 8028.] ⁴² Nathanael answered . . . Rabbi, thou art the Son of God ; thou art the King of Israel. ⁴³ Jesus answered . . . Because I said . . . I saw thee under the fig tree, believest thou ? thou shalt see greater things than these.—**JOHN**, ch. 1.

8032. — *Positive.* *Peter.* ¹⁷ He saith . . . the third time, Simon, son of Jonas, lovest thou me ? Peter was grieved, because he said unto him the third time, Lovest thou me ? And he said unto him, Lord, thou knowest all things ; thou knowest that I love thee.—**JOHN**, ch. 21.

8033. — *Proof of.* *At Carmel.* ³⁹ When all the people saw it, they fell on their faces : and they said, The Lord, he is the God . . . ⁴⁰ And Elijah said . . . Take the prophets of Baal ; let not one of them escape. And they took them : and Elijah brought them down to the brook Kishon, and slew them there.—1 **KINGS**, ch. 18.

8034. — *in Reformation.* *Good Works.* ¹⁶ Speak ye every man the truth to his neighbour ; execute the judgment of truth and peace in your gates : ¹⁷ And let none of you imagine evil in your hearts against his neighbour ; and love no false oath : for all these are things that I hate, saith the Lord.—**ZECH.**, ch. 8.

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MOTIVE.

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MOTIVES.

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Worldly. Peter . . . thou savourest . . . things that be of **5591**
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8035. SINGING, Difficult. *Captives.* ¹ We hanged our harps upon the willows . . . ² For there they that carried us away captive required of us a song ; and they that wasted us required of us mirth, saying, Sing us one of the songs of Zion. ⁴ How shall we sing the Lord's song in a strange land ?—PS.** 137.**

8036. — *Easy.* *Delivered.* ¹⁰ The ransomed of the Lord shall return, and come to Zion with songs and everlasting joy upon their heads : they shall obtain joy and gladness, and sorrow and sighing shall flee away.—**ISA.**, ch. 35.

8037. — *Victory by.* *Battle.* ²² When they began to sing and to praise, the Lord set ambushments against the children of Ammon, Moab, and mount Seir. ²³ For the children of Ammon and Moab stood up against . . . Seir, utterly to . . . destroy them : and when they had made an end of the inhabitants of Seir, every one helped to destroy another.—2 **CHRON.**, ch. 20.

Also see :

Love of. Solomon . . . his songs were **1005** **583**

See MUSIC.

8038. SINNING in Prayer. *Pharisee.* ¹¹ God, I thank thee, that I am not as other men are, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this

publican. ¹⁹ I fast twice in the week, I give tithes of all that I possess.—LUKE, ch. 18.

8039. — by Proxy. *Israelites.* ³⁸ The Lord plagued the people, because they made the calf, which Aaron made.—EX., ch. 32.

8040. — Preserved from. *Abimelech.* ⁶ God said unto him in a dream, Yea, I know that thou didst this in the integrity of thy heart; for I also withheld thee from sinning against me: therefore suffered I thee not to touch her.—GEN., ch. 20.

8041. — for Reward. *Balaam.* ⁶ Curse me this people; for they are too mighty for me: ⁷ And the elders of Moab and the elders of Midian departed with the rewards of divination in their hand; and they came unto Balaam, and spake unto him the words of Balak.—NUM., ch. 22.

8042. — — *Balaam.* ¹⁴ Having eyes full of adultery, and that cannot cease from sin; beguiling unstable souls: a heart they have exercised with covetous practices; cursed children: ¹⁵ Which have forsaken the right way, following the way of Balaam the son of Bosor, who loved the wages of unrighteousness.—2 PETER, ch. 2.

8043. SINNER, The blinded. *"Darkened."* ¹⁸ Having the understanding darkened, being alienated from the life of God through the ignorance that is in them, because of the blindness of their heart: ¹⁹ Who being past feeling.—EPH., ch. 4.

8044. — The dying. *Stumbling.* ¹⁶ Give glory to the Lord your God, before he cause darkness, and before your feet stumble upon the dark mountains, and, while ye look for light, he turn it into the shadow of death, and make it gross darkness.—JER., ch. 13.

8045. — A deteriorating. *Apostate.* ⁴⁴ He findeth it empty, swept, and garnished. ⁴⁵ Then goeth he, and taketh with himself seven other spirits more wicked than himself, and they enter in and dwell there: and the last state of that man is worse than the first.—MAT., ch. 12.

8046. — A grateful. *Woman.* ³⁸ Began to wash his feet with tears, and did wipe them with the hairs of her head, and kissed his feet, and anointed them with the ointment. ³⁹ When the Pharisee saw it, he spake within himself, saying, This man, if he were a prophet, would have known who and what manner of woman this is that toucheth him; for she is a sinner.—LUKE, ch. 7.

8047. — An insane. *Prodigal.* ¹⁷ When he came to himself, he said, How many hired servants of my father's have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger!—LUKE, ch. 15.

8048. — Overthrown. *"Powder."* ⁴⁴ Whosoever shall fall on this stone shall be broken: but on whomsoever it shall fall, it will grind him to powder.—MAT., ch. 21.

8049. — An obdurate. *Zedekiah.* ¹³ He also rebelled against king Nebuchadnezzar, who had made him swear by God: but he stiffened his neck, and hardened his heart from turning unto the Lord God of Israel.—2 CHRON., ch. 36. [He was a son of pious Josiah.]

8050. — A persistent. *Amon.* ³³ Amon

sacrificed unto all the carved images which Manasseh his father had made, and served them; ³³ And humbled not himself before the Lord, as Manasseh had humbled himself; but Amon trespassed more and more.—2 CHRON., ch. 33.

8051. — A reclaimed. *Prodigal.* ³⁸ He arose, and came to his father. But when he was yet a great way off, his father saw him, and had compassion, and ran, and fell on his neck, and kissed him.—LUKE, ch. 16.

8052. — The stupid. *"Sheep."* ⁴ What man of you, having a hundred sheep, if he lose one of them, doth not leave the ninety and nine in the wilderness, and go after that which is lost, until he find it?—LUKE, ch. 15.

8053. — The sleeping. *"Awake."* ¹⁴ Awake thou that sleepest, and arise from the dead, and Christ shall give thee light.—EPH., ch. 5.

8054. — The stricken. *Gehazi.* ³⁷ The leprosy therefore of Naaman shall cleave unto thee, and unto thy seed for ever. And he went out from his presence a leper as white as snow.—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

8055. — A surpassing. *King Ahab.* ³⁰ Ahab did evil in the sight of the Lord above all that were before him. ³¹ As if it had been a light thing for him to walk in the sins of Jeroboam, he took to wife Jezebel the daughter of Ethbaal king of the Zidonians, and went and served Baal, and worshipped him. ³² And he reared up an altar for Baal.—1 KINGS, ch. 16.

8056. — — *Jezebel.* [See Nos. 8055 and 8057.]

8057. — A sold. *Ahab.* ³⁵ There was none like unto Ahab, which did sell himself to work wickedness in the sight of the Lord, whom Jezebel his wife stirred up. ³⁶ And he did very abominably in following idols.—1 KINGS, ch. 21.

8058. SINNERS, All. *Natural.* ⁹ Jews and Gentiles, that they are all under sin: ¹⁰ As it is written, There is none righteous, no, not one: ¹¹ There is none that understandeth, there is none that seeketh after God. ¹² They are all gone out of the way, they are together become unprofitable; there is none that doeth good, no, not one.—ROM., ch. 3.

8059. — against Sinners. *Pharisees.* ¹³ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye shut up the kingdom of heaven against men: for ye neither go in yourselves, neither suffer ye them that are entering to go in.—MAT., ch. 23.

8060. — — *On Earth.* ²² Then was brought unto him one possessed with a devil, blind, and dumb: and he healed him. ²³ And all the people were amazed, and said, Is not this the Son of David? ²⁴ But when the Pharisees heard it, they said, This fellow doth not cast out devils, but by Beelzebub the prince of the devils.—MAT., ch. 12.

8061. — — *At Judgment.* ⁴¹ The men of Nineveh shall rise in judgment with this generation, and shall condemn it: because they repented at the preaching of Jonas; and, behold, a greater than Jonas is here.—MAT., ch. 12.

8062. — Abandoned. *"Glory in.. Shame."* [See No. 8086.]

8063. — Alarm of. *Egyptians.* ³⁴ The Lord

looked, through the pillar of fire and of the cloud, and troubled the host of the Egyptians. ²³ And took off their chariot wheels, that they drave them heavily : so that the Egyptians said, Let us flee from the face of Israel ; for the Lord fighteth for them.—Ex., ch. 14.

S064. — *Adversity for. Famine.* ⁶ I also have given you cleanness of teeth in all your cities, and want of bread in all your places : yet have ye not returned unto me, saith the Lord.—Amos, ch. 4.

S065. — *Contemning. One Talent.* ²⁴ Lord, I knew thee that thou art a hard man, reaping where thou hast not sown, and gathering where thou hast not strewed : ²⁵ And I was afraid, and went and hid thy talent in the earth.—Mat., ch. 25.

S066. — *Captivity for. Jews.* ¹⁶ The wrath of the Lord arose against his people, till there was no remedy. ¹⁷ Therefore he brought upon them the king of the Chaldees, who slew their young men with the sword in the house of their sanctuary, and had no compassion upon young man or maiden, old man, or him that stooped for age.—2 Chron., ch. 36.

S067. — *Defeat of. Proverb.* [See No. 8084.]

S068. — *Exceeding. Sodomites.* ¹³ The men of Sodom were wicked, and sinners before the Lord exceedingly.—Gen., ch. 13.

S069. — *enlightened. Of Capernaum.* ²³ Thou, Capernaum, which are exalted unto heaven, shalt be brought down to hell : for if the mighty works, which have been done in thee, had been done in Sodom, it would have remained until this day. ²⁴ it shall be more tolerable for the land of Sodom in the day of judgment, than for thee.—Mat., ch. 11.

S070. — *End of. Punishment.* ¹³ My people are gone into captivity, because they have no knowledge : and their honourable men are famished, and their multitude dried up with thirst. ¹⁴ Therefore hell hath enlarged herself, and opened her mouth without measure : and their glory, and their multitude, and their pomp, and he that rejoiceth, shall descend into it.—Isa., ch. 5.

S171. — *Punishment.* ²³ Which justify the wicked for reward, and take away the righteousness of the righteous from him ! ²⁴ Therefore as the fire devoureth the stubble, and the flame consumeth the chaff, so their root shall be as rottenness, and their blossom shall go up as dust.—Isa., ch. 5.

S072. — *The greatest. "Blood . . . under Foot."* ²⁹ Of how much sorer punishment, suppose ye, shall he be thought worthy, who hath trodden under foot the Son of God, and hath counted the blood of the covenant, wherewith he was sanctified, an unholy thing, and hath done despite unto the Spirit of grace ?—Heb., ch. 10.

S073. — *Helpless. Bethesda Pool.* ¹ The impotent man answered him, Sir, I have no man, when the water is troubled, to put me into the pool : but while I am coming, another stepeth down before me.—John, ch. 5.

S074. — *Indifference of. Feast.* ⁴ I have prepared my dinner : my oxen and my fatlings are killed, and all things are ready : come unto

the marriage. ⁶ But they made light of it, and went their ways, one to his farm, another to his merchandise.—Mat., ch. 22.

S075. — *Irrational. Pharaoh.* ²² And the waters were a wall unto them on their right hand, and on their left. ²³ And the Egyptians pursued, and went in after them to the midst of the sea.—Ex., ch. 14.

S076. — *Ridicule from. Hence Captivity.* ¹⁶ They mocked the messengers of God, and despised his words, and misused his prophets, until the wrath of the Lord arose against his people, till there was no remedy.—2 Chron., ch. 36.

S077. — *Repentance for. "Ye repent."* ¹ Told him of the Galileans, whose blood Pilate had mingled with their sacrifices. ² And Jesus answering said, Suppose ye that these Galileans were sinners above all the Galileans, because they suffered such things ? ³ I tell you, Nay : but, except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish.—Luke, ch. 13.

S078. — *Remembrance of. Moses said,* ¹ Remember, and forget not, how thou provokedst the Lord thy God to wrath in the wilderness : from the day that thou didst depart out of the land of Egypt, ye have been rebellious against the Lord.—Deut., ch. 9. [See chapter.]

S079. — *Salvation for. Only.* ¹¹ When the Pharisees saw it, they said unto his disciples, Why eateth your master with publicans and sinners ? ¹² But when Jesus heard that, he said, . . . They that be whole need not a physician, but they that are sick.—Mat., ch. 9.

S080. — *Separation from. Pharisee.* [See No. 8046.]

S081. — *Transformed. Magdalene.* ⁴⁴ Simon, Seest thou this woman ? I entered into thy house, thou gavest me no water for my feet : but she hath washed my feet with tears, and wiped them with the hairs of her head. ⁴⁵ Thou gavest me no kiss : but this woman, since the time I came in, hath not ceased to kiss my feet.—Luke, ch. 7.

S082. — *Violent. Ancient.* ¹³ Their tongues they have used deceit ; the poison of asps is under their lips : ¹⁴ Whose mouth is full of cursing and bitterness : ¹⁵ Their feet are swift to shed blood : ¹⁶ Destruction and misery are in their ways.—Rom., ch. 3.

S083. — *Varieties of. Parable.* ["Coin," unconsciously lost. "Sheep," consciously lost. "Son," degradingly lost.]—Luke, ch. 15.

S084. — *Wealth of. Proverb.* ²⁹ A good man leaveth an inheritance to his children's children : and the wealth of the sinner is laid up for the just.—Prov., ch. 13.

S085. — *The worst. Hypocrites.* ⁴⁶ Beware of the scribes, which desire to walk in long robes, and love greetings in the markets, and the highest seats in the synagogues, and the chief rooms at feasts : ⁴⁷ Which devour widows' houses, and for a shew make long prayers : the same shall receive greater damnation.—Luke, ch. 20.

S086. — *Weeping over. Paul.* ¹⁸ (For many walk, whom I have told you often, and now tell you even weeping, that they are the enemies of the cross of Christ : ¹⁹ Whose end is

destruction, whose God is their belly, and whose glory is in their shame, who mind earthly things.) *PHIL.*, ch. 3.

8087. — False Zeal of Pharisees. ³ The scribes and Pharisees brought unto him a woman taken in adultery; and when they had set her in the midst, ⁴ They say unto him, Master. . . ⁵ . . . Moses in the law commanded us, that such should be stoned: but what sayest thou?—*JOHN*, ch. 8.

8088. SINS known to Jesus. Samaritan. ¹⁷ Jesus said unto her. . . ¹⁸ . . . thou hast had five husbands; and he whom thou now hast is not thy husband: in that saidst thou truly. ¹⁹ The woman saith unto him, Sir, I perceive that thou art a prophet.—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

8089. — against Light. Jesus. ²⁰ Then began he to upbraid the cities wherein most of his mighty works were done, because they repented not: ²¹ Woe unto thee, Chorazin! woe unto thee Bethsaida! for if the mighty works, which were done in you, had been done in Tyre and Sidon, they would have repented long ago.—*MAT.*, ch. 11.

8090. — Ministerial. Eli's Sons ¹² Were sons of Belial; they knew not the Lord. ¹³ . . . when any man offered sacrifice, the priest's servant came, while the flesh was in seething, with a fleshhook of three teeth in his hand; ¹⁴ And he struck it into the pan, or kettle, or caldron, or pot; all that the fleshhook brought up the priest took for himself.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 2.

8091. — Misjudgment of. Pillar of Fire. ²⁰ Between the camp of the Egyptians and the camp of Israel, and it was a cloud and darkness to them, but it gave light by night to these.—*EX.*, ch. 14.

8092. — Misjudged. Calamities. ⁴ Those eighteen, upon whom the tower in Siloam fell, and slew them, think ye that they were sinners above all men that dwelt in Jerusalem? ⁵ I tell you, Nay: but, except ye repent, ye shall all likewise perish.—*LUX.*, ch. 13.

8093. — Misleading. Woe! ²⁰ Woe unto them that call evil good, and good evil; that put darkness for light, and light for darkness; that put bitter for sweet, and sweet for bitter! ²¹ Woe unto them that are wise in their own eyes, and prudent in their own sight!—*ISA.*, ch. 5.

8094. SINS, Others'. Irresponsible for. ⁵ As soon as the kingdom was confirmed in his hand. . . he slew his servants which had slain the king his father. ⁶ But the children of the murderers he slew not: according unto that which is written in the book of the law of Moses. The fathers shall not be put to death for the children, nor the children. . . for the fathers; but every man shall be put to death for his own sin.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 14.

8095. — Power over. Questioned. ⁵ When Jesus saw their faith, he said unto the sick of the palsy, Son, thy sins be forgiven thee. ⁶ But there were certain of the scribes sitting there, and reasoning in their hearts. . . ⁷ Why doth this man thus speak blasphemies? who can forgive sins but God only?—*MARK*, ch. 2.

8096. — Proven. [See No. 8095.] ¹⁰ That ye may know that the Son of man hath power on earth to forgive sins, (he saith to the

sick of the palsy,) ¹¹ I say unto thee, Arise, and take up thy bed, and go thy way.—*MARK*, ch. 2.

See *SIN* and references.

8097. SISTER brought to Jesus. Mary. ²⁸ She went her way, and called Mary her sister secretly, saying, The Master is come, and calleth for thee. ²⁹ As soon as she heard that, she arose quickly, and came unto him.—*JOHN*, ch. 11.

8098. — A dutiful. Miriam. ⁴ His sister stood afar off, to wit what would be done to him. ⁵ Then said his sister to Pharaoh's daughter, Shall I go and call to thee a nurse of the Hebrew women. . . ⁶ And Pharaoh's daughter said. . . Go, And the maid. . . called the child's mother.—*EX.*, ch. 2.

8099. SISTERS, Diverse. Mary—Martha. ²⁸ Martha received him into her house. ²⁹ And she had a sister called Mary, which also sat at Jesus' feet, and heard his word. ⁴⁰ But Martha was cumbered about much serving.—*LUX.*, ch. 10.

8100. SITUATION, Seeking a. Levite. ⁴ The man departed out of the city from Beth-lehem-judah to sojourn where he could find a place: and he came to mount Ephraim to the house of Micah.—*JUDGES*, ch. 17. [Who employed him as his priest.]

8101. SLANDER, Antidote for. "Good Works." ¹⁹ Having your conversation honest among the Gentiles: that, whereas they speak against you as evil doers, they may by your good works, which they shall behold, glorify God in the day of visitation.—*1 PETER*, ch. 2.

8102. — A base. Pharisees. ²² Then was brought. . . one possessed with a devil, blind, and dumb: and he healed him, insomuch that the blind and dumb both spake and saw. ²³ And all the people were amazed, and said, Is not this the Son of David? ²⁴ . . . the Pharisees. . . said, This fellow doth not cast out devils, but by Beelzebub the prince of the devils.—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

8103. — Disgraceful. Paul. ⁵ We have found this man a pestilent fellow, and a mover of sedition among all the Jews throughout the world, and a ringleader of the sect of the Nazarenes: ⁶ Who also hath gone about to profane the temple.—*ACTS*, ch. 24.

8104. — Folly of. Proverb. ¹⁸ He that hideth hatred with lying lips, and he that uttereth a slander, is a fool. ¹⁹ In the multitude of words there wanteth not sin.—*PROV.*, ch. 10.

8105. — A hurtful. Rebellion. ¹² Be it known unto the king, that the Jews which. . . are come unto Jerusalem, building the rebellious and the bad city. . . ¹³ . . . if this city be builded, and the walls set up again, then will they not pay toll, tribute, and custom, and so thou shalt endamage the revenue of the kings.—*EZRA*, ch. 4.

8106. — Impious. Calvary. ⁴¹ The chief priests mocking him, with the scribes and elders, said, ⁴² He saved others; himself he cannot save.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

8107. — of Loyalty. Ziba's. ³ The king said, And where is thy master's son? And Ziba said. . . Behold, he abideth at Jerusalem: for he said, To day shall the house of Israel restore me the kingdom of my father. ⁴ Then said the king to Ziba, Behold, thine are all that pertained unto Mephibosheth.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 16.

S108. — Joyful under. *Jesus said*, " Bless-ed are ye, when men shall revile you, and persecute you, and shall say all manner of evil against you falsely, for my sake. " Rejoice, and be exceeding glad : for great is your reward in heaven.—*MAT.*, ch. 5.

S109. — Malicious. *Diotrephes*. " I wrote unto the church : but Diotrephes, who loveth to have the preeminence among them, receiveth us not. " Wherefore, if I come, I will remember his deeds which he doeth, prating against us with malicious words.—3 *JOHN*.

S110. — Opposed by. *Nehemiah*. " Then sent Sanballat his servant, the fifth time with an open letter. . . " Wherein was written, It is reported among the heathen, and Gashmu saith it, that thou and the Jews think to rebel. . . thou buildest the wall, that thou mayest be their king.—*NEH.*, ch. 6.

S111. — refuted. *By Jesus*. [See No. 8102.] " Jesus knew their thoughts, and said . . . Every kingdom divided against itself is brought to desolation ; and every . . . house divided against itself shall not stand : " And if Satan cast out Satan, he is divided against himself ; how shall then his kingdom stand?—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

S112. — of Rebels. *Israelites*. " Because the Lord hated us, he hath brought us forth out of the land of Egypt, to deliver us into the hand of the Amorites, to destroy us. " Whither shall we go up ? our brethren have discouraged our heart, saying, The people is greater and taller than we.—*DEUT.*, ch. 1.

S113. — of Sinners. *Talent*. " Behold, here is thy pound, which I have kept laid up in a napkin : " For I feared thee, because thou art an austere man : thou takest up that thou layedst not down, and reapest that thou didst not sow.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

S114. — Satanic. *Job*. " Hast not thou made a hedge about him, and about his house, and about all that he hath on every side ? . . . and his substance is increased in the land. " But put forth thine hand now, and touch all that he hath, and he will curse thee to thy face.—*JOB*, ch. 1.

S115. — Secret. *Whisperer*. " A froward man soweth strife ; and a whisperer separateth chief friends.—*PROV.*, ch. 16.

S116. — from Unbelief. *Israelites*. " Would to God we had died by the hand of the Lord in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the flesh-pots, and when we did eat bread to the full ; for ye have brought us forth into this wilderness, to kill this whole assembly with hunger.—*EX.*, ch. 16.

S117. SLANDERER, Satan a. *Eilen*. " God doth know that in the day ye eat thereof, then your eyes shall be opened, and ye shall be as gods, knowing good and evil.—*GEN.*, ch. 3. [As if unwilling to promote their welfare.]

S118. SLANDERERS punished. *Israelites*. " Your carcasses, they shall fall in this wilderness. " And your children shall wander in the wilderness forty years, and bear your whoredoms, until your carcasses be wasted in the wilderness.—*NUM.*, ch. 14.

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TALKBEARER.

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Wounds. Words of the t. are as wounds 8581

Expected. If they have called the master. . . Beelz. 1263

S119. SLAUGHTER of Captives. *Amaziah*. " Ten thousand left alive did the children of Judah carry away captive. . . and cast them down from the top of the rock, that they all were broken in pieces.—2 *CHRON.*, ch. 25.

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MANSLAUGHTER.

Accidental. [See Jewish law—*Num.* 35 : 9-29.]

Defensive. He refused. . . Abner smote him 8512
Justifiable. Thief. . . be smitten that he die 8513
Pardonable. Axe. . . head slippeth. . . upon his n. 8514
Solicited. Stand. . . upon me and slay me [Saul] 8515
Unjustifiable. If the sun be risen upon him 8516

See MASSACRE.

S120. SLAVE, Sale of a. *Joseph*. " Potiphar, an officer of Pharaoh, . . . bought him of the hands of the Ishmaelites, which had brought him down thither.—*GEN.*, ch. 39.

S121. SLAVERY, Egyptian. *Brickmakers*. " Fulfil your works, your daily tasks, as when there was straw. " And the officers of the children of Israel, which Pharaoh's taskmasters had set over them, were beaten, and demanded, Wherefore have ye not fulfilled your task in making brick?—*EX.*, ch. 5.

See BONDAGE and references.

S122. SLEEP, Abstinence from. *David*. " Surely I will not come into . . . my house, nor go up into my bed ; " I will not give sleep to mine eyes, or slumber to mine eyelids, " Until I find out a place for the Lord, a habitation for the mighty God of Jacob.—*PS.* 132.

S123. — Beneficial. *Adam's*. " The Lord God caused a deep sleep to fall upon Adam, and he slept : and he took one of his ribs, and closed up the flesh instead thereof ; " And the rib. . . made he a woman, and brought her unto the man.—*GEN.*, ch. 2.

S124. — Caution against. " Watch. " " For the Son of man is as a man taking a far journey, who left his house, and gave authority to his servants, and to every man his work, and commanded the porter to watch.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

S125. — Comforting. *Jacob's*. " Jacob awaked out of his sleep, and he said, Surely the Lord is in this place ; and I knew it not. " And he was afraid, and said, How dreadful is this place ! this is none other but the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.—*GEN.*, ch. 28.

S126. — disturbed. *Proverb*. " The sleep of a labouring man is sweet, whether he eat little or much : but the abundance of the rich will not suffer him to sleep.—*ECCL.*, ch. 5.

S127. — — Rich Fool. " He thought within himself, saying, What shall I do, because I have no room where to bestow my fruits ? " But God said unto him, Thou fool, this night thy soul shall be required of thee : then whose shall those things be, which thou hast provided ?—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

S128. — Dangerous. *Samson*. " She made him sleep upon her knees and she called for a

man, and she caused him to shave off the seven locks of his head, and she began to afflict him, and his strength went from him.—JUDGES, ch. 16.

S129. — — — *Unconscious.* ¹² David took the spear and the cruse of water from Saul's bolster; and they gat them away, and no man saw it, nor knew it, neither awaked: for they were all asleep.—1 SAM., ch. 26.

S130. — — — *Defenceless in.* "*Tares.*" ²⁴ The kingdom of heaven is likened unto a man which sowed good seed in his field: ²⁵ But while men slept, his enemy came and sowed tares among the wheat, and went his way.—MAT., ch. 13.

S131. — — — *Death a.* *Stephen.* ¹⁹ They stoned Stephen, calling upon God, and saying, Lord Jesus, receive my spirit. ⁶⁰ And he kneeled down, and cried with a loud voice, Lord, lay not this sin to their charge. And when he had said this, he fell asleep.—ACTS, ch. 7.

S132. — — — *Heavy with.* *Transfiguration.* ³² Peter and they were with him were heavy with sleep: and when they were awake, they saw his glory, and the two men that stood with him.—LUKE, ch. 9.

S133. — — — *Impossible.* *Ahasuerus.* ¹ On that night could not the king sleep, and he commanded to bring the book of records of the chronicles; and they were read before the king.—ESTHER, ch. 6.

S134. — — — *Darius* ¹⁸ Passed the night fasting: neither were instruments of music brought before him: and his sleep went from him. ¹⁹ Then the king arose very early in the morning, and went in haste unto the den of lions.—DAN., ch. 6.

S135. — — — *Irresistible.* *Gethsemane.* ⁴⁰ He cometh unto the disciples, and findeth them asleep, and saith unto Peter, What, could ye not watch with me one hour?—MAT., ch. 26.

S136. — — — *Overcome by.* *Eutychus.* ⁹ There sat in a window a certain young man named Eutychus, being fallen into a deep sleep: and as Paul was long preaching, he fell down from the third loft, and was taken up dead.—ACTS, ch. 20.

S137. — — — *A pretended.* *Guard.* ¹⁵ They gave large money unto the soldiers, ¹³ Saying, Say ye, His disciples came by night, and stole him away while we slept.—MAT., ch. 28.

S138. — — — *Refreshing.* *Poor Man.* [See No. 8126.]

S139. — — — *in a Storm.* *Jesus.* ²² As they sailed, he fell asleep: and there came down a storm of wind on the lake; and they were filled with water, and were in jeopardy.—LUKE, ch. 8.

S140. — — — *Jonah.* ⁵ The mariners were afraid, and cried every man unto his god, and cast forth the wares that were in the ship into the sea, to lighten it of them. But Jonah was gone down into the sides of the ship; and he lay, and was fast asleep.—JONAH, ch. 1.

S141. — — — *of the Sick.* *Job.* ⁴ When I lie down, I say, When shall I arise, and the night be gone? and I am full of tossings to and fro unto the dawning of the day.—JOB, ch. 7.

S142. — — — *A troubled.* *Eliphaz.* ¹⁵ A spirit passed before my face; the hair of my flesh stood up: ¹⁶ It stood still, but I could not discern

the form thereof: an image was before mine eyes, there was silence, and I heard a voice.—JOB, ch. 4.

S143. — — — *Undisturbed.* *Peter.* ⁶ When Herod would have brought him forth, the same night Peter was sleeping between two soldiers, bound with two chains; and the keepers before the door kept the prison.—ACTS, ch. 12.

S144. — — — *Vision in.* *Abraham.* ¹² When the sun was going down, a deep sleep fell upon Abram; and, lo, a horror of great darkness fell upon him. ¹³ And he said unto Abram, thy seed shall be a stranger in a land that is not theirs, and shall serve them: four hundred years.—GEN., ch. 15.

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DREAM.

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Preserved. Joseph..take the young child and flee 2508
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Trouble. Seven thin ears devoured the seven rank 2510
Terrifying. Fourth beast..iron teeth, it devoured 2511
Verified. This is..the sword of Gideon 2512
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S145. *SLUGGARD reproved.* *Ant.* ⁶ Go to the ant, thou sluggard; consider her ways, and be wise: ⁷ Which having no guide, overseer, or ruler, ⁸ Provideth her meat in the summer, and gathereth her food in the harvest.—PROV., ch. 6.

S146. — — — *Vexatious.* *The.* *Smoke.* ¹⁸ As vinegar to the teeth, and as smoke to the eyes, so is the sluggard to them that send him.—PROV., ch. 10.

S147. — — — *Proverb.* ¹⁹ The way of the slothful man is as a hedge of thorns: but the way of the righteous is made plain.—PROV., ch. 15.

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Care for. Trouble me not..in bed, I cannot arise 2506
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IDLENESS.

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LOITERERS.

Driven. Fire..consumed them in the uttermost 5063
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S148. *SOCIALISM, Christian.* *Jerusalem.* ⁴⁴ All that believed were together, and had all things common; ⁴⁵ And sold their possessions and goods, and parted them to all men, as every man had need.—ACTS, ch. 2.

S149. — *Jewish. Law.* ¹ At the end of every seven years thou shalt make a release. ² And this is the manner of the release: Every creditor that lendeth ought unto his neighbour shall release it; he shall not exact it.. because it is called the Lord's release.—*DEUT.*, ch. 15.

S150. SOCIETY changed. *Job.* ¹ Now they that are younger than I have me in derision, whose fathers I would have disdained to have set with the dogs of my flock.—*JOB*, ch. 30.

S151. — *Conservator of. The Church.* ¹³ Ye are the salt of the earth: but if the salt have lost his savour, wherewith shall it be salted? it is thenceforth good for nothing, but to be cast out, and to be trodden under foot of men.—*MAT.*, ch. 5.

S152. — *Influence of. Assimilation.* ²⁰ He that walketh with wise men shall be wise: but a companion of fools shall be destroyed.—*PROV.*, ch. 13.

S153. — *Miserable. David's.* ² Every one that was in distress, and.. in debt, and.. discontented, gathered themselves unto him; and he became a captain over them: and there were with him about four hundred men.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 22.

S154. — *Needful. Eden.* ¹⁸ The Lord God said, *It is not good that the man should be alone: I will make him a help meet for him.*—*GEN.*, ch. 2.

S155. — *Respect of. Job.* ⁸ The young men saw me, and hid themselves: and the aged arose, and stood up. ⁹ The princes refrained talking, and laid their hand on their mouth.—*JOB*, ch. 29.

S156. SOCIABILITY, Devotional. Record. ¹⁶ Then they that feared the Lord spake often one to another: and the Lord hearkened, and heard it, and a book of remembrance was written before him for them that feared the Lord, and that thought upon his name.—*MAL.*, ch. 3.

S157. — *Interdicted. Samaritan.* ⁹ Then saith the woman of Samaria. How is it that thou, being a Jew, askest drink of me, which am a woman of Samaria? for the Jews have no dealings with the Samaritans.—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

S158. — *Primitive. Christian.* ⁴⁶ They, continuing daily with one accord in the temple, and breaking meat from house to house, did eat their bread with gladness and singleness of heart.—*ACTS*, ch. 2.

S159. — *rewarded. Jewels.* [See No. 8156.] ¹⁷ They shall be mine, saith the Lord of hosts, in that day when I make up my jewels; and I will spare them, as a man spareth his own son that serveth him.—*MAL.*, ch. 3.

S160. — *Religious. Passover.* ⁴ If the household be too little for the lamb, let him and his neighbour next unto his house take it according to the number of the souls.—*EX.*, ch. 12.

See FRIENDS, FRIENDSHIP, and references.

S161. SOLDIER, A brave. Jonathan. ¹³ Jonathan climbed up upon his hands and upon his feet, and his armourbearer after him: and they fell before Jonathan; and his armourbearer slew after him.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 14.

S162. — *The Christian. Free.* ³ Endure hardness, as a good soldier of Jesus Christ. ⁴ No man that warreth entangleth himself with

the affairs of this life; that he may please him who hath chosen him to be a soldier.—*2 TIM.*, ch. 2.

S163. — *A magnanimous. David.* ⁴ The men of David said. Behold the day of which the Lord said. Behold, I will deliver thine enemy into thine hand, that thou mayest do to him as it shall seem good unto thee. Then David arose, and cut off the skirt of Saul's robe privily.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 24.

S164. — *A pious. Cornelius was* ¹ A centurion of the band called the Italian band, ² A devout man, and one that feared God with all his house, which gave much alms.. and prayed to God always.—*ACTS*, ch. 10.

S165. — *Joshua.* ¹¹ The Lord spake unto Moses face to face, as a man speaketh unto his friend. And he turned again into the camp; but his servant Joshua, the son of Nun, a young man, departed not out of the tabernacle.—*EX.*, ch. 33.

S166. — *Pride of a. Abimelech.* ²⁴ He called hastily unto the young man his armourbearer. Draw thy sword, and slay me, that men say not of me, A woman slew him. And his young man thrust him through.—*JUDGES*, ch. 9.

S167. — *A Volunteer. David.* ²² David said to Saul, Let no man's heart fail because of him; thy servant will go and fight with this Philistine.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 17.

S168. SOLDIERS, Bribery of. Guard. ¹² When they were assembled with the elders, and had taken counsel, they gave large money unto the soldiers, ¹³ Saying, Say ye, His disciples came by night, and stole him away while we slept.—*MAT.*, ch. 28.

S169. — *Extraordinary. Benjamites.* ¹ They were among the mighty men, helpers of the war. ² They were armed with bows, and could use both the right hand and the left in hurling stones and shooting arrows out of a bow, even of Saul's brethren of Benjamin.—*1 CHRON.*, ch. 12. Also— *David's.* ⁸ These be the names of the mighty men whom David had: The Tachmonite, that sat in the seat, chief among the captains; the same was Adino the Ezrite: he lifted up his spear against eight hundred, whom he slew at one time.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 23. [See chapter.]

S170. — *Gadites.* ⁸ Of the Gadites there separated themselves unto David.. men of might, and men of war fit for the battle, that could handle shield and buckler, whose faces were like the faces of lions, and were as swift as the roes upon the mountains.—*1 CHRON.*, ch. 12.

S171. — *Hired. Amaziah.* ⁶ He hired also a hundred thousand mighty men of valour out of Israel for a hundred talents of silver.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 25.

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S172. SOLITUDE hurtful. *Eden.* ⁸ The Lord God planted a garden eastward in Eden; and there he put the man whom he had formed

..¹⁸ And..said, *It is not good that the man should be alone : I will make him a help meet.*—GEN., ch. 2.

S173. — for Prayer. *Jesus.* ²² When he had sent the multitudes away, he went up into a mountain apart to pray : and when the evening was come, he was there alone.—MAT., ch. 14.

S174. — for Rest. *Apostles.* ³⁰ The apostles gathered themselves together unto Jesus, and told him all things, both what they had done, and what they had taught. ³¹ And he said unto them, Come ye yourselves apart into a desert place, and rest a while.—MARK, ch. 6.

S175. — A strange. *Four Lepers.* ⁵ They rose up in the twilight, to go unto the camp of the Syrians : and when they were come to the uttermost part.. behold, *there was no man there.*—2 KINGS, ch. 7.

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S176. SON, Affectionate. *Joseph.* ²⁹ Joseph made ready his chariot, and went up to meet Israel his father, and presented himself unto him ; and he fell on his neck, and wept on his neck a good while.—GEN., ch. 46.

S177. — Degenerate. *Solomon.* ⁴ When Solomon was old, his wives turned away his heart after other gods : and his heart was not perfect with the Lord his God, as was the heart of David his father.—1 KINGS, ch. 11.

S178. — Evil. *Zedekiah.* [Son of good Josiah.] ¹² He did *that which was evil* in the sight of the Lord his God, and humbled not himself. ¹³..he stiffened his neck, and hardened his heart from turning unto the Lord God.—2 CHRON., ch. 36.

S179. — expelled. *Ishmael.* ¹⁴ Abraham rose up early in the morning, and took bread, and a bottle of water, and gave it unto Hagar, putting it on her shoulder, and the child, and sent her away : and she..wandered in the wilderness of Beer-sheba.—GEN., ch. 21.

S180. — Firstborn. *Priest.* ² Sanctify unto me all the firstborn, whatsoever openeth the womb among the children of Israel, both of man and of beast : *it is mine.*—EX., ch. 14.

S181. — healed. *Nobleman's.* ⁴⁸ The nobleman saith..Sir, come down ere my child die. ⁵⁰ Jesus saith..Go thy way ; thy son liveth. And the man believed the word that Jesus had spoken.—JOHN, ch. 4.

S182. — Ingrate. "*Shame.*" ²⁶ He that wasteth his father, and chaseth away his mother, is a son that causeth shame, and bringeth reproach.—PROV., ch. 19.

S183. — — End of. ²⁰ Whoso curseth his father or his mother, his lamp shall be put out in obscure darkness.—PROV., ch. 20.

S184. — Hopeful. *Cain.* ¹ Adam knew Eve his wife ; and she conceived, and bare Cain, and said, I have gotten a man from the Lord.—GEN., ch. 4. [But Cain became a fratricide.]

S185. — An obedient. *Isaac.* [See No. 8191.]

S186. — Penitent. *Prodigal.* ¹⁸ I will arise and go to my father, and will say unto him, Father, I have sinned against heaven, and before thee, ¹⁹ And am no more worthy to be called thy son : make me as one of thy hired servants.—LUKE, ch. 15.

S187. — Like Parent. *Amon.* ²² He did *that which was evil* in the sight of the Lord.. for Amon sacrificed unto all the carved images which Manasseh his father had made, and served them.—2 CHRON., ch. 33.

S188. — unlike Parent. *Manasseh.* ³ He built up again the high places which Hezekiah his father had destroyed ; and he reared up altars for Baal, and made a grove.—2 KINGS, ch. 21.

S189. — Rebellious. *Law.* ¹⁸ If a man have a stubborn and rebellious son, which will not obey the voice of his father, or..his mother, and *that when they have chastened him, will not hearken unto them ;* ²¹..all the men of his city shall stone him..that he die.—DEUT., ch. 21.

S190. — Reformed by a. *Maachah.* ¹² Maachah his mother, even her he removed from being queen, because she had made an idol in a grove ; and Asa destroyed her idol, and burnt it by the brook Kidron.—1 KINGS, ch. 15.

S191. — sacrificed. *Isaac.* ⁹ Abraham built an altar there, and laid the wood in order, and bound Isaac his son, and laid him on the altar upon the wood. ¹⁰ And Abraham..took the knife to slay his son.—GEN., ch. 22.

S192. — Scandalous. *Absalom.* ²² They spread Absalom a tent upon the top of the house ; and Absalom went in unto his father's concubines in the sight of all Israel.—2 SAM., ch. 16.

S193. — Unnatural. *Absalom.* ¹ Ahithophel said..Let me now choose out twelve thousand men, and I will arise and pursue after David this night : ² And I will come upon him while he is weary and weak handed, and will make him afraid..I will smite the king only.. ⁴ And the saying pleased Absalom well.—2 SAM., ch. 17.

S194. — Unfortunate. "*Dumb Spirit.*" ¹⁸ Whosoever he taketh him he teareth him ; and he foameth, and gnasheth with his teeth, and pineth away.—MARK, ch. 9.

S195. SONS, Degenerate. *Eli's.* ²² Eli was very old, and heard all that his sons did unto all Israel ; and how they lay with the women that assembled at the door of the tabernacle.—1 SAM., ch. 3.

S196. — — *Samuel's.* ¹ When Samuel was old, he made his sons judges of Israel.. ³ And his sons walked not in his ways, but turned aside after lucre, and took bribes, and perverted judgment.—1 SAM., ch. 8.

S197. — differ. *Adam's.* ³ Cain brought of the fruit of the ground an offering unto the Lord. ⁴ And Abel, he also brought of the firstling of his flock and of the fat thereof. And the Lord had respect unto Abel and to his offering : ⁵ But unto Cain..not respect. And Cain was very wrath.—GEN., ch. 4.

S198. — — *Parable.* ¹¹ A certain man had two sons : ¹² And the younger of them said to his father, Father, give me the portion of goods that falleth to me.—LUKE, ch. 15.

8199. — — *Parable.* ²⁸ Son, go work to day in my vineyard. ²⁹ He answered and said, I will not; but afterward he repented, and went. ³⁰ the second. said, I go, sir; and went not.—*MAT.*, ch. 21.

8200. — *rejected, Wicked. Samuel's.* [See No. 8196.] ¹ Behold, thou art old, and thy sons walk not in thy ways: now make us a king to judge us like all the nations. ⁶ But the thing displeased Samuel, when they said, Give us a king to judge us.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 8.

8201. SONSHIP renounced. Moses. ²⁴ By faith Moses, when he was come to years, refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter; ²⁶ Esteeming the reproach of Christ greater riches than the treasures in Egypt.—*HEB.*, ch. 11.

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8202. SORCERY, Captivating. Simon Magus. ⁹ Simon, which..used sorcery, and bewitched the people of Samaria.. ¹⁰ To whom they all gave heed, from the least to the greatest, saying, This man is the great power of God.—*ACTS.*, ch. 8.

8203. — *renounced. Simon.* ¹³ Then Simon himself believed also: and when he was baptized, he continued with Philip, and wondered, beholding the miracles and signs which were done.—*ACTS.*, ch. 8.

8204. — — *Ephesians.* ¹⁰ Many of them also which used curious arts brought their books together, and burned them before all men: and they counted the price of them, and found it fifty thousand pieces of silver.—*ACTS.*, ch. 19.

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8205. SORROW, The atoning. Calvary. ⁴⁴ And about the ninth hour Jesus cried with a loud voice, saying, Eli, Eli, lama sabachthani? that is to say, My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me?—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

8206. — — *Garden.* ²¹ He took with him Peter, and the two sons of Zebedee, and began to be sorrowful and very heavy. ²⁸ Then saith he unto them, My soul is exceeding sorrowful, even unto death.—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

8207. — *Affecting. David.* ³⁰ David went up by the ascent of mount Olivet, and wept as he went up, and had his head covered, and he went barefoot: and all the people that was with him covered every man his head, and they went up, weeping as they went up.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 15.

8208. — *in Age. Jacob.* ²⁸ My son shall not go down with you; for his brother is dead, and he is left alone: if mischief befall him by the way in the which ye go, then shall ye bring down my gray hairs with sorrow to the grave.—*GEN.*, ch. 42.

8209. — *of Bereavement. Jesus.* ³³ When Jesus therefore saw her weeping, and the Jews also weeping which came with her, he groaned in the spirit, and was troubled, ³⁴ And said, Where have ye laid him? They say unto him, Lord, come and see. ³⁵ Jesus wept.—*JOHN.*, ch. 11.

8210. — *betrayed. Nehemiah's.* ¹ I had not been beforetime sad in his presence. ² Wherefore the king said unto me, Why is thy countenance sad, seeing thou art not sick? this is nothing else but sorrow of heart. Then I was very sore afraid.—*NEH.*, ch. 2.

8211. — *Benefits of. Heart.* ² It is better to go to the house of mourning, than to go to the house of feasting: for that is the end of all men; and the living will lay it to his heart. ³ Sorrow is better than laughter: for by the sadness of the countenance the heart is made better.—*ECC.*, ch. 7.

8212. — *Cause of. Sin.* ¹⁶ Unto the woman he said, I will greatly multiply thy sorrow and thy conception; in sorrow thou shalt bring forth children; and thy desire shall be to thy husband, and he shall rule over thee.—*GEN.*, ch. 3.

8213. — *Constant. Amnon dead.* ²¹ David mourned for his son every day. ²⁸ So Absalom fled, and went to Geshur, and was there three years.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 13.

8214. — *considered. Abram's.* ¹⁰ Ephron the Hittite answered Abraham in the audience of all that went in at the gate of his city, saying, ¹¹ the field give I thee, and the cave that is therein, I give it thee..bury thy dead.—*GEN.*, ch. 23.

8215. — *compassionated. Penitent.* ¹ Ye ought rather to forgive him, and comfort him, lest perhaps such a one should be swallowed up with overmuch sorrow.—*2 COR.*, ch. 2.

8216. — *The Disciples'. To Emmaus.* ¹⁶ Their eyes were holden that they should not know him. ¹⁷ And he said..What manner of communications are these that ye have one to another, as ye walk, and are sad?—*LUKE.*, ch. 24.

8217. — *Domestic. Hannah.* ⁹ Eli the priest sat upon a seat by a post of the temple of the Lord. ¹⁰ And she was in bitterness of soul, and prayed unto the Lord, and wept sore.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 1.

8218. — *Distressing. Esther.* ³ Esther spake yet again before the king, and fell down at his feet, and besought him with tears to put away the mischief of Haman..that he had devised against the Jews.—*ESTHER.*, ch. 8.

8219. — *A Father's. David.* ²³ Went up to the chamber over the gate, and wept: and as he went, thus he said, O my son Absalom! my son, my son Absalom! would God I had died for thee, O Absalom, my son, my son!—*2 SAM.*, ch. 18.

8220. — *Healer of. Jesus.* ¹⁸ The spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed

me to preach the gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to heal the broken-hearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised.—**LUKE**, ch. 4.

S221. — Joy after. *Affliction*. [See **Lam.**, ch. 3.]

S222. — Judgment. "*Hide us.*" ¹⁶ Said to the mountains and rocks, Fall on us, and hide us from the face of him that sitteth on the throne, and from the wrath of the Lamb: ¹⁷ For the great day of his wrath is come.—**REV.**, ch. 6.

S223. — Parable. ²⁷ Depart from me, all ye workers of iniquity. ²⁸ There shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth, when ye shall see Abraham, and Isaac, and Jacob, and all the prophets, in the kingdom of God, and you yourselves thrust out.—**LUKE**, ch. 13.

S224. — by Neglect. *Talent*. ²⁵ I was afraid, and went and hid thy talent in the earth: lo, there thou hast that is thine. ³⁰ . . . cast ye the unprofitable servant into outer darkness: there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth.—**MAT.**, ch. 25.

S225. — Prostrating. *David*. ¹⁶ David therefore besought God for the child; and David fasted, and went in, and lay all night upon the earth. ¹⁷ And the elders of his house arose, and went to him, to raise him up from the earth: but he would not, neither did he eat bread with them.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 12.

S226. — A profitable. *Corinthians*. ¹¹ Ye sorrowed after a godly sort, what carefulness it wrought in you, yea, *what* clearing of yourselves, yea, *what* indignation, yea, *what* fear, yea, *what* vehement desire, yea, *what* zeal, yea, *what* revenge! In all things ye have approved yourselves to be clear in this matter.—**2 COR.**, ch. 7.

S227. — A profitless. *Herod*. ²⁵ I will that thou give me by and by in a charger the head of John the Baptist. ²⁶ And the king was exceeding sorry; yet for his oath's sake, and for their sakes which sat with him, he would not reject her.—**MARK**, ch. 6.

S228. — Royal. *David*. [Lately crowned.] ²⁵ How are the mighty fallen in the midst of the battle! O Jonathan, thou wast slain in thine high places. ²⁶ I am distressed for thee, my brother Jonathan: very pleasant hast thou been unto me: thy love to me was wonderful, passing the love of women.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 1.

S229. — relieved. *Prayer*. ¹⁹ [Hannah] as she continued praying before the Lord. . . Eli marked her mouth. ¹⁵ So the woman went her way, and did eat, and her countenance was no more sad.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 1.

S230. — — *Hagar*. ¹¹ The angel of God called to Hagar out of heaven. . . What aileth thee, Hagar? fear not; for God hath heard the voice of the lad where he is. ¹⁸ Arise, lift up the lad. . . for I will make him a great nation. ¹⁹ And God opened her eyes, and she saw a well of water.—**GEN.**, ch. 21.

S231. — from Suspicion. *Apostles*. ¹⁸ One of you which eateth with me shall betray me. ¹⁹ And they began to be sorrowful, and to say unto him one by one, *Is it I?* and another said, *Is it I?*—**MARK**, ch. 14.

S232. — Sin brings. *Prodigal*. ¹¹ When he came to himself, he said, How many hired serv-

ants of my father's have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger!—**LUKE**, ch. 15.

S233. — Worldly. *Young Ruler*. ²² Sell all that thou hast, and distribute unto the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven: and come, follow me. ²³ And when he heard this, he was very sorrowful: for he was very rich.—**LUKE**, ch. 18.

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Humiliating. Prison truly. . . shut. . . no man there	2318
Ignorance. No place of seed. . . figs. . . vines	2319
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Misjudged. We trusted it had been he. . . saved I.	2321
Maternal. I have gotten a man [murderer] from L.	2322
Many. Sown much, and bring in little	2323
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Affliction. Let me not see the death of the child	2323
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Awaking. Wine was gone out. . . heart died within	2325
Deliverance. Been better for us to serve the Egypt	2326
Kindness. Widow. . . meal. . . oil. . . me and my son eat	2327

DESPONDENCY.

Bereavement. Joseph is, without doubt, rent in p.	2328
Complaint. Since I came to Pharaoh. . . done evil	2327
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Continued. My heart is smitten and withered like	2329
Cure. David was greatly distressed. . . spake of s.	2329
Difficulties. People was much discouraged	2330
Hasty. Sun beat. . . Jonah fainted. . . wished to die	2330
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Public. Moses heard the people weeping. . . door	2333
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DISTRESS.

Cry of. Great cry. . . none like it, nor shall be	2437
Derided. They that see me, shoot out the lip	2438
Described. I was a derision to all my people	2439
Exasperation. What shall I do. . . people ready to s.	3440
Famine. Delicate women. . . shall eat. . . children	3541
Friend. Gedaliah. . . took Jeremiah out of prison	3443
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Needless. Saul had adjured. . . food	3445
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S234. SOUL, Mistake respecting the. *Stomach*. ¹⁹ I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years; take thine ease, eat, drink, and be merry.—**LUKE**, ch. 12.

S235. — starved. *Riches*. ¹⁸ These are they which are sown among thorns; such as hear the word, ¹⁹ And the cares of this world, and the deceitfulness of riches, and the lusts of other things entering in, choke the word, and it becometh unfruitful.—**MARK**, ch. 4.

8236. — Yearning of the. *For God.* ³ Oh that I knew where I might find him! that I might come even to his seat! ⁴ I would order my cause before him, and fill my mouth with arguments.—*JOB*, ch. 23.

8237. SOULS, Destroyers of. *Hypocrites.* ²⁵ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye compass sea and land to make one proselyte; and when he is made, ye make him twofold more the child of hell than yourselves.—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

8238. — Eager for. *Paul.* ¹⁸ Yet have I made myself servant unto all, that I might gain the more. ²⁰ And unto the Jews I became as a Jew, that I might gain the Jews; to them that are under the law, as under the law, that I might gain them that are under the law.—*1 COR.*, ch. 9.

8239. — Hindering. *Pharisees.* ¹³ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye shut up the kingdom of heaven against men: for ye neither go in yourselves, neither suffer ye them that are entering to go in.—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

8240. — Winning. *Paul.* ²² To the weak became I as weak, that I might gain the weak: I am made all things to all men, that I might by all means save some. ²³ And this I do for the gospel's sake.—*1 COR.*, ch. 9.

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8241. SPEAKING, Evil. *Judge.* ¹¹ Speak not evil one of another, brethren. He that speaketh evil of his brother, and judgeth his brother, speaketh evil of the law, and judgeth the law: but if thou judge the law, thou art not a doer of the law, but a judge.—*JAMES*, ch. 4.

8242. — for God. *Timid.* ⁶ Ah, Lord God! behold, I cannot speak: for I am a child. ⁷ Say not, I am a child: for thou shalt go to all that I shall send thee, and whatsoever I command thee thou shalt speak.—*JER.*, ch. 1.

8243. — — Fearless. ⁸ Be not afraid of their faces: for I am with thee to deliver thee, saith the Lord. ⁹ Then the Lord put forth his hand, and touched my mouth. And the Lord said, Behold I have put my words in thy mouth.—*JER.*, ch. 1.

8244. — Help for. *Spirit.* ³ There appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them. ⁴ And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.—*ACTS*, ch. 2.

8245. SPEAKER, Convincing. *Jesus.* ⁴⁵ Came the officers to the chief priests and Pharisees; and they said unto them, Why have ye not brought him? ⁴⁶ The officers answered, Never man spake like this man.—*JOHN*, ch. 7.

8246. — Engaging. *Jesus.* ³⁸ Martha received him into her house. ³⁹ And she had a sister called Mary, which also sat at Jesus' feet, and heard his word.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

8247. SPEECH assisted. *Moses.* ¹⁴ O my Lord, I am not eloquent, neither heretofore, nor since thou hast spoken unto thy servant; but I am slow of speech, and of a slow tongue. ¹⁵ .go, and I will be with thy mouth, and teach thee what thou shalt say.—*EX.*, ch. 4.

8248. — — Jeremiah. [See No. 8243.]

8249. — Appropriate. *"Apples of Gold."* ¹¹ A word fitly spoken is like apples of gold in pictures of silver.—*PROV.*, ch. 25.

8250. — Anointed. *Pentecost.* [See No. 8244.]

8251. — constrained. *Elihu said.* ¹¹ I said, I will answer also my part; I also will shew mine opinion. ¹⁸ For I am full of matter; the spirit within me constraineth me.—*JOB*, ch. 32.

8252. — Cautious. *"Words be few."* ³ Be not rash with thy mouth, and let not thine heart be hasty to utter any thing before God: for God is in heaven, and thou upon earth: therefore let thy words be few.—*ECCLES.*, ch. 5.

8253. — Confusion of. *Babel.* ⁹ Therefore is the name of it called Babel; because the Lord did there confound the language of all the earth: and from thence did the Lord scatter them abroad upon the face of all the earth.—*GEN.*, ch. 11.

8254. — Dangers of. *Bridle.* ³ In many things we offend all. If any man offend not in word, the same is a perfect man, and able also to bridle the whole body.—*JAMES*, ch. 3.

8255. — Evidence by. *"Bridleth not."* ³⁴ If any man among you seem to be religious, and bridleth not his tongue, but deceiveth his own heart, this man's religion is vain.—*JAMES*, ch. 1.

8256. — Gift of. *Witness.* ¹⁸ Ye shall be brought before governors and kings for my sake, for a testimony. ¹⁹ But when they deliver you up, take no thought how or what ye shall speak: for it shall be given you in that same hour what ye shall speak. ²⁰ For it is not ye that speak, but the Spirit of your Father.—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

8257. — improved. *Impediment.* ³³ They bring one that was deaf, and had an impediment in his speech; and they beseech him to put his hand upon him. ³⁴ And he .put his fingers into his ears, and he spit, and touched his tongue.—*MARK*, ch. 7.

8258. — impossible. *At Judgment.* ¹³ Friend, how camest thou in hither not having a wedding garment? And he was speechless.—*MAT.*, ch. 22.

8259. — Plainness of. *Paul.* ⁴ My speech and my preaching was not with enticing words of man's wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and of power.—*1 COR.*, ch. 2.

8260. — Power of. *"Death"—"Life."* ²¹ Death and life are in the power of the tongue: and they that love it shall eat the fruit thereof.—*PROV.*, ch. 18.

8261. — unrestrained. *Deceitful.* ³ They speak vanity every one with his neighbour: with flattering lips and with a double heart do they speak. ⁸ The Lord shall cut off all flattering lips, and the tongue that speaketh proud things.—*PS.* 12.

8262. — unentangled. *Jesus.* ¹⁵ The Pharisees .took counsel how they might entangle him in his talk. ²¹ Render therefore unto Cesar the things which are Cesar's; and unto God the things that are God's. ²³ .they marvelled, and left him.—*MAT.*, ch. 22.

8263. — Unguarded. *Proverb.* ³ He that keepeth his mouth keepeth his life: but he that openeth wide his lips shall have destruction.—*PROV.*, ch. 13.

8264. — *useless. Pilate's Court.* ¹² When he was accused of the chief priests and elders, he answered nothing. ¹³ Then said Pilate. . . Hear-est thou not how many things they witness against thee? ¹⁴ And he answered him to never a word; inasmuch that the governor marvelled greatly.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

8265. — *Herod's Court.* ⁹ He questioned with him in many words; but he answered him nothing. ¹⁰ And the chief priests and scribes stood and vehemently accused him.—*LUKE*, ch. 23.

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Talking vs. Doing. Aaron . . . mouth . . . take thou the 8591
Unfriendly. Brethren . . . not speak peaceably unto 3393

8266. SPIES, Accusation. Jacob's Sons. ¹⁶ Send one of you, and let him fetch your brother, and ye shall be kept in prison, that your words may be proved, whether there be any truth in you: or else by the life of Pharaoh surely ye are spies.—*GEN.*, ch. 42.

8267. — *In the Church. At Jerusalem.* ⁴ Because of false brethren unawares brought in, who came in privily to spy out our liberty which we have in Christ Jesus, that they might bring us into bondage: ⁵ To whom we gave place by subjection, no, not for an hour.—*GAL.*, ch. 2.

8268. — *disguised. Jesus.* ²⁰ They watched him, and sent forth spies, which should feign themselves just men, that they might take hold of his words, that so they might deliver him unto . . . the governor.—*LUKE*, ch. 20.

8269. — *entertained. Rahab.* ¹ Joshua . . . sent out of Shittim two men to spy secretly, saying, Go view the land, even Jericho. And they . . . came into a harlot's house, named Rahab, and lodged there.—*JOSH.*, ch. 2.

8270. — *intimidated. Ten.* ²³ And they brought up an evil report . . . saying, The land . . . eateth up the inhabitants thereof; and all the people that we saw in it are men of a great stature. ²⁵ And there we saw the giants, the sons of Anak . . . we were in our own sight as grasshoppers, and so we were in their sight.—*NUM.*, ch. 13.

8271. — *Political. Absalom's.* ¹⁰ Absalom sent spies throughout all the tribes of Israel, saying, As soon as ye hear the sound of the trumpet, then ye shall say, Absalom reigneth in Hebron.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 15.

8272. — *Suspected. Hanun.* ³ The princes . . . of Ammon said unto Hanun their lord, Think-est thou that David doth honour thy father, that he hath sent comforters unto thee? hath not David rather sent his servants unto thee, to search the city, and to spy it out, and to overthrow it?—*2 SAM.*, ch. 10.

8273. — *Sympathizers.* [See above.] ⁴ Wherefore Hanun took David's servants, and shaved off the one half of their beards, and cut off their garments in the middle, even to their buttocks, and sent them away.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 10.

8274. — *Service of. Canaan.* ¹¹ Moses sent them to spy out the land of Canaan, and said . . . ¹⁸ . . . see the land, what it is; and the people that dwelleth therein, whether they be strong or weak, few or many.—*NUM.*, ch. 13.

8275. — *Watchful. Daniel.* ¹⁰ When Daniel knew that the writing was signed, he went into his house; and, his windows being open in his chamber toward Jerusalem, he kneeled . . . three times a day, and prayed, and gave thanks before his God, as he did aforetime. ¹¹ Then these men assembled, and found Daniel praying.—*DAN.*, ch. 6.

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DETECTIVES.

Female. Dilliah said . . . Come up . . . he hath shown 2257
Impious. They watched him whether he would h. 2258
Unknown. Moses looked this way and that . . . slew 2259
Invisible. Elisha sent unto the king . . . S. are come 334

8276. SPIES by Anointing. David. ¹³ Samuel took the horn of oil, and anointed him in the midst of his brethren: and the Spirit of the Lord came upon David from that day forward.—*1 SAM.*, c. 16.

8277. — *breathed. On Apostles.* ²² He breathed on them, . . . ²³ saith unto them, Receive ye the Holy Ghost: Whosoever sins ye remit, they are remitted unto them, and whosoever sins ye retain, they are retained.—*JOHN*, ch. 20.

8278. — *Baptism of. Jesus.* ¹⁶ Jesus, when he was baptized, went up straightway out of the water: and lo, th. heavens were opened unto him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove, and lighting upon him.—*MAT.*, ch. 3.

8279. — *Choice of the. Eliab.* ¹ The Lord said unto Samuel, Look not on his countenance, or on the height of his stature; because I have refused him: for the Lord seeth not as man

seeth ; for man looketh on the outward appearance, but the Lord looketh on the heart.—1 SAM., ch. 16.

8280. — *David.* ¹¹ There remaineth yet the youngest, and behold, he keepeth the sheep. And Samuel said unto Jesse, Send and fetch him. ¹² Now he was ruddy, and withal of a beautiful countenance, and goodly to look to. And the Lord said, Arise, anoint him : for this is he.—1 SAM., ch. 16.

8281. — *Demonstration of the. Pentecost.* ⁶ When this was noised abroad, the multitude came together, and were confounded, because that every man heard them speak in his own language. ⁷ And they were amazed and marvelled.—ACTS, ch. 2.

8282. — *Evil. Saul.* ¹⁴ The Spirit of the Lord departed from Saul. ¹⁵ And Saul's servants said unto him, Behold now, an evil spirit from God troubleth thee.—1 SAM., ch. 16.

8283. — *Filled with the. Pentecost.* ³ And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them. ⁴ And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak.—ACTS, ch. 2.

8284. — *Fruit by. Pentecost.* ⁴¹ They that gladly received his word were baptized : and the same day there were added unto them about three thousand souls.—ACTS, ch. 2.

8285. — *Flesh weakens the. Gethsemane.* ⁴⁰ Findeth them asleep, and saith unto Peter, What, could ye not watch with me one hour? ⁴¹ Watch and pray, that ye enter not into temptation : the spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak.—MAT., ch. 26.

8286. — *Fruits of the. Graces.* ²² The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, ²³ Meekness, temperance : against such there is no law.—GAL., ch. 5.

8287. — *A familiar. Witch of En-dor.* ¹ Said Saul unto his servants, Seek me a woman that hath a familiar spirit, that I may go to her, and inquire of her. And his servants said, Behold, there is a woman. at En-dor.—1 SAM., ch. 28.

8288. — *Fear of a. Visible.* ⁴⁶ He cometh unto them, and would have passed by them. ⁴⁹ But when they saw him walking upon the sea, they supposed it had been a spirit, and cried out.—MARK, ch. 6.

8289. — *Needless.* ³⁶ Jesus himself stood in the midst of them, and saith, Peace be unto you. ³⁷ But they were terrified and affrighted, and supposed that they had seen a spirit.—LUKE, ch. 24.

8290. — *Ignorant of the. Ephesians.* ¹ Paul, came to Ephesus : and finding certain disciples, ² He said, Have ye received the Holy Spirit since ye believed? And they said, We have not so much as heard whether there be any Holy Spirit.—ACTS, ch. 19.

8291. — *Incorporeal. Resurrection.* ³⁹ Behold my hands and my feet, that it is I myself : handle me, and see ; for a spirit hath not flesh and bones, as ye see me have.—LUKE, ch. 24.

8292. — *Loss of. Samson.* ³⁰ Said, The Philistines be upon thee, Samson. And he awoke out of his sleep, and said, I will go out as at

other times before, and shake myself. And he wist not the Lord was departed from him.—JUDGES, ch. 16.

8293. — *misjudged. Pentecost.* ¹¹ Crete and Arabians, we do hear them speak in our tongues the wonderful works of God. ¹³ Others mocking said, These men are full of new wine.—ACTS, ch. 2.

8294. — *Moved by the. Samson.* ²⁴ Samson grew, and the Lord blessed him. ²⁵ And the Spirit of the Lord began to move him at times in the camp of Dan.—JUDGES, ch. 13.

8295. — *Might by the. Samson.* ¹⁴ The Philistines shouted against him : and the Spirit of the Lord came mightily upon him, and the cords that were upon his arms became as flax that was burnt with fire, and his bands loosed from off his hands. ¹⁵ And he found a new jawbone of an ass, and took it, and slew a thousand men.—JUDGES, ch. 15.

8296. — *Promise of. "Last Days."* ¹⁸ This was spoken by the prophet Joel ; ¹⁷ in the last days, saith God, I will pour out of my Spirit upon all flesh : and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy.—ACTS, ch. 2.

8297. — *Power of the. "Bones live."* ⁹ Come from the four winds, O breath, and breathe upon these slain, that they may live. ¹⁰ So I prophesied as he commanded me, and the breath came into them, and they lived, and stood up upon their feet, an exceeding great army.—EZEK., ch. 37.

8298. — *Resistless. The. Stephen.* ¹⁰ They were not able to resist the wisdom and the spirit by which he spake. ¹¹ Then they suborned men, which said, We have heard him speak blasphemous words against Moses, and against God.—ACTS, ch. 6.

8299. — *Sent by the. Peter.* ¹⁹ While Peter thought on the vision, the Spirit said, Behold, three men seek thee. ²⁰ Arise therefore, and get thee down, and go with them, doubting nothing : for I have sent them.—ACTS, ch. 10.

8300. — *Symbol of the. Dove.* [See No. 8278.]

8301. — *Fire.* ²¹ The Lord went before them by day in a pillar of a cloud, to lead them the way ; and by night in a pillar of fire, to give them light ; to go by day and night.—EX., ch. 13.

8302. — *Vision of a. Job.* ¹⁴ Fear came upon me, and trembling, which made all my bones to shake. ¹⁵ Then a spirit passed before my face ; the hair of my flesh stood up : ¹⁶ It stood still, but I could not discern the form thereof : an image was before mine eyes, there was silence, and I heard a voice.—JOB, ch. 4.

8303. — *for Workers. Bezaleel.* ³ I have filled him with the spirit of God, in wisdom, and in all manner of workmanship, ⁴ To devise cunning works, to work in gold, and in silver, and in brass, ⁵ And in cutting of stones, to set them, and in carving of timber.—EX., ch. 31.

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HOLY SPIRIT.

Changes.	Is Saul also among the prophets?	4007
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8304. SPIRITS, Appearance of. At Crucifixion.
²² The graves were opened; and many bodies of the saints which slept arose, ²³ after his resurrection, and went into the holy city, and appeared unto many.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

8305. — Communication with. Dives.
²⁰ Nay, father Abraham: but if one went unto them from the dead, they will repent. ²¹ And he said...If they hear not Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded, though one rose from the dead.—*LUKE*, ch. 16.

8306. — Familiar. "Put away." ²⁴ The workers with familiar spirits, and the wizards, and the images, and the idols, and all the abominations that were spied in the land of Judah and in Jerusalem, did Josiah put away.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 23.

8307. — Seducing. "Latter Times." ¹ In the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils; ² Speaking lies in hypocrisy; having their conscience seared with a hot iron; ³ Forbidding to marry.—*1 TIM.*, ch. 4.

8308. — — Manasseh. ⁶ He made his son pass through the fire...and used enchantments, and dealt with familiar spirits and wizards: he wrought much wickedness in the sight of the Lord.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 21.

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8309. SPIRITUALITY, Ignorance of. Samaritan. ¹¹ The woman saith...Sir, thou hast nothing to draw with, and the well is deep: from whence then hast thou that living water? ¹² Art thou greater than our father Jacob, which gave us the well?—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

8310. — by Separation. Apostles. ² It is not reason that we should leave the word of God, and serve tables. ³ Look ye out among you seven men of honest report, full of the Holy Ghost and wisdom, whom we may appoint over this business. ⁴ But we will give ourselves continually to prayer, and to the ministry of the word.—*ACTS*, ch. 6.

8311. — and Activity. Mary—Martha. ⁴⁰ Lord...my sister hath left me to serve alone? bid her therefore that she help me. ⁴¹ And Jesus answered...Martha, thou art careful and troubled about many things: ⁴² But one thing is needful; and Mary hath chosen that good part, which shall not be taken away from her.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

8312. — Importance of. Salt. ⁵⁰ Salt is good: but if the salt have lost his saltiness, wherewith will ye season it? Have salt in yourselves, and have peace one with another.—*MARK*, ch. 9.

8313. — vs. Locality. Samaritan. ²⁰ Our

fathers worshipped in this mountain; and ye say, that in Jerusalem is the place where men ought to worship. ²⁴ God is a Spirit: and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth.—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

See PIETY.

8314. SPOILS abundant. Moabites...Ammonites.
²⁶ When Jehoshaphat and his people...found...both riches with the dead bodies, and precious jewels, which they stripped off for themselves, more than they could carry away: and they were three days in gathering of the spoil, it was so much.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 20.

8315. — — From Hagarites. ²¹ They took away their cattle; of their camels fifty thousand, and of sheep two hundred and fifty thousand, and of asses two thousand, and of men a hundred thousand.—*1 CHRON.*, ch. 5.

8316. — coveted. Achan. ²¹ I saw among the spoils a goodly Babylonish garment, and two hundred shekels of silver, and a wedge of gold of fifty shekels weight, then I coveted them, and took them; and, behold, they are hid in the earth in the midst of my tent.—*JOSEPH.*, ch. 7.

8317. — declined. Abram. ²¹ Take the goods to thyself. ²² And Abram said to the king of Sodom, I have lifted up mine hand unto the Lord... ²³ That I will not take from a thread even to a shoelatchet, and that I will not take any thing that is thine, lest thou shouldest say, I have made Abram rich.—*GEN.*, ch. 14.

8318. — Expectation of. Women said.
²⁰ Have they not sped? have they not divided the prey; to every man a damsel or two; to Sisera a prey of divers colours, a prey of divers colours of needlework, of divers colours of needlework on both sides, meet for the necks of them that take the spoil?—*JUDGES*, ch. 5.

8319. — forbidden. At Jericho. ¹⁶ Keep yourselves from the accursed thing, lest ye make yourselves accursed, when ye take of the accursed thing, and make the camp of Israel a curse, and trouble it.—*JOSEPH.*, ch. 6.

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PILLAGE.

Jerusalem. Shishak took away the treasures 6189
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Booty. 675,000 sheep, 72,000 beeves...61,000 asses 911
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8320. SPY, A skilful. Hushai. ¹⁴ Absalom and all the men of Israel said, The counsel of Hushai...is better than the counsel of Ahithophel. For the Lord had appointed to defeat the good counsel of Ahithophel, to...bring evil upon Absalom.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 17.

See SPIES.

8321. STATE, Appeal to the. Paul. ¹¹ I refuse not to die: but if there be none of these things whereof these accuse me, no man may deliver me unto them. I appeal unto Cesar. ¹² Then Festus, when he had conferred with the counsel, answered, Hast thou appealed unto Cesar? unto Cesar shalt thou go.—*ACTS*, ch. 25.

8322. — endangered. By Ignorance.
¹¹ With Absalom went two hundred men out of Jerusalem, that were called; and they went in their simplicity, and they knew not any thing.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 15.

8323. — — *By Vice, at Thessalonica.* ⁹ The Jews, moved with envy, took unto them certain lewd fellows of the baser sort, and gathered a company, and set all the city on an uproar, and assaulted the house of Jason.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

8324. — — *Honoured by the Secretary.* ⁹ It was written according to all that Mordecai commanded unto the Jews, and to the rulers of the provinces. ¹⁰ And he wrote in the king Ahasuerus' name, and sealed it with the king's ring.—*ESTHER*, ch. 8.

8325. — — *Prime Minister.* ⁴⁸ The king made Daniel a great man, and gave him many great gifts, and made him ruler over the whole province of Babylon, and chief of the governors over all the wise men of Babylon.—*DAN.*, ch. 2.

8326. — — *Majesty of the.* *At Philippi.* ⁴¹ Paul said, They have beaten us openly uncondemned, being Romans, and have cast us into prison; and now do they thrust us out privily? nay verily; but let them come themselves and fetch us out. ⁴² And the sergeants told these words unto the magistrates: and they feared, when they heard that they were Romans.—*ACTS*, ch. 16.

8327. — — *Best Men for the.* *Saul.* ²³ There was sore war against the Philistines all the days of Saul: and when Saul saw any strong man, or any valiant man, he took him unto him.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 14.

8328. — — *Protection from the.* *Paul.* ²⁵ As they bound him with thongs, Paul said unto the centurion that stood by, Is it lawful for you to scourge a man that is a Roman, and uncondemned?—*ACTS*, ch. 22.

8329. — — *Protector of the.* *The Church.* ⁴⁴ When Egypt was famished, the people cried to Pharaoh for bread: and Pharaoh said, Go unto Joseph; what he saith to you, do. ⁴⁵ And the famine was over all the face of the earth: and Joseph opened all the storehouses.—*GEN.*, ch. 41.

8330. — — *Support of.* *Duty.* ¹¹ Tell us therefore, What thinkest thou? Is it lawful to give tribute unto Cesar, or not? ²¹ Render therefore unto Cesar the things which are Cesar's: and unto God the things that are God's.—*MAT.*, ch. 22.

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8331. STATESMANSHIP, Evil. *Jeroboam.* ¹⁶ And Jeroboam said in his heart, Now shall the kingdom return to the house of David: ²¹ If this people go up to do sacrifice in the house of the Lord at Jerusalem. ³¹ And he made a house of high places, and made priests of the lowest of the people which were not of the sons of Levi.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 12.

8332. — — *Poor.* *Rehoboam.* ⁸ He forsook the counsel of the old men, which they had given him, and consulted with the young men that were grown up with him, and which stood before him.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 11. [The kingdom was divided.]

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8333. STATURE, High. *King Saul.* ³ Saul, a choice young man, and a goodly: and there was not among the children of Israel a goodlier person than he: from his shoulders and upward he was higher than any of the people.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 9.

8334. — — *Low.* *Zaccheus.* ³ He sought to see Jesus who he was; and could not for the press, because he was little of stature. ⁴ And he ran before, and climbed up into a sycamore tree to see him; for he was to pass that way.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

8335. STABILITY of Character. *Godly.* ³ He that walketh uprightly, and worketh righteousness, and speaketh the truth in his heart. ⁵ He that backbiteth not with his tongue, nor doeth evil to his neighbour, nor taketh up a reproach against his neighbour. ⁶ He that putteth not out his money to usury, nor taketh reward against the innocent. He that doeth these things shall never be moved.—*PS.* 15. [See chapter.]

8336. — — *Faith gives.* ¹ They that trust in the Lord shall be as mount Zion, which cannot be removed, but abideth for ever. ² As the mountains are round about Jerusalem, so the Lord is round about his people from henceforth even for ever.—*PS.* 125.

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Only. Other foundation can no man lay 8390
Second Temple. People shouted, because, was 8401
Various Uses. Build on, gold, wood, stubble 8403
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8337. STEADFASTNESS of Converts. *Jerusalem.* ⁴¹ There were added unto them about three thousand souls. ⁴² And they continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers.—*ACTS*, ch. 2.

8338. — — *Determined.* *Job.* ⁵ Till I die I will not remove my integrity from me. ⁶ My righteousness I hold fast, and will not let it go: my heart shall not reproach me so long as I live.—*JOB*, ch. 27.

8339. — — *to Duty.* *King Josiah.* ² He did that which was right in the sight of the Lord, and walked in all the way of David, and turned not aside to the right hand or to the left.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 22.

8340. — — *in Integrity.* *David.* ²¹ I have kept the ways of the Lord, and have not wicked.

ly departed from my God. ²² For all his judgments were before me, and I did not put away his statutes from me. ²³ I was also upright before him, and I kept myself from mine iniquity.—Ps. 18.

S341. — to Principle. *Daniel.* ⁸ Daniel purposed in his heart that he would not defile himself with the . . . king's meat, nor with the wine which he drank : therefore he requested of the prince of the eunuchs that he might not defile himself.—DAN., ch. 1.

S342. — Religious. *Three Hebrews.* ¹⁷ Our God whom we serve is able to deliver us from the burning fiery furnace, and he will deliver us out of thine hand, O king. ¹⁸ But if not, be it known unto thee, O king, that we will not serve thy gods, nor worship the golden image which thou hast set up.—DAN., ch. 3.

S343. — seen. *Job's.* ⁸ The Lord said unto Satan, Hast thou considered my servant Job, that there is none like him in the earth, a perfect and an upright man, one that feareth God, and escheweth evil ? and still he holdeth fast his integrity, although thou movedst me against him, to destroy him without cause.—JOB, ch. 2.

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Test. If ye continue in my word, then . . . disciples 6104
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S344. STEALING, Shameless, Nevard. ² Cannot dig ; to beg I am ashamed. ⁴ I am resolved what to do, that, when I am put out of the stewardship, they may receive me into their houses.—LUKE, ch. 16.

See THEFT and references.

S345. STEWARDS, Christian. *At Jerusalem.* ²² The multitude of them that believed were of one heart and of one soul : neither said any of them that aught of the things which he possessed was his own ; but they had all things common.—ACTS, ch. 4.

S346. STEWARDSHIP, Christian. *Parable.* ¹² A certain nobleman went into a far country to receive for himself a kingdom. ¹³ And he called his ten servants, and delivered them ten pounds, and said unto them, Occupy till I come.—LUKE, ch. 19.

S347. — withdrawn. *Unjust Steward.* ¹ A steward . . . was accused . . . that he had wasted his goods. ² . . . How is it that I hear this of thee ?

give an account of thy stewardship ; for thou mayest be no longer steward.—LUKE, ch. 16.

See RESPONSIBILITY and references.

S348. STONES, Precious. *Breastplate.* ¹⁷ Four rows of stones : the first row shall be a sardius, a topaz, and a carbuncle. ¹⁸ And the second row shall be an emerald, a sapphire, and a diamond. ¹⁹ And the third row a figure, an agate, and an amethyst. ²⁰ And the fourth row a beryl, and an onyx, and a jasper : they shall be set in gold.—EX., ch. 28.

S349. STONING for Covetousness. *Achan.* ²⁴ Joshua said, Why hast thou troubled us ? the Lord shall trouble thee this day. And all Israel stoned him with stones, and burned them with fire.—JOSH., ch. 7.

S350. — the Innocent. *Naboth.* ¹⁵ Men of Belial witnessed . . . against Naboth, in the presence of the people, saying, Naboth did blaspheme God and the king. Then they carried him forth out of the city, and stoned him.—1 KINGS, ch. 21.

S351. — intended. *Of Jesus.* ³⁰ I and my Father are one. ³¹ Then the Jews took up stones again to stone him. ³² Therefore they sought again to take him ; but he escaped out of their hand.—JOHN, ch. 10.

S352. — by Persecutors. *At Lystra.* ¹⁹ Jews from Antioch and Iconium, who persuaded the people, and, having stoned Paul, drew him out of the city, supposing he had been dead.—ACTS, ch. 14.

S353. — — *Stephen.* ⁵⁸ Cast him out of the city, and stoned him : and the witnesses laid down their clothes at a young man's feet, whose name was Saul. ⁵⁹ And they stoned Stephen, calling upon God, and saying, Lord Jesus, receive my spirit.—ACTS, ch. 7.

S354. — for Reproof. *Zechariah.* ⁹⁰ The Spirit of God came upon Zechariah . . . the priest . . . Thus saith God, Why transgress ye the commandments of the Lord, that ye cannot prosper ? because ye have forsaken the Lord, he hath also forsaken you. ⁹¹ And they conspired against him, and stoned him.—2 CHRON., ch. 24.

S355. — for Revenge. *Absalom's Rebellion.* ⁵ Shimei . . . he came forth, and cursed still as he came. ⁶ And he cast stones at David, and at all the servants of king David : and . . . all the mighty men were on his right hand and on his left.—2 SAM., ch. 16.

S356. STORM, Alarming. *Egypt.* ²² Moses stretched forth his rod toward heaven : and the Lord sent thunder and hail, and the fire ran along upon the ground. ²³ Entreat the Lord (for it is enough) that there be no more mighty thunderings and hail ; and I will let you go.—EX., ch. 9.

S357. — Destructive. *Amorites.* ¹¹ As they fled from before Israel, and were in the going down to Beth-horon . . . the Lord cast down great stones from heaven upon them unto Azekah, and they died : they were more which died with hailstones than . . . Israel slew with the sword.—JOSH., ch. 10.

S358. — Exigencies in a. *Paul.* ¹⁷ They used helps, undergirding the ship ; and fearing lest they should fall into the quicksands, strike sail, and so were driven. ¹⁸ And we being ex-

ceedingly tossed with a tempest, the next day they lightened the ship; ¹⁸ And the third day we cast out with our own hands the tackling of the ship.—*Acts*, ch. 27. [See chapter.]

S359. — *mastered.* *Jesus.* ²⁴ They came to him, and awoke him, saying, Master, Master, we perish. Then he arose, and rebuked the wind and the raging of the water: and they ceased, and there was a calm.—*LUKE*, ch. 8.

S360. — *Prayer in.* *Jonah.* ⁶ The ship-master came to him, and said, What meanest thou, O sleeper? arise, call upon thy God, if so be that God will think upon us, that we perish not.—*JONAH*, ch. 1.

S361. — *at Sea.* *Peril.* ⁴ The Lord sent out a great wind, and there was a mighty tempest in the sea, so that the ship was like to be broken. ⁵ Then the mariners were afraid, and cried every man unto his god, and cast forth the wares that were in the ship into the sea, to lighten it.—*JONAH*, ch. 1.

S362. — *Terrifying.* ²² He commandeth, and raiseth the stormy wind, which lifteth up the waves thereof. ²⁶ They mount up to the heaven, they go down again to the depths: their soul is melted because of trouble.—*Ps.* 107.

S363. — *Sailors.* ²¹ They reel to and fro, and stagger like a drunken man, and are at their wit's end. ²⁸ Then they cry unto the Lord in their trouble, and he bringeth them out of their distresses.—*Ps.* 107.

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Hardened by. P. thunders were ceased...sinned more 39
Helpless. When the ship was caught...let her drive 8411
Preservation. Except these abide in the ship...not 5329
Prayer. Master, Master, we perish 8358

S364. STRANGER, A lonely. *A Levite.* ¹⁸ They turned aside...to lodge in Gibeah: and...he sat him down in a street of the city: for there was no man that took them into his house to lodging.—*JUDGES*, ch. 19.

S365. STRANGERS, Hospitality to. *Abram.* ⁴ Let a little water, I pray you, be fetched, and wash your feet, and rest yourselves under the tree: ⁸ And I will fetch a morsel of bread, and comfort ye your hearts; after that ye shall pass on.—*GEN.*, ch. 18.

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S366. STRATAGEM in Battle. *At Ai.* ²¹ When Joshua...saw that the ambush had taken the city, and that the smoke of the city ascended, then they turned again, and slew the men of Ai. ²² And the other issued out of the city against them; so they were in the midst of Israel, some on this side, and some on that side...they let none of them remain or escape.—*JOSEPH*, ch. 8.

S367. — *Success by.* *Absalom's.* ²⁹ He sent again the second time, he would not come. ³⁰ Therefore he said unto his servants, See, Joab's field is near mine, and he hath barley there; go and set it on fire. And Absalom's servants set the field on fire.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 14.

Also see:

Military. Ahimelech...3 companies hid in the field 335
" Let us flee, and draw them from the city 1067

S368. STRENGTH from Above. *Elijah.* ¹ The angel of the Lord came again the second time, and touched him, and said, Arise and eat; because the journey is too great for thee. ⁸ And he arose, and did eat and drink, and went in the strength of that meat forty days and forty nights unto Horeb the mount of God.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 19.

S369. — *Natural.* *Peter.* ²¹ Lord, why cannot I follow thee now? I will lay down my life for thy sake. ²⁸ Jesus answered him, Wilt thou lay down thy life for my sake? The cock shall not crow, till thou hast denied me thrice.—*JOHN*, ch. 13.

S370. — *Physical.* *Samson.* ⁶ Samson...came to the vineyards of Timanath: and, behold, a young lion roared against him. ⁶ And the Spirit of the Lord came mightily upon him, and he rent him as he would have rent a kid, and he had nothing in his hand.—*JUDGES*, ch. 14.

S371. — *Samson.* ¹⁵ He found a new jaw-bone of an ass...and took it, and slew a thousand men therewith. ¹⁶ And Samson said, With the jaw-bone of an ass, heaps upon heaps, with the jaw of an ass have I slain a thousand men.—*JUDGES*, ch. 15.

S372. — *Gazites.* ² They compassed him in, and laid wait for him all night in the gate of the city...saying, In the morning when it is day we shall kill him. ³ And Samson...arose at midnight, and took the doors of the gate of the city, and the two posts, and went away with them, bar and all.—*JUDGES*, ch. 16.

S373. — *Secret of.* ¹¹ If I be shaven, then my strength will go from me, and I shall become weak, and be like any other man. ¹⁸ And when Delilah saw that he had told her all his heart, she sent and called for the lords of the Philistines.—*JUDGES*, ch. 16.

S374. — *Samson.* ²⁹ Samuel took hold of the two middle pillars upon which the house stood. ³⁰ And Samson said, Let me die with the Philistines. And he bowed himself with all his might; and the house fell upon the lords, and upon all the people that were therein. So the dead which he slew at his death were more than they which he slew in his life.—*JUDGES*, ch. 16.

S375. — *tested.* *Peter.* ²⁸ Simon Peter stood and warmed himself. They said, Art not thou also one of his disciples? He denied it, and said, I am not.—*JOHN*, ch. 18.

S376. — *unimpaired.* *Caleb.* ¹⁰ I am this

day fourscore and five years old. ¹¹ As yet I am as strong this day as I was in the day that Moses sent me : as my strength was then, even so is my strength now, for war, both to go out, and to come in. ¹² Now therefore give me this mountain, for thou heardest in that day how the Anakim were there, and that the cities were great and fenced.—*Josh.*, ch. 14.

S377. — from Worship. *Renew.* ³¹ They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength ; they shall mount up with wings as eagles ; they shall run, and not be weary ; and they shall walk, and not faint.—*Isa.*, ch. 40.

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S378. STRIFE avoided. *Isaac.* ¹⁵ All the wells ..dugged in the days of Abraham his father, the Philistines had..filled them with earth. ¹⁶ And Abimelech said unto Isaac, Go from us ; for thou art much mightier than we. ¹⁷ And Isaac departed thence.—*Gen.*, ch. 26.

S379. — Absence of. *Isaac.* [See above.] ²² He removed from thence, and digged another well ; and for that they strove not : and he called the name of it Rehoboth ; and he said, For now the Lord hath made room for us, and we shall be fruitful in the land.—*Gen.*, ch. 26.

S380. — Beginning of. *Proverb.* ¹⁴ The beginning of strife is as when one letteth out water : therefore leave off contention, before it be meddled with.—*Prov.*, ch. 17.

S381. — Cause of. *Proverb.* ³¹ As coals are to burning coals, and wood to fire ; so is a contentious man to kindle strife. ³² The words of a talebearer are as wounds, and they go down into the innermost parts of the belly.—*Prov.*, ch. 26.

S382. — continued. *Philistines.* ¹⁹ Isaac's servants digged in the valley, and found there a well of springing water. ²⁰ And the herdmen of Gerar did strive..saying, The water is ours : and he called the name of the well Esek ; because they strove with him. ²¹ And they digged another well, and strove for that also : and he called the name of it Sitnah.—*Gen.*, ch. 26.

S383. — Dishonour in. *Proverb.* ³ It is an

honour for a man to cease from strife : but every fool will be meddling.—*Prov.*, ch. 20.

S384. — ended. *Abram.* ⁹ Is not the whole land before thee ? separate thyself, I pray thee, from me : if thou wilt take the left hand, then I will go the right ; or if thou depart to the right hand, then I will go to the left.—*Gen.*, ch. 13.

S385. — Occasion for. *Esau.* ⁶ Esau took his wives, and his sons, and his daughters..and all his substance..and went into the country from the face of his brother Jacob. ⁷ For their riches were more than that they might dwell together ; and the land..could not bear them because of their cattle.—*Gen.*, ch. 36.

S386. — prevented. *Reward.* ¹⁴ The Lord said unto Abram, after that Lot was separated from him, Lift up now thine eyes, and look..northward, and southward, and eastward, and westward. ¹⁵ For all the land which thou seest, to thee will I give it, and to thy seed for ever.—*Gen.*, ch. 13.

S387. — Prosperity brings. *Abram—Lot.* ⁸ Lot also..had flocks, and herds, and tents. ⁹ And the land was not able to bear them..for their substance was great, so that they could not dwell together. ¹⁰ And there was a strife between the herdmen of Abram's cattle and the herdmen of Lot's cattle.—*Gen.*, ch. 13.

S388. — rebuked. *Christians.* ¹⁴ But if ye have bitter envying and strife in your hearts glory not, and lie not against the truth. ¹⁵ This wisdom descendeth not from above, but is earthly, sensual, devilish. ¹⁶ For where envying and strife is, there is confusion and every evil work.—*James*, ch. 3.

S389. — Truth makes. *Jesus said,* ²⁴ Think not that I am come to send peace on earth : I came not to send peace, but a sword. ²⁵ For I am come to set a man at variance against his father, and the daughter against her mother.—*Mat.*, ch. 10.

S390. — Wickedness of. *Fire.* ²⁷ An ungodly man diggeth up evil : and in his lips there is as a burning fire. ²⁸ A froward man soweth strife : and a whisperer separateth chief friends.—*Prov.*, ch. 16.

S391. — Words make. *Talebearer.* ²⁰ Where no wood is, there the fire goeth out : so where there is no talebearer, the strife ceaseth.—*Prov.*, ch. 26.

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SIDE.

Which ? Art thou for us, or for our adversaries ? 7863

" Who is on the Lord's side ?..come unto me 7864

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S392. STRUGGLE, Deliverance by. *Demon bound.* ²⁰ They brought him unto him : and when he saw him, straightway the spirit tare him ; and he fell on the ground, and wallowed foaming.—*Mark*, ch. 9.

S393. STUBBORNNESS punished. *Captivity.* ¹⁶ They mocked the messengers of God, and despised his words, and misused his prophets, until the wrath of the Lord arose against his people, till there was no remedy. ¹⁷ Therefore he brought upon them the king of the Chaldees, who slew them.—2 *Chron.*, ch. 36.

S394. — in Sin. *Saul.* ²² Behold, to obey is better than sacrifice, and to hearken than the

fat of rams. ²³ For rebellion is as the sin of witchcraft, and stubbornness is as iniquity and idolatry.—1 SAM., ch. 15.

S395. — — — *Jews in Egypt.* ¹⁷ We will certainly do whatsoever thing goeth forth out of our own mouth, to burn incense unto the queen of heaven.—JER., ch. 44.

S396. — — — *Philistines.* ³ They took Dagon, and set him in his place again. ⁴ Early on the morrow morning, behold, Dagon was fallen upon his face to the ground before the ark of the Lord; and the head of Dagon and both the palms of his hands were cut off.—1 SAM., ch. 5.

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HARDNESS.

Adversity. In his distress did Ahaz trespass more 3797
Heart. Looked..anger being grieved..hardness 3796

OBEDURACY.

Defiant. Who is the L. that I should obey? 5755
Final. Why have we..Let I. go from serving us 5756
Foolish. Ahaz..sacrificed unto the gods..smote 5757
Jewish. Thy neck is as an iron sinew, and thy 5758
Spiritual. Woe unto thee, Chozazin..If the mighty 5759
Self-destructive. I know that G. hath determined 5760
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Unfeeling. Past feeling have given themselves 5762
Wild. Balaam..went with the princes of Moab 5763

OBSTINACY.

Provoking. It is a stiffnecked people..consume 5825
Rebuked. Why..smitten thine ass these 3 times? 5826
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Obstinate. We would certainly do whatsoever 7733
Sin. Rebellion is as the sin of witchcraft 7734
Work of. In their self-will they digged down a w. 7735

S397. STUDY, Bible. *Eunuch.* ¹⁷ A eunuch of great authority under Candace queen of the Ethiopians, who had the charge of all her treasure, and had come to Jerusalem for to worship, ²⁸ Was returning, and sitting in his chariot read Esaias the prophet.—ACTS, ch. 8.

S398. — — — *Bereans commended.* ¹¹ These were more noble than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness of mind, and searched the Scriptures daily, whether those things were so.—ACTS, ch. 17.

S399. — — — *Benefits.* ²² They said one to another, Did not our heart burn within us, while he talked with us by the way, and while he opened to us the Scriptures?—LUKE, ch. 24.

S400. — — — *Wearisome.* *To the Flesh.* ¹² My son, be admonished: of making many books there is no end; and much study is a weariness of the flesh.—ECCL., ch. 12.

See SCHOOL and references.

S401. STUMBLING at Truth. *Disciples.* ⁴⁰ Many therefore of his disciples, when they had heard this, said, This is a hard saying; who can hear it? ⁴⁶ From that time many of his disciples went back, and walked no more with him.—JOHN, ch. 6.

S402. STUMBLINGBLOCK, Christ a. *Prejudice.* ²³ We preach Christ crucified, unto the Jews a stumblingblock, and unto the Greeks foolishness.—1 COR., ch. 1.

S403. — — — *Liberty a. Example.* ⁸ Meat commendeth us not to God: for neither, if we eat, are we the better; neither, if we eat not, are we the worse. ⁹ But take heed lest by any means this liberty of yours become a stumblingblock to them that are weak.—1 COR., ch. 8.

S404. STUMBLINGBLOCKS responsible. *"Offend" cause to sin.* ⁶ Whoso shall offend one of these little ones which believe in me, it were better for him that a millstone were hanged about his neck, and that he were drowned in the depth of the sea.—MAT., ch. 18.

See ERROR and references.

S405. SUBJUGATION by Blindness. *Saul.* ⁶ Saul arose from the earth; and when his eyes were opened, he saw no man: but they led him by the hand, and brought him into Damascus.—ACTS, ch. 9.

S406. — — — *Complete.* *To Philistines.* ¹⁸ There was no smith found throughout all the land of Israel: for the Philistines said, Lest the Hebrews make them swords or spears: ²⁰ But all the Israelites went down to the Philistines to sharpen every man his share, and his coulter, and his axe, and his mattock.—1 SAM., ch. 13.

See other illustrations under :

CONQUEST.

Preparation for. [Twelve] to spy out the land of C. 1548
Unfortunate. Philistines took the ark of G. 1549
See SUBMISSION.

S407. SUBLIMITY, Descriptive. *Creation.* ² The earth was without form, and void; and darkness was upon the face of the deep. And the Spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters. ³ And God said, Let there be light: and there was light.—GEN., ch. 1.

S408. — — — *Poetic.* *Deliverance.* ⁸ With the blast of thy nostrils the waters were gathered together, the floods stood upright as a heap, and the depths, were congealed in the heart of the sea.—EX., ch. 15. [See chapter.]

S409. SUBMISSION in Bereavement. *Aaron's Sons.* ² There went out fire from the Lord, and devoured them, and they died before the Lord. ³ Then Moses said unto Aaron, This is it that the Lord spake, saying, I will be sanctified in them that come nigh me, and before all the people I will be glorified. And Aaron held his peace.—LEV., ch. 10.

S410. — — — *Child Dead.* ¹⁹ And they said, He is dead. ²⁰ Then David arose from the earth, and washed, and anointed himself, and changed his apparel, and came into the house of the Lord, and worshipped: then he came to his own house; and when he required, they set bread before him, and he did eat.—2 SAM., ch. 12.

S411. — — — *to Circumstances.* *Sailors.* ¹⁴ Not long after there arose against it a tempestuous wind, called Euroclydon. ¹⁵ And when the ship was caught, and could not bear up into the wind, we let her drive.—ACTS, ch. 27.

S412. — — — *difficult.* *Washing Feet.* ⁸ Peter saith..Thou shalt never wash my feet. Jesus answered him, If I wash thee not, thou hast no part with me. ⁹ Simon Peter saith..Lord, not my feet only, but also my hands and my head.—JOHN, ch. 13.

S413. — — — *Example of.* *Jesus.* ⁴¹ He went

away again the second time, and prayed, saying, O my Father, if this cup may not pass away from me, except I drink it, thy will be done.—*Mat.*, ch. 26.

8414. — *Humiliating. Syrians.* ²² They girded sackcloth on their loins, and put ropes on their heads, and came to the king of Israel, and said, Thy servant Benhadad saith, I pray thee, let me live.—2 *KINGS*, ch. 20.

8415. — *Painful. Jacob.* ¹¹ If it must be so now, do this; take of the best fruits in the land in your vessels, and carry down the man a present, a little balm, and a little honey, spices and myrrh, nuts and almonds: ¹³ Take also your brother, and arise, go again unto the man.—*GEN.*, ch. 43.

8416. — *to Punishment. Eli.* ¹³ I will judge his house for ever for the iniquity which he knoweth; because his sons made themselves vile, and he restrained them not. ¹⁸ And Samuel told him every whit, and hid nothing from him. And he said, It is the Lord: let him do what seemeth him good.—1 *SAM.*, ch. 3.

8417. — *to Providence. Hagar.* ⁸ Hagar . . whence camest thou? and whither wilt thou go? And she said, I flee from the face of my mistress Sarai. ⁹ And the angel of the Lord said unto her, Return to thy mistress, and submit thyself under her hands.—*GEN.*, ch. 16.

See other illustrations under:

PATIENCE.

Divine. Last of all, he sent his son 5994
Example. Consider him that endureth such 5995
labour. This year also . . I will dig about it 5996
Maintained. Come out, thou bloody man . . of B. 5997
Needful. Fret not thyself in any wise to do evil 5998
Picture of. The husbandman waiteth . . hath long 5999
Rewarded. He brought me out of the miry clay 6000
Refused. Have patience, and I will pay . . would not 6001
trial of. They despised Saul . . he held his peace 6002
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RESIGNATION.

Gereavement. David was comforted concerning 7192
Inevitable. If I be bereaved of my children, I am 7193
Pious. L. gave, and the L. hath taken away 7194
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Submission. When he would not be persuaded, we 7196

SUFFERING.

for Christ. [Paul and Silas] Laid many stripes 8448
Faithful. Were stoned . . sawn asunder, were 8449
Subdued. Bit the people . . died, therefore . . we 8451
Support. Sufferings of this present time not 8450

SUFFERINGS.

Apostolic. Five times . . stripes . . thrice . . shipwreck 8452
Chosen. Moses . . choosing rather to suffer . . than 8453
Recompensed. Moses . . had respect unto the 8454
Sacred. Remove this cup . . not my will [Jesus] 8455

SURRENDER.

Absolute. I count all things but loss for . . the k. 8503
Bodily. Yieldeth their bodies that . . not serve any 8504
Christian. May know . . fellowship of his sufferings 8506
Entire. One thing thou lackest . . sell . . give . . follow 8506
Full. Whosoever . . forsaketh not all . . disciple 8507
Fear. We will do all that thou shalt bid us 8508
Moral. What things were gain to me, I counted I. 8509
Power. We have not used this power . . lest we 8510
Resisted. When he saw him, the spirit tare him 8511
Sins. If thy right hand offend thee . . cast it 8512

Sacrifice. Widow . . cast in . . all her living 8513
Undivided. Our cattle shall also go with us 8514
Weak. King Ahab said, My Lord, O King, I am 8515

Sorrowful. If I am bereaved, I am bereaved 743
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8418. *SUBSTITUTE, An inferior. Shields.* ²⁶ He took away all the shields of gold which Solomon had made. ²⁷ And king Rehoboam made in their stead brazen shields, and committed them unto the hands of the chief of the guard, which kept the door of the king's house.—1 *KINGS*, ch. 14.

8419. — *The Lord's. For Firstborn.* ²² They shall take to them every man a lamb, according to the house of their fathers, a lamb for an house: ²⁹ . . at midnight the Lord smote all the firstborn in the land of Egypt.—*Ex.*, ch. 12.

8420. — *A timely. Sacrifice.* ¹³ Abraham lifted up his eyes, and looked, and behold behind him a ram caught in a thicket by his horns . . and offered him up for a burnt offering in the stead of his son.—*GEN.*, ch. 22.

8421. *SUBSTITUTION, Official. Aaron.* ¹² Go, and I will be with thy mouth, and teach thee what thou shalt say. ¹³ And he said, O my Lord, send, I pray thee, by the hand of him whom thou wilt send. ¹⁴ And the anger of the Lord was kindled against Moses, and he said, Is not Aaron the Levite thy brother? I know that he can speak well.—*Ex.*, ch. 4.

8422. — *Personal. Judah.* ²³ Thy servant became surety for the lad unto my father, saying, If I bring him not unto thee, then I shall bear the blame to my father for ever. ²⁴ . . let thy servant abide instead of the lad a bondman to my lord; and let the lad go up with his brethren.—*GEN.*, ch. 44.

8423. *SUBSIDY, Holy Things for. From Temple.* ⁸ Ahaz took the silver and gold that was found in the house of the Lord, and in the treasures of the king's house, and sent it for a present to the king of Assyria. ⁹ And the king of Assyria hearkened unto him . . went up against Damascus, and took it.—2 *KINGS*, ch. 16.

See other illustrations under:

TRIBUTE.

Sheep. King of Moab rendered . . 100,000 lambs 8622
Useless. Ahaz took a portion . . but he helped . . not 8624
See TAX.

8424. *SUBTLETY, Deception by. Jacob's Sons.* ²¹ They took Joseph's coat, and killed a kid of the goats, and dipped the coat in the blood; ²² And they sent the coat of many colours . . to their father; and said, This have we found: know now whether it be thy son's coat or no.—*GEN.*, ch. 37.

See other illustrations under:

TRICK.

Diplomatic. From a very far country are . . come 8625
Hypocrites. Feign themselves just men . . might 8626
Legerdemain. Magicians . . rods became serpents 8627
Politicians. Shall ask a petition . . save of thee 8628

8425. *SUCCESS, Business. Jacob.* ⁴³ The man increased exceedingly, and had much cattle, and maidservants, and menservants, and camels, and asses.—*GEN.*, ch. 30.

8426. — *Change.* ⁹ Jacob said, O God of my father Abraham, and . . Isaac, the Lord which saidst unto me, Return unto thy country..

¹⁰ . . with my staff I passed over this Jordan ; and now I am become two bands.—GEN., ch. 32.

8427. — — *Joseph.* ³⁷ All countries came into Egypt to Joseph for to buy corn ; because that the famine was so sore in all lands.—GEN., ch. 41.

8428. — *Deluded by. Benjamites.* ²² The children of Benjamin said, They are smitten down before us, as at the first. But the children of Israel said, Let us flee, and draw them from the city unto the highways.—JUDGES, ch. 20.

8429. — *Dangers of. Three Hundred.* ² The Lord said unto Gideon, The people that are with thee are too many for me to give the Midianites into their hands, lest Israel vaunt themselves against me, saying, Mine own hand hath saved me.—JUDGES, ch. 7.

8430. — *Determination for. Palsy.* ⁴ When they could not come nigh unto him for the press, they uncovered the roof where he was : and when they had broken it up, they let down the bed wherein the sick of the palsy lay.—MARK, ch. 2.

8431. — *by Earnestness. Bartimeus.* ⁴⁸ Many charged him that he should hold his peace ; but he cried the more a great deal, Thou Son of David, have mercy on me. ⁵⁰ And he, casting away his garment, rose, and came to Jesus.—MARK, ch. 10.

8432. — *Enemies from. Nehemiah.* ¹ When Sanballat, and Tobiah, and the Arabians, and the Ammonites, and the Ashdodites, heard that the walls of Jerusalem were made up, and that the breaches began to be stopped, then they were very wroth, ⁸ And conspired all of them together to come and to fight against Jerusalem, and to hinder it.—NEH., ch. 4.

8433. — *Faith measures. Blind Men.* ²⁸ The blind men came to him : and Jesus saith . . Believe ye that I am able to do this ? They said . . Yea, Lord. ²⁹ Then touched he their eyes, saying, According to your faith be it unto you.—MAT., ch. 9.

8434. — *Failure of. Lost Soul.* ³⁶ What is a man profited, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul ? or what shall a man give in exchange for his soul ?—MAT., ch. 16.

8435. — *from God only. Preaching.* ⁶ I have planted, Apollos watered ; but God gave the increase. ⁷ So then neither is he that planteth any thing, neither he that watereth ; but God that giveth the increase.—1 COR., ch. 3.

8436. — *by God's Blessing. Rod.* ⁸ On the morrow Moses went into the tabernacle . . and, behold, the rod of Aaron for the house of Levi was budded, and brought forth buds, and bloomed blossoms, and yielded almonds.—NUM., ch. 17.

8437. — *Guided by. Sinners.* ¹⁷ Then had we plenty of victuals, and were well, and saw no evil. ¹⁸ But since we left off to burn incense to the queen of heaven, and to pour out drink offerings unto her, we have wanted all things.—JER., ch. 44.

8438. — *Humility in. David.* ¹⁴ David behaved himself wisely in all his ways ; and the Lord was with him. ¹⁵ Wherefore when Saul saw that he behaved himself very wisely, he was afraid of him. ¹⁶ But all Israel and Judah loved

David, because he went out and came in before them.—1 SAM., ch. 18.

8439. — *Humiliation in. Israelites.* ³ The people gat them by stealth that day into the city, as people being ashamed steal away when they flee in battle. ⁴ But the king covered his face, and the king cried with a loud voice, O my son Absalom ! O Absalom, my son, my son !—2 SAM., ch. 19.

8440. — *Ministerial. Pentecost.* ⁴¹ They that gladly received his word were baptized : and the same day there were added unto them about three thousand souls.—ACTS, ch. 2.

8441. — *Piety favours. Joshua.* ⁶ This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth ; but thou shalt meditate therein day and night, that thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein : for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success.—JOSH., ch. 1.

8442. — — *Jotham.* ² He did that which was right in the sight of the Lord, according to all that his father Uzziah did . . ⁴ Moreover he built cities in the mountains of Judah, and in the forests he built castles and towers.—2 CHRON., ch. 27.

8443. — *promotes Selfishness. Spoil.* ²² Men of Belial . . said, Because they went not with us, we will not give them *ought* of the spoil that we have recovered, save to every man his wife and his children . . ²³ Then said David, Ye shall not do so . . ²⁴ . . as his part is that goeth down to the battle, so shall his part be that tarrieth by the stuff : they shall part alike.—1 SAM., ch. 30. [All had been lost.]

8444. — *Strife from. Servants.* ⁵ Lot also, which went with Abram, had flocks, and herds, and tents, ⁶ And the land was not able to bear them, that they might dwell together : for their substance was great, so that they could not dwell together. ⁷ And there was a strife.—GEN., ch. 13.

8445. — *Trouble from. Ark captured.* ¹¹ The lords of the Philistines . . said, Send away the ark of the God of Israel, and let it go again to his own place, that it slay us not, and our people : for there was a deadly destruction throughout all the city ; the hand of God was very heavy there.—1 SAM., ch. 5.

See PROSPERITY and VICTORY.

8446. SUCCESSION, Ministerial. *At Corinth.* ⁶ I have planted, Apollos watered ; but God gave the increase.—1 COR., ch. 3.

8447. — *Official. Joshua.* ² Moses my servant is dead ; now therefore arise, go over this Jordan, thou, and all this people, unto the land which I do give to them.—JOSH., ch. 1.

8448. SUFFERING for Christ. *At Philippi* ²² When they had laid many stripes upon them, they cast them into prison, charging the jailer to keep them safely : ²⁴ Who . . thrust them into the inner prison, and made their feet fast in the stocks.—ACTS, ch. 16.

8449. — *Faithful in. Martyrs.* ²⁶ Others had trial of cruel mockings and scourgings, yea, moreover of bonds and imprisonment : ²⁷ They were stoned, they were sawn asunder, were tempted, were slain with the sword : they wandered about in sheepskins and goatskins ; being destitute, afflicted, tormented. . . ²⁹ And these all,

having obtained a good report through faith.—*HEB.*, ch. 11.

8450. — *Support under.* "Glory." ¹¹ If so be that we suffer with him, that we may be also glorified together. ¹⁸ For I reckon that the sufferings of this present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us.—*ROM.*, ch. 8.

8451. — *Subdued by.* *Israelites.* The Lord sent fiery serpents among the people, and they bit the people; and much people of Israel died. ¹ Therefore the people..said, We have sinned, for we have spoken against the Lord, and against thee.—*NUM.*, ch. 21.

8452. *SUFFERINGS, Apostolic.* *Paul.* ³⁴ Of the Jews five times received I forty stripes save one. ²⁸ Thrice was I beaten with rods, once was I stoned, thrice I suffered shipwreck, a night and a day I have been in the deep.—2 *COR.*, ch. 11.

8453. — *chosen.* *Moses* ²⁴ Refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter; ²⁵ Choosing rather to suffer affliction with the people of God, than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season.—*HEB.*, ch. 11.

8454. — *recompensed.* *Moses.* [See No. 8453.] ²⁴ Esteeming the reproach of Christ greater riches than the treasures in Egypt: for he had respect unto the recompense of the reward.—*HEB.*, ch. 11.

8455. — *Sacred.* *Garden.* ⁴⁸ Father, if thou be willing, remove this cup from me: nevertheless, not my will, but thine, be done. ⁴⁴ And being in an agony he prayed more earnestly: and his sweat was as it were great drops of blood falling down to the ground.—*LUKE*, ch. 22.

See other illustrations under:

CRUELTY.

Ambition. [Athaliah] saw her son was dead 1857
Brutal. 16,000 men..did Judah..cast from the r. 1858
Failure. Egyptians set taskmasters to afflict 1859
Insulting. Herod's soldiers smote him..spit on 1860
Pride. Mordecai bowed not..Haman sought to 1861
Reward. He that is cruel troubleth his own flesh 1862
Savage. Slew..the sons of Hezekiah before his e. 1863
War. [Joab] put them under saws..harrows of i. 1864

TORTURE.

Hell. I am tormented in this flame 8852
Jesus. Crown of thorns..spit upon him..smote 8855
Prisoners. Elders of the city and thorns..briers 8853
" Put them under saws..harrows 8854

TRIALS.

Business. Day the drought consumed me..frost 8923
Backsliding. Who shall give us flesh to eat 8924
Blessing. Blessed are ye when men shall revile y. 8925
" I am exceeding joyful in all our t. 8948
Comfort. David encouraged himself in his G. 8926
Confidence. I am persuaded..be able to separate 8927
Darkness. I cry out of wrong, but I am not heard 8930
after Deliverance. From the Red Sea..no water 8929
Despair. There was a great earthquake..sun 8946
Encouragement. Work out..far more exceeding 8931
Fellow. Three days in the wilderness..no water 8929
Hope. I know that my Redeemer liveth 8932
" Why art thou cast down, O my soul? 8933
Joyful. Took joyfully the spoiling of your goods 8935
Multipled. All my inward friends abhorred me 8936
" In labours more abundant..stripes 8940
Overburdened. Burden of all this people on me 8937

Recompensed. These..came out of great t. 8949
Rest. Came to Elim..12 wells..70 palm trees 8938
Severe. In labours..stripes..prison..deaths 8940
" In weariness, painfulness..in watchings 8942
" We hunger and thirst, and are naked 8939
" In perils of waters..robbers..heathen 8941
Use. Nations which the L. left to prove Israel 8943
" Branch that beareth not fruit..purgeth it 8944
Victory. In all..more than conquerors..loved 8945
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Bribery. Entice him..where his great strength lieth 892
Dangerous. [Babel] This they begin to do..nothing 894
See ADVERSITY, AFFLICTION, GRIEF.

8456. *SUICIDE* Imitated. *Armourbearer.* [See No. 8459.] ⁴ When his armourbearer saw that Saul was dead, he fell likewise upon his sword, and died with him.—1 *SAM.*, ch. 31.

8457. — *from Mortification.* *Ahithophel.* ³³ When Ahithophel saw that his counsel was not followed, he saddled his ass..and gat him home to his house, to his city, and put his household in order, and hanged himself.—2 *SAM.*, ch. 17.

8458. — *prevented.* *At Philippi.* ²¹ The keeper of the prison awaking out of his sleep, and seeing the prison doors open, he drew out his sword, and would have killed himself, supposing that the prisoners had been fled. ²² But Paul cried with a loud voice, saying, Do thyself no harm: for we are all here.—*ACTS*, ch. 16.

8459. — *A Soldier's.* *Saul.* ³ Archers hit him; and he was sore wounded. ⁴ Then said Saul unto his armourbearer, Draw thy sword, and thrust me through therewith; lest these uncircumcised come and thrust me through, and abuse me. But his armourbearer would not, for he was sore afraid. Therefore Saul took a sword, and fell upon it.—1 *SAM.*, ch. 31.

8460. — *A Traitor's.* *Judas.* ⁵ He cast down the pieces of silver in the temple, and departed, and went and hanged himself.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

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8461. *SULLENNESS* from Envy. *Laban.* ¹⁰ Of that which was our father's hath he gotten all this glory. ² And Jacob beheld the countenance of Laban, and, behold, it was not toward him as before.—*GEN.*, ch. 31.

8462. *SUMMER, Approach of.* *Flowers.* ¹¹ For, lo, the winter is past, the rain is over and gone; ¹² The flowers appear on the earth; the time of the singing of birds is come, and the voice of the turtle is heard in our land.—*SONG OF SOLOMON*, ch. 2.

8463. — *Leaves.* ³² Learn a parable of the fig tree; When his branch is yet tender, and putteth forth leaves, ye know that summer is nigh.—*MAT.*, ch. 24.

8464. *SUN* arrested, *The.* *Joshua* ¹¹ Said in the sight of Israel, Sun, stand thou still upon Gibeon; and thou, Moon, in the valley of Ajalon. ¹³ And the sun stood still, and the moon stayed, until the people had avenged themselves upon their enemies.—*JOSE.*, ch. 10.

8465. — *Gifts to the.* *Idolatrous.* ¹¹ Josiah took away the horses that the kings of Judah had given to the sun, at the entering in of the

house of the Lord. . . and burned the chariots of the sun with fire.—2 KINGS, ch. 23.

8466. — A healing. *Of Righteousness.* ² Unto you that fear my name shall the Sun of righteousness arise with healing in his wings.—*MAL.*, ch. 4.

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8468. — a Symbol. *Christian.* ⁴⁸ Then shall the righteous shine forth as the sun in the kingdom of their father.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

8469. — — *God.* ¹¹ The Lord God is a sun and shield : the Lord will give grace and glory : no good thing will he withhold from them that walk uprightly.—*PS.* 84.

8470. SUPEREROGATION, Works of. None. ⁸ Make ready wherewith I may sup, and gird thyself, and serve me, till I have eaten and drunken ; ⁹ Doth he thank that servant. . . I trow not. ¹⁰ So likewise ye, when ye shall have done all those things which are commanded you, ¹¹ . . . We are unprofitable servants : we have done that which was our duty to do.—*LUKE*, ch. 17.

8471. SUPERIORITY claimed. *Peter.* ²³ Peter . . . Though all men shall be offended because of thee, yet will I never be offended. ³⁴ Jesus said unto him, Verily I say unto thee, that this night, before the cock crow, thou shalt deny me thrice.—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

8472. — manifested. *To Egyptians.* ¹² They cast down every man his rod, and they became serpents : but Aaron's rod swallowed up their rods.—*EX.*, ch. 7.

8473. — — *Rod budded.* ⁸ On the morrow Moses went into the tabernacle of witness ; and, behold, the rod of Aaron for the house of Levi was budded, and brought forth buds, and bloomed blossoms, and yielded almonds.—*NUM.*, ch. 17.

8474. — unclaimed. *Peter.* ¹⁸ When they had dined, Jesus saith. Simon, son of Jonas, lovest thou me more than these ? He saith unto him, Yea, Lord ; thou knowest that I love thee.—*JOHN*, ch. 21.

8475. SUPERSTITION, Credulous. Lystrians. ¹¹ The gods are come down to us in the likeness of men. ¹² And they called Barnabas, Jupiter ; and Paul, Mercurius, because he was the chief speaker. ¹³ Then the priest of Jupiter. . . brought oxen and garlands unto the gates, and would have done sacrifice with the people.—*ACTS*, ch. 14.

8476. — A fatal. *Syrians.* ²³ The servants of the king of Syria said unto him, Their gods are gods of the hills ; therefore they were stronger than we ; but let us fight against them in the plain, and surely we shall be stronger than they.—1 KINGS, ch. 20.

8477. — A grievous. *Lystrians.* ¹⁴ Barnabas and Paul. . . rent their clothes, and ran in among the people, crying out, ¹⁵ And saying, Sirs, why do ye these things ? We also are men of like passions with you, and preach unto you that ye should turn from these vanities unto the living God.—*ACTS*, ch. 14.

8478. — from Ignorance. *Paul* ⁵ Shook off the beast into the fire, and felt no harm.

⁶ Howbeit they looked when he should have swollen, or fallen down dead suddenly : but after they had looked a great while, and saw no harm come to him, they changed their minds, and said that he was a god.—*ACTS*, ch. 28.

8479. — Mistake of. *Barbarians.* ³ A viper out of the heat. . . fastened on his hand. ⁴ And when the barbarians saw the venomous beast hang on his hand, they said among themselves, No doubt this man is a murderer.—*ACTS*, ch. 28.

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8481. SURETY, Brother's. Additional. ⁸ Judah said. . . Send the lad with me, and we will arise and go ; that we may live, and not die, both we, and thou, and also our little ones. ⁹ I will be surety for him.—*GEN.*, ch. 43.

8482. — — *Joseph said,* ¹⁹ If ye be true men, let one of your brethren be bound in the house of your prison : go ye, carry corn for the famine of your houses : ²⁰ But bring your youngest brother.—*GEN.*, ch. 42.

8483. — Dangerous. *Proverb.* ¹⁵ He that is surety for a stranger shall smart for it : and he that hateth suretiship is sure.—*PROV.*, ch. 11.

8484. — Folly of. *Proverb.* ¹ My son, if thou be surety for thy friend, if thou hast stricken thy hand with a stranger, ² Thou art snared with the words of thy mouth, thou art taken with the words of thy mouth.—*PROV.*, ch. 6.

8485. — offered. *Reuben.* ³⁷ Slay my two sons, if I bring him not to thee : deliver him into my hand, and I will bring him to thee again. ³⁸ And he said, My son shall not go down with you.—*GEN.*, ch. 42.

8486. — A painful. *Simon.* ²⁴ He turned himself about from them, and wept ; and returned to them again, and communed with them, and took from them Simeon, and bound him before their eyes.—*GEN.*, ch. 42.

8487. — A precious. *Jesus.* ²² By so much was Jesus made a surety of a better testament.—*HEB.*, ch. 7.

8488. SURPRISE, Appalling. *Haman.* ⁶ Haman thought in his heart, To whom would the king delight to do honour more than to myself ? . . . ¹⁰ Then the king said to Haman, Make haste, and take the apparel and the horse, as thou hast said, and do even so to Mordecai the Jew. . . let nothing fail of all that thou hast spoken.—*ESTHER*, ch. 6.

8489. — Astonishing. *Escape.* ²⁸ Behold, the men whom ye put in prison are standing in the temple, and teaching the people.—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

8490. — in Choice. *David.* ¹¹ Samuel said unto Jesse, Are here all thy children ? And he

said, There remaineth yet the youngest, and, behold, he keepeth the sheep. ¹⁹ And he sent, and brought him in. Now he was ruddy, and withal of a beautiful countenance, and goodly to look to. And the Lord said, Arise, anoint him : for this is he.—1 SAM., ch. 16.

8491. — of Conspirators. *Adonijah's Friends.* ⁴³ Jonathan answered. . . Adonijah, Verily our lord king David hath made Solomon king. . . ⁴⁹ And all the guests that were with Adonijah were afraid, and rose up, and went every man his way.—1 KINGS, ch. 1.

8492. — Conquest by. *Gideon.* ²⁰ They cried, The sword of the Lord, and of Gideon. ²¹ And they stood every man in his place round about the camp : and all the host ran, and cried, and fled. ²² And the three hundred blew the trumpets, and the Lord set every man's sword against his fellow.—JUDGES, ch. 7.

8493. — Family. *Jesse's.* ¹ Go, I will send thee to Jesse the Beth-lehemite : for I have provided me a king among his sons. ² And Samuel said, How can I go? if Saul hear it, he will kill me.—1 SAM., ch. 16.

8494. — Great. *Mordecai.* ¹⁵ Mordecai went out from the presence of the king in royal apparel of blue and white, and with a great crown of gold, and with a garment of fine linen and purple : and the city of Shushan rejoiced.—ESTHER, ch. 8.

8495. — Needless. *Armediluvians.* ²¹ They did eat, they drank, they married wives, they were given in marriage, until the day that Noe entered into the ark, and the flood came, and destroyed them all.—LUKE, ch. 17.

8496. — Providential. *Joseph.* ⁴ I am Joseph your brother, whom ye sold into Egypt. ⁶ . . be not grieved, nor angry with yourselves, that ye sold me hither : for God did send me before you to preserve life.—GEN., ch. 45.

8497. — from Rejection. *Eliab.* ⁶ He looked on Eliab, and said, Surely the Lord's anointed is before him. ⁷ But the Lord said unto Samuel, Look not on his countenance, or of the height of his stature ; because I have refused him : for the Lord seeth not as a man seeth ; for man looketh on the outward appearance, but the Lord looketh on the heart.—1 SAM., ch. 16.

8498. — Speechless. *Brothers.* ² He wept aloud : and the Egyptians and the house of Pharaoh heard. ³ And Joseph said. . . I am Joseph ; doth my father yet live? And his brethren could not answer him ; for they were troubled at his presence.—GEN., ch. 45.

8499. — of the Worldly. *Sodomites.* ²⁸ As it was in the days of Lot ; they did eat, they drank, they bought, they sold, they planted, they builded ; ²⁹ But the same day that Lot went out of Sodom it rained fire and brimstone from heaven, and destroyed them all.—LUKE, ch. 17.

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8502. — Sinners. ⁴⁴ Then shall they also answer him, saying, Lord, when saw we thee. . . ⁴⁵ Then shall he answer them. . . Inasmuch as ye did it not to one of the least of these, ye did it not to me.—MAT., ch. 25.

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8504. — Bodily. *Hebrews.* ²⁸ Then Nebuchadnezzar. . . said, Blessed be the God of Shadrach, Meshach, and Abed-nego, who hath sent his angel, and delivered his servants that trusted in him, and have changed the king's word, and yielded their bodies, that they might not serve nor worship any god, except their own God.—DAN., ch. 3.

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8507. — Of All. ²³ Whosoever he be of you that forsaketh not all that he hath, he cannot be my disciple.—LUKE, ch. 14.

8508. — through Fear. *Rulers of Jeruel.* ⁶ He that was over the city, the elders also, and the bringers up of the children, sent to Jehu, saying, We are thy servants, and will do all that thou shalt bid us ; we will not make any king : do thou that which is good in thine eyes.—2 KINGS, ch. 10.

8509. — Moral. *Paul.* ⁴ If any other man thinketh that he hath whereof he might trust in the flesh, I more. . . ⁷ But what things were gain to me, those I counted loss for Christ.—PHIL., ch. 3.

8510. — of Power. *Paul.* ¹³ If others be partakers of this power over you, are not we

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8513. — in sacrifice. *"Two Miles."* ⁴¹ This poor widow hath cast more in, than all they which have cast into the treasury. ⁴⁴ For all they did cast in of their abundance; but she of her want did cast in all that she had, even all her living.—**MARK**, ch. 9.

8514. — Undivided. *Pharaoh.* ²⁴ Go ye, serve the Lord; only let your flocks and your herds be stayed. ²⁶ Our cattle also shall go with us; there shall not a hoof be left behind.—**EX.**, ch. 10.

8515. — A weak. *Ahab.* ³ Thus saith Ben-hadad, ³ Thy silver and thy gold is mine; thy wives also and thy children, even the goodliest, are mine. ⁴ And the king of Israel answered. My lord, O king, according to thy saying, I am thine, and all that I have.—1 **KINGS**, ch. 20.

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8517. — Cruel. *Saul's.* ¹³ Why have ye conspired against me, thou and the son of Jesse, in that thou hast given him bread, and a sword, and hast inquired of God for him, that he should rise against me, to lie in wait, ¹³ at this day? ¹⁴ Then Ahimelech answered the king.. who is so faithful among all thy servants as David.—1 **SAM.**, ch. 22. [Saul killed him.]

8518. — corrected. *Joseph.* ¹⁹ Joseph her husband, being a just man, and not willing to make her a public example, was minded to put her away privily. ²⁰.. the angel of the Lord appeared unto him in a dream, saying, Joseph, thou son of David, fear not to take unto thee Mary thy wife: for that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Ghost.—**MAT.**, ch. 1.

8519. — Deterred by. *David.* ² David and his men passed on in the rearward with Achish. ³ Then said the princes of the Philistines, What do these Hebrews here? And Achish said.. Is not this David, the servant of Saul the king of Israel, which hath been with me.. these years, and I have found no fault with him.—1 **SAM.**, ch. 29.

8520. — Evil of. *Hanun.* [See No. 8526.] ¹ Wherefore Hanun took David's servants, and shaved off the one half of their beards, and cut

off their garments in the middle, even to their buttocks, and sent them away.—2 **SAM.**, ch. 10.

8521. — Groundless. *King of Syria.* ¹¹ The heart of the king of Syria was sore troubled for this thing; and he called his servants, and said.. Will ye not shew me which of us is for the king of Israel? ¹² And one.. said, None, my lord, O king: but Elisha, the prophet.—2 **KINGS**, ch. 6.

8522. — Painful. *Brothers'.* ¹⁸ When Joseph's brethren saw that their father was dead, they said, Joseph will peradventure hate us, and will certainly requite us all the evil which we did unto him.—**GEN.**, ch. 50.

8523. — removed. *Joseph.* ¹⁹ Joseph said unto them, Fear not: for am I in the place of God? ²⁰ But as for you, ye thought evil against me; but God meant it unto good, to bring to pass, as it is this day, to save much people alive.—**GEN.**, ch. 50.

8524. — Sagacious. *Philistines.* ⁴ The princes of the Philistines were wroth.. said unto him, Make this fellow return.. and let him not go down with us to battle, lest in the battle he be an adversary to us: for wherewith should he reconcile himself unto his master? should it not be with the heads of these men?—1 **SAM.**, ch. 29.

8525. — Unwarranted. *Joab said,* ²⁵ Abner the son of Ner.. came to deceive thee, and to know thy going out and thy coming in, and to know all that thou doest.—2 **SAM.**, ch. 3. [He came to surrender to David.]

8526. — — *Hanun's.* ³ Said David, I will shew kindness unto Hanun the son of Naaash, as his father shewed kindness unto me. And David sent to comfort him by the hand of his servants for his father. ³.. hath not David rather sent his servants unto thee, to search the city, and to spy it out, and to overthrow it?—2 **SAM.**, ch. 10.

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8528. — Royal. *Solomon.* ²² Solomon's provision for one day was thirty measures of fine flour, and threescore measures of meal, ²³ Ten fat oxen, and twenty oxen out of the pastures, and a hundred sheep, besides harts, and roebucks, and fallow deer, and fatted fowl.—1 KINGS, ch. 4.

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8529. SWEAT of Blood. *Jesus.* ⁴⁴ Being in an agony he prayed more earnestly: and his sweat was as it were great drops of blood falling down to the ground.—LUKE, ch. 22.

8530. — of Toll. *Curse.* ¹⁵ Thorns also and thistles shall it bring forth to thee; and thou shalt eat the herb of the field: ¹⁹ In the sweat of thy face shalt thou eat bread, till thou return unto the ground.—GEN., ch. 3.

8531. SWORD, A flaming. *Eden.* ²⁴ He drove out the man: and he placed at the east of the garden of Eden cherubim, and a flaming sword which turned every way, to keep the way of the tree of life.—GEN., ch. 3.

8532. — The Lord's. *Lord and Gideon.* ²⁰ And the three companies blew the trumpets, and brake the pitchers, and held the lamps in their left hands, and the trumpets in their right hands to blow *withal*: and they cried, The sword of the Lord, and of Gideon. ²¹ And they stood every man in his place round about the camp: and all the host ran, and cried, and fled.—JUDGES, ch. 7.

8533. — Memorial. *Goliath.* ⁹ The priest said, The sword of Goliath the Philistine, whom thou slewest... it is here wrapped in a cloth behind the ephod: if thou wilt take that, take it: for there is no other save that here. And David said, There is none like that; give it me.—1 SAM., ch. 21.

8534. — Ominous. *Drawn.* ¹⁵ The angel of the Lord stood by the threshingfloor of Ornan the Jebusite. ¹⁶ And David saw the angel of the Lord stand between the earth and the heaven, having a drawn sword in his hand stretched out over Jerusalem. Then David and the elders of Israel, who were clothed in sackcloth, fell upon their faces.—1 CHRON., ch. 21.

8535. — — Entering Canaan. ¹³ Joshua was by Jericho... behold, there stood a man over against him with his sword drawn in his hand: and Joshua went unto him, and said unto him, Art thou for us, or for our adversaries?—JOSEPH., ch. 5.

8536. — for Punishment. *Fear.* ⁸ Ye have feared the sword; and I will bring a sword upon you, saith the Lord God.—EZEK., ch. 11.

8537. — rejected. *The. Peter's.* ³¹ Struck a servant of the high priest, and smote off his ear. ³² Then said Jesus... Put up again thy sword into his place: for all they that take the sword shall perish with the sword.—MAT., ch. 26.

8538. — of the Spirit. *Word of God.* ¹¹ Take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.—EPA., ch. 6.

8539. — — Effective. ¹² The word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any twoedged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discernor of the thoughts and intents of the heart.—HEB., ch. 4.

8540. — The sharpest. *Wicked.* ⁴ The sons of men, whose teeth are spears and arrows, and their tongue a sharp sword.—PS., 57.

8541. — — Proverb. ¹⁶ There is that speaketh like the piercings of a sword: but the tongue of the wise is health.—PROV., ch. 12.

8542. SWORDS, Fallen. *Benjamites.* ⁴⁴ All which fell that day of Benjamin were twenty and five thousand men that drew the sword; all these were men of valour.—JUDGES, ch. 20.

8543. — necessary. *Ploughshares.* ¹⁶ Beat your ploughshares into swords, and your pruninghooks into spears: let the weak say, I am strong.—JOEL, ch. 3.

8544. — transformed. *Ploughshares.* ⁴ He shall judge among the nations, and shall rebuke many people: and they shall beat their swords into ploughshares, and their spears into pruninghooks: nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more.—ISA., ch. 2.

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8545. SYMPATHY abundant. *At Cesarea.* ¹² When we heard these things, both we, and they of that place, besought him not to go up to Jerusalem. ¹³ Then Paul answered, What mean ye to weep and to break mine heart? for I am ready not to be bound only, but also to die at Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus.—ACTS, ch. 21.

8546. — in Bereavement. *Jesus.* ¹² There was a dead man carried out, the only son of his mother, and she was a widow: and much people of the city was with her. ¹³ And when the Lord saw her, he had compassion on her, and said unto her, Weep not.—LUKE, ch. 7.

8547. — — Martha and Mary. ¹² Many of the Jews came to Martha and Mary, to comfort them concerning their brother.—JOHN, ch. 11.

8548. — Deed of. *Moses.* ²⁴ Seeing one of them suffer wrong, he defended him, and avenged him... and smote the Egyptian: ²⁵ For he supposed his brethren would have understood how that God by his hand would deliver them; but they understood not.—ACTS, ch. 7. [A taskmaster scourging a slave.]

8549. — distrusted. *David's.* ³ The princes of the children of Ammon said unto Hanun their lord, Thinkest thou that David doth honour thy father, that he hath sent comforters unto thee? hath not David rather sent his servants unto thee, to search the city, and to spy it out, and to overthrow it?—2 SAM., ch. 10. [David's messengers were shamefully abused. See No. 8556.]

8550. — by the Eye. *Jeremiah.* ¹¹ Mine eye affecteth mine heart, because of all the daughters of my city.—LAM., ch. 3.

8551. — from Experience. *Jesus.* [See No. 8555.]

8552. — for the Erring. *Brotherly.* ⁶ Saf-

ficient to such a man is this punishment, which was inflicted of many. ¹ So that contrariwise ye ought rather to forgive him, and comfort him, lest perhaps such a one should be swallowed up with overmuch sorrow. ² Wherefore I beseech you that ye would confirm your love toward him. —2 Cor., ch. 2.

8553. — — *Brotherly.* ¹¹ If any man obey not our word by this epistle, note that man, and have no company with him, that he may be ashamed. ¹⁵ Yet count him not as an enemy, but admonish him as a brother. —2 THESS., ch. 3.

8554. — *forbidden. Murderer.* ¹¹ If any man hate his neighbour, and lie in wait for him, and smite him mortally, and fleeth into one of these cities: ¹² Then the elders of his city shall deliver him into the hand of the avenger of blood, that he may die. ¹³ Thine eye shall not pity him. —DEUT., ch. 19.

8555. — *in Heaven. Jesus.* ¹⁵ We have not a high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin. ¹⁶ Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need. —HEB., ch. 4.

8556. — *ill-rewarded. Hanun.* ⁴ Wherefore Hanun took David's servants, and shaved off the one half of their beards, and cut off their garments in the middle, even to their buttocks, and sent them away. —2 SAM., ch. 10.

8557. — *for Jesus. Women.* ²⁶ They laid the cross, that he might bear it after Jesus. ³¹ And there followed him a great company of people, and of women, which also bewailed and lamented him. —LUKE, ch. 23.

8558. — *manifested. Job's Friends.* [See No. 8567.]

8559. — *Offices of. Job.* ¹⁵ I was eyes to the blind, and feet was I to the lame. ¹⁶ I was a father to the poor: and the cause which I knew not I searched out. ¹⁷ And I brake the jaws of the wicked, and plucked the spoil out of his teeth. —JOB, ch. 29.

8560. — *Power of. Pharaoh's Daughter.* ⁴ When she had opened it, she saw the child: and, behold, the babe wept. And she had compassion on him, and said, This is one of the Hebrews' children. —EX., ch. 2.

8561. — *Public. Naomi.* ¹⁹ When they were come to Beth-lehem, all the city was moved about them, and they said, Is this Naomi? ²⁰ And she said, Call me not Naomi, call me Mara: for the Almighty hath dealt very bitterly with me. ²¹ I went out full, and the Lord hath brought me home again empty. —RUTH, ch. 1.

8562. — — *Widows.* [See Nos. 8546, 8561.]

8563. — *Practical. Samaritan.* ²³ A certain Samaritan came where he was; and when he saw him he had compassion on him, ²⁴ And went to him, and bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine, and set him on his own beast, and brought him to an inn, and took care of him. —LUKE, ch. 10.

8564. — *Power of. On Paul.* [See No. 8545.]

8565. — *Return of. Jesus.* ²⁸ Jesus turning unto them said, Daughters of Jerusalem,

weep not for me, but weep for yourselves, and for your children. ²⁹ For, behold, the days are coming. —LUKE, ch. 23.

8566. — *Sentimental. Wounded Man.* ³² Likewise a Levite, when he was at the place, came and looked on him, and passed by on the other side. —LUKE, ch. 10.

8567. — *Silent. Job's Friends.* ¹³ They lifted up their voice, and wept; and they rent every one his mantle, and sprinkled dust upon their heads toward heaven. ¹⁵ So they sat down with him upon the ground seven days and seven nights, and none spake a word unto him: for they saw that his grief was very great. —JOB, ch. 3.

8568. — *Tender. Jeremiah.* ¹ Oh that my head were waters, and mine eyes a fountain of tears, that I might weep day and night for the slain of the daughter of my people! —JER., ch. 9.

8569. — — *Weeping.* ⁴⁸ Mine eye runneth down with rivers of water for the destruction of the daughter of my people. ⁴⁹ Mine eye trickleth down, and ceaseth not, without any intermission, ⁵⁰ Till the Lord look down, and behold from heaven. —LAM., ch. 3.

8570. — *Touched with. Jesus.* ²² Mary fell down at his feet, saying unto him, Lord if thou hadst been here, my brother had not died. ³³ When Jesus therefore saw her weeping, and the Jews also weeping which came with her, he groaned in the spirit, and was troubled. —JOHN, ch. 11.

8571. — *Unshaken by. Paul.* [See No. 8545.]

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8572. SYSTEM, Benevolent. Zaccheus. ⁶ Zaccheus stood, and said unto the Lord; Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor. —LUKE, ch. 19.

8573. — condemned. *Moses.* ¹⁶ When they have a matter, they come unto me, and I judge between one and another, and I do make them know the statutes of God, and his laws. ¹⁷ And Moses' father in law said, . . . The thing that thou doest is not good. ¹⁸ Thou wilt surely wear away, both thou, and this people that is with thee: for this thing is too heavy for thee. —Ex., ch. 18.

8574. — Lack of. *Benevolence.* ¹ When the number of the disciples was multiplied, there arose a murmuring of the Grecians against the Hebrews, because their widows were neglected in the daily ministration. —Acts, ch. 6.

8575. — necessary. *Deacons.* ³ Brethren, look ye out among you seven men of honest report, full of the Holy Ghost and wisdom, whom we may appoint over this business. ⁴ But we will give ourselves continually to prayer, and to the ministry of the word. —Acts, ch. 6.

8576. — Relief by. *Hobab's.* ²¹ Thou shalt provide out of all the people, able men, such as fear God, men of truth, hating covetousness; and place such over them to be rulers of thousands, and rulers of hundreds, rulers of fifties, and rulers of tens: ²² And let them judge the people at all seasons. . . every great matter they shall bring unto thee. —Ex., ch. 18.

8577. — in Worship. *Jacob.* ²⁰ Jacob vowed a vow, saying, If God will be with me, and will keep me in this way that I go. . . of all that thou shalt give me I will surely give the tenth unto thee. —GEN., ch. 28.

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8578. TALEBEARER, The flattering. *Proverb.* ¹⁸ He that goeth about as a talebearer revealeth secrets: therefore meddle not with him that flattereth with his lips. —Prov., ch. 20.

8579. — Strife by the. *Proverb.* ²⁰ Where no wood is, there the fire goeth out: so where there is no talebearer, the strife ceaseth. —Prov., ch. 26.

8580. — The tattling. *Proverb.* ⁹ He that covereth a transgression seeketh love; but he that repeateth a matter separateth very friends. —Prov., ch. 17.

8581. — Wounds of the. *Proverb.* ²² The words of a talebearer are as wounds, and they go down into the innermost parts of the belly. —Prov., ch. 26.

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8582. TALENTS, Accountability for. Future. ¹⁹ After a long time the lord of those servants cometh, and reckoneth with them. ²⁰ And so he that had received five talents came and brought other five talents, saying, Lord, thou deliveredst unto me five talents: behold, I have gained beside them five talents more. —MAT., ch. 25.

8583. — faithfully used. "Ruler." ²¹ Well done, thou good and faithful servant: thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things: enter thou into the joy of thy lord. —MAT., ch. 25.

8584. — hidden in Fear. *One Talent.*

²⁴ Lord, I knew thee that thou art a hard man, reaping where thou hast not sown, and gathering where thou has not strewed: ²⁵ And I was afraid, and went and hid thy talent in the earth. —MAT., ch. 25.

8585. — Improvement of. *Reward.* ²⁸ Take therefore the talent from him, and give it unto him which hath ten talents. ²⁹ For unto every one which hath shall be given, and he shall have abundance. —MAT., ch. 25.

8586. — Increase of. *Gained.* ¹⁶ He that had received the five talents went and traded with the same, and made them other five talents. ¹⁷ And likewise he that had received two, he also gained other two. —MAT., ch. 25.

8587. — Numerous. *David.* ¹⁸ Cunning in playing, and a mighty valiant man, and a man of war, and prudent in matters, and a comely person, and the Lord is with him. —1 SAM., ch. 16.

8588. — Unused. "Idle." [See No. 8584.]

8589. — unimproved. *Punished.* ²⁶ His lord answered, . . . Thou wicked and slothful servant. . . ³⁰ And cast ye the unprofitable servant into outer darkness: there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth. —MAT., ch. 25.

8590. — Various. *Parable.* ¹⁵ Unto one he gave five talents, to another two, and to another one; to every man according to his several ability; and straightway took his journey. —MAT., ch. 25.

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8591. TALKING—Doing. *Aaron—Moses.* ¹⁶ He shall be thy spokesman unto the people. . . he shall be to thee instead of a mouth, and thou shalt be to him instead of God. ¹⁷ And thou shalt take this rod in thy hand, wherewith thou shalt do signs. —Ex., ch. 4.

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8592. TAUNT, Alarming. *A Hebrew.* ¹³ Wherefore smitest thou thy fellow? ¹⁴ And he said, Who made thee a prince and a judge over us? intendest thou to kill me, as thou killedst the Egyptian? And Moses feared, and said, Surely this thing is known. —Ex., ch. 2.

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8593. TASKMASTERS, Exacting. Egyptian.
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8594. TASTES differ. Parental. 'Isaac loved Esau, because he did eat of his venison: but Rebekah loved Jacob.—GEN., ch. 25.

8595. TAX, A burdensome. Tribute. 'Hzekiah king of Judah sent to the king of Assyria to Lachish, saying, I have offended; return from me: that which thou putteth on me will I bear. And the king of Assyria appointed..three hundred talents of silver and thirty talents of gold.—2 KINGS, ch. 18.

8596. TAX COLLECTOR, A converted. Levi. 'He went forth, and saw a publican, named Levi, sitting at the receipt of custom: and he said unto him, Follow me. 'And he left all, rose up, and followed him.—LUKE, ch. 5.

8597. TAXATION, Exempted from. Ministers. 'We certify you, that, touching any of the priests and Levites, singers, porters, Nethinim, or ministers of this house of God, it shall not be lawful to impose toll, tribute, or custom, upon them.—EZRA, ch. 7.

8598. — — — Goliath. 'The man who killeth him, the king will enrich him with great riches, and will give him his daughter, and make his father's house free in Israel.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

8599. — — — endangered. Rebuilding Jerusalem. 'Be it known now unto the king, that, if this city be builded, and the walls set up again, then will they not pay toll, tribute, and custom, and so thou shalt endamage the revenue.—EZRA, ch. 4.

8600. — — — Eminence by. Heliodorus. 'Then shall stand up in his estate a raiser of taxes in the glory of the kingdom: but within few days he shall be destroyed, neither in anger, nor in battle. 'And in his estate shall stand up a vile person, to whom they shall not give the honour of the kingdom: but he shall come in peaceably, and obtain the kingdom by flatteries.—DAN., ch. 11.

8601. — — — Foreign. Israel. 'Jehoiakim..taxed the land to give the money according to the commandment of Pharaoh: he exacted the silver and the gold of the people of the land, of every one according to his taxation.—2 KINGS, ch. 23.

8602. — — — lawful. Cesar's. 'Render therefore unto Cesar the things which are Cesar's;

and unto God the things that are God's.—MAT., ch. 22.

8603. — — — Oppressive. Jews. 'We have borrowed money for the king's tribute, and that upon our lands and vineyards.—NUM., ch. 5.

8604. — — — Secession because of. Israel. 'Spake unto Rehoboam, saying, 'Thy father made our yoke grievous: now therefore make thou the grievous service of thy father, and his heavy yoke which he put upon us, lighter, and we will serve thee.—1 KINGS, ch. 12. [He refused, and the kingdom was divided.]

8605. — — — Universal. "All the World." 'Joseph also went up from Galilee, out of the city of Nazareth..unto..Bethlehem, (because he was of the house of lineage of David,) 'To be taxed with Mary his espoused wife, being great with child.—LUKE, ch. 2.

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8606. TEACHABLENESS, Attitude of. Mary. 'Martha received him into her house. 'And she had a sister called Mary, which also sat at Jesus' feet, and heard his word.—LUKE, ch. 10.

8607. — — — Characteristic. Bereans. 'These were more noble than those in Thessalonica, in that they received the word with all readiness of mind, and searched the Scriptures daily, whether those things were so.—ACTS, ch. 10.

8608. — — — manifested. Eunuch. 'Understandest thou what thou readest? 'And he said, How can I, except some man should guide me? And he desired Philip that he would come up and sit with him.—ACTS, ch. 8.

8609. — — — professed. Cornelius. 'I sent to thee; and thou hast well done that thou art come. Now therefore are we all here present before God, to hear all things that are commanded thee of God.—ACTS, ch. 10.

8610. — — — Youthful. Jesus. 'After three days they found him in the temple, sitting in the midst of the doctors, both hearing them, and asking them questions.—LUKE, ch. 2.

8611. TEACHER, An authoritative. Jesus. 'They went into Capernaum; and straightway on the sabbath day he entered into the synagogue and taught. 'And they were astonished at his doctrine: for he taught them as one that had authority, and not as the scribes.—MARK, ch. 1.

8612. — — — of Art. Bezaleel. 'In the cutting of stones, to set them, and in carving of wood, to make any manner of cunning work. 'And he hath put in his heart that he may teach, both he, and Aholiab.—EX., ch. 35.

8613. — **The great.** *Jesus.* ²³ Jesus went about all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues. —*MAT.*, ch. 4.

8614. — **Home.** *Parent.* ¹ Thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up. —*DEUT.*, ch. 6.

8615. — **necessary.** *A. Eunuch.* ³⁰ Philip ran thither to him, and heard him read the prophet Esaias, and said, Understandest thou what thou readest? ³¹ And he said, How can I, except some man should guide me? —*ACTS.*, ch. 8.

8616. — **A prepared.** *Moses.* ¹³ Come up to me into the mount, and be there: and I will give thee tables of stone, and a law, and commandments which I have written; that thou mayest teach them. —*EX.*, ch. 24.

8617. — **The Spirit a.** *Present.* ¹¹ When they bring you unto the synagogues, and unto magistrates, and powers, take ye no thought how or what thing ye shall answer, or what ye shall say: ¹² For the Holy Ghost shall teach you in the same hour what ye ought to say. —*LUKE.*, ch. 12.

8618. — **Divine.** *Peter.* ²⁸ Ye know how that it is an unlawful thing for a man that is a Jew to keep company, or come unto one of another nation; but God hath shewed me that I should not call any man common or unclean. —*ACTS.*, ch. 10.

8619. — **Ministerial.** *Apostles.* ⁴² Daily in the temple, and in every house, they ceased not to teach and preach Jesus Christ. —*ACTS.*, ch. 5.

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8620. **TEARS, Affectionate.** *Paul.* ⁴ Out of much affliction and anguish of heart I wrote unto you with many tears; not that ye should be grieved, but that ye might know the love which I have more abundantly unto you. —*2 COR.*, ch. 2.

8621. — **in Bereavement.** *For Lazarus.* ²³ When Jesus therefore saw her weeping, and the Jews also weeping which came with her, he groaned in the spirit, and was troubled. —*JOHN.*, ch. 11.

8622. — — *For Lazarus.* ²⁴ Where have ye laid him? They said unto him, Lord, come and see. ²⁵ Jesus wept. ²⁶ Then said the Jews, Behold how he loved him! —*JOHN.*, ch. 11.

8623. — **Constant.** *Jeremiah.* ⁴⁸ Mine eye runneth down with rivers of water for the destruction of the daughter of my people. ⁴⁹ Mine eye tricketh down, and ceaseth not, without any intermission. —*1 LAM.*, ch. 3.

8624. — **desired.** *Jeremiah.* ¹ Oh that my head were waters, and mine eyes a fountain of tears, that I might weep day and night for the slain of the daughter of my people! —*JER.*, ch. 9.

8625. — **disregarded.** *Punishment.* ¹³ Chas-

ten thy son while there is hope, and let not thy soul spare for his crying. —*PROV.*, ch. 19.

8626. — **An End of.** *Heaven.* ¹⁷ The Lamb which is in the midst of the throne shall feed them, and shall lead them unto living fountains of waters: and God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes. —*REV.*, ch. 7.

8627. — **Grateful.** *Sinner's.* ⁴⁴ Simon, Seest thou this woman? I entered into thine house, thou gavest me no water for my feet: but she hath washed my feet with tears, and wiped them with the hairs of her head. —*LUKE.*, ch. 7.

8628. — **in the Night.** *David.* ⁶ I am weary with my groaning; all the night make I my bed to swim; I water my couch with my tears. —*PS.* 6.

8629. — **Precious.** *David.* ⁸ Thou tellest my wanderings; put thou my tears into thy bottle: are they not in thy book? —*PS.* 56.

8630. — **Patriotic.** *For Jerusalem.* ⁴¹ When he was come near, he beheld the city, and wept over it, ⁴² Saying, If thou hadst known, even thou, at least in this thy day, the things which belong unto thy peace! but now they are hid from thine eyes. —*LUKE.*, ch. 19.

8631. — **Power of.** *Infants.* ⁵ She saw the ark among the flags, she sent her maid to fetch it. ⁶ And when she had opened it, she saw the child: and, behold, the babe wept. And she had compassion on him. —*EX.*, ch. 2.

8632. — — *Woman's.* ¹⁶ Samson's wife wept before him, and said, Thou dost but hate me, and lovest me not: thou hast put forth a riddle unto the children of my people, and hast not told it me. —*JUDGES.*, ch. 14.

8633. — **Parting.** *David and Jonathan.* ⁴¹ David arose out of a place toward the south, and fell on his face to the ground, and bowed himself three times: and they kissed one another, and wept one with another, until David exceeded. —*1 SAM.*, ch. 20.

8634. — **Penitential.** *Peter.* ⁷² The cock crew. And Peter called to mind the word that Jesus said.. Before the cock crow twice, thou shalt deny me thrice. And when he thought thereon, he wept. —*MAT.*, ch. 14.

8635. — **Transient.** *Saul's.* ¹⁶ Is this thy voice, my son David? And Saul lifted up his voice, and wept. ¹⁷ And he said to David, Thou art more righteous than I: for thou hast rewarded me good, whereas I have rewarded thee evil. —*1 SAM.*, ch. 24. [He soon sought David's life again.]

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MOURNERS.

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8636. **TEMPORALITIES, Advice in.** *Ahijah's.* ³ He shall tell thee what shall become of the child. ⁴ And Jeroboam's wife.. went to Shiloh, and came to the house of Ahijah. But Ahijah could not see.. by reason of his age. —*1 KING.*, ch. 14.

8637. — **God consulted.** *H Ezekiah.* ⁶ The king said unto Hazeel, Take a present in thine hand, and go, meet the man of God, and inquire

of the Lord by him, saying, Shall I recover of this disease?—2 KINGS, ch. 8.

8638. — — *Zedekiah.* ² Inquire, I pray thee, of the Lord for us; for Nebuchadrezzar king of Babylon maketh war against us; if so be that the Lord will deal with us according to all his wondrous works, that he may go up from us. ³ Then said Jeremiah unto them, Thus shall ye say to Zedekiah.—JER., ch. 21.

8639. — — *To Micah.* ² The children of Dan sent of their family five men from their coasts, men of valour, to spy out the land. ⁵ And they said unto him, Ask counsel, we pray thee, of God, that we may know whether our way which we go shall be prosperous.—JUDGES, ch. 18.

8640. — — *In War.* ¹³ The children of Israel went up to the house of God, and asked counsel of God, and said, Which of us shall go up first to the battle against the children of Benjamin? And the Lord said, Judah shall go up first.—JUDGES, ch. 20.

8641. — — *Saul said.* ⁶ There is in this city a man of God, and he is an honourable man; all that he saith cometh surely to pass: now let us go thither; peradventure he can shew us our way that we should go.—1 SAM., ch. 9.

8642. — — *In War.* ² David inquired of the Lord, saying, Shall I go and smite these Philistines? And the Lord said unto David, Go.—1 SAM., ch. 23.

8643. — — *Israelites.* ¹ After the death of Joshua, the children of Israel asked the Lord, saying, Who shall go up for us against the Canaanites first, to fight against them?—JOSE., ch. 1.

8644. — — *Josiah to Hilkiah.* ¹³ Inquire of the Lord for me, and for all Judah, concerning the words of this book that is found: for great is the wrath of the Lord that is kindled against us, because our fathers have not hearkened unto the words of this book.—2 KINGS, ch. 22.

8645. — — *Divine Supremacy in.* *“Good—Evil.”* ¹ The king of Israel said unto Jehoshaphat, There is yet one man, by whom we may inquire of the Lord: but I hate him; for he never prophesied good unto me, but always evil.—2 CHRON., ch. 18.

8646. — — *Direction in.* *Trust.* ⁵ Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. ⁶ In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths.—PROV., ch. 3.

8647. — — *Enlargement of.* *Prayer for.* ¹⁰ Jabez called on the God of Israel, saying, Oh that thou wouldest bless me indeed, and enlarge my coast, and that thine hand might be with me, and that thou wouldest keep me from evil, that it may not grieve me! And God granted him that which he requested.—1 CHRON., ch. 4.

8648. — — *Neglecting God in.* *Saul.* ¹³ So Saul died for his transgression which he committed against the Lord, even against the word of the Lord, which he kept not, and also for asking counsel of one that had a familiar spirit, to inquire of it.—1 CHRON., ch. 10.

8649. — — *Gibeonites.* ¹³ Our shoes are

become old by reason of the very long journey. ¹⁴ And the men took of their victuals, and asked not counsel at the mouth of the Lord. ¹⁵ And Joshua made peace with them.—JOSE., ch. 9.

8650. — — *Prayer in.* *Abraham's Servant.* ¹⁴ The damsel to whom I shall say, Let down thy pitcher, I pray thee, that I may drink; and she shall say, Drink, and I will give thy camels drink also: let the same be she that thou hast appointed for thy servant Isaac.—GEN., ch. 24.

8651. — — *Nehemiah.* ¹¹ O Lord, I beseech thee, let now thine ear be attentive to the prayer of thy servant, and to the prayer of thy servants, who desire to fear thy name: and prosper, I pray thee, thy servant this day, and grant him mercy in the sight of this man. For I was the king's cupbearer.—NEH., ch. 1.

8652. — — *Moses.* ¹⁷ Let the beauty of the Lord our God be upon us: and establish thou the work of our hands upon us; yea, the work of our hands establish thou it.—PS., 90.

8653. — — *Withdrawn from.* *Apostles.* ² It is not reason that we should leave the word of God, and serve tables. ³ Wherefore, brethren, look ye out among you seven men, whom we may appoint over this business.—ACTS, ch. 6.

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8654. TEMPLE, The chosen. *Heart.* ²² As I passed by, and beheld your devotions, I found an altar with this inscription, TO THE UNKNOWN GOD. ²⁴ God that made the world and all things therein, seeing that he is Lord of heaven and earth, dwelleth not in temples made with hands.—ACTS, ch. 17.

8655. — — *Construction of.* *Seven Years.* ²⁸ Was he seven years in building it.—1 KINGS, ch. 6.

8656. — — *Forty-six.* ²⁰ Said the Jews, Forty and six years was this temple in building, and wilt thou rear it up in three days?—JOHN, ch. 2.

8657. — — *Human.* *Body.* ¹⁴ Know ye not that ye are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwelleth in you? ¹⁷ If any man defile the temple of God, him shall God destroy; for the temple of God is holy, which temple ye are.—1 COR., ch. 3.

8658. — — *Silent.* *Glorious.* ¹ The house.. was built of stone made ready before it was brought thither: so that there was neither hammer nor axe nor any tool of iron heard in the house, while it was in building. ²² The whole house he overlaid with gold, until he had finished all the house: also the whole altar that was by the oracle he overlaid with gold.—1 KINGS, ch. 6.

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Abandoned. L. hath cast off his altar..	abhorred	4126
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8659. TEMPERANCE advised. *Angel said,* [To Samson's mother,] ¹Thou shalt . . . bear a son; and now drink no wine nor strong drink, neither eat any unclean thing: for the child shall be a Nazarite to God from the womb to the day of his death.—JUDGES, ch. 13.

8660. — Extreme. *Nazarite.* ²He shall separate himself from wine and strong drink, and shall drink no vinegar of wine, or vinegar of strong drink, neither shall he drink any liquor of grapes, nor eat moist grapes, or dried. ⁴All the days of his separation shall he eat nothing that is made of the vine tree, from the kernels even to the husk.—NUM. ch. 6.

8661. — in Eating. *Appetite.* ¹When thou sittest to eat with a ruler, consider diligently what is before thee: ²And put a knife to thy throat, if thou be a man given to appetite. ³Be not desirous of his dainties: for they are deceitful meat.—PROV., ch. 23.

8662. — Hereditary. *Rechabites.* ⁶We will drink no wine: for Jonadab the son of Rechab our father commanded us, saying, Ye shall drink no wine, neither ye, nor your sons for ever.—JER., ch. 35.

8663. — promotes Health. *Hebrews.* ¹⁴Proved them ten days. ¹⁵And at the end of ten days their countenances appeared fairer and fatter in flesh than all the children which did eat the portion of the king's meat. ¹⁶Thus Melzar took away the portion of their meat, and the wine . . . and gave them pulse.—DAN., ch. 1.

8664. — Mastery by. *Athlete.* ²⁴So run, that ye may obtain. ²⁵And every man that striveth for the mastery is temperate in all things.—1 COR., ch. 9.

8665. — and Piety. *Baptist.* ¹⁵He shall be great in the sight of the Lord, and shall drink neither wine nor strong drink; and he shall be filled with the Holy Ghost, even from his mother's womb.—LUKE, ch. 1.

8666. — Strength by. *Samson.* [A Nazarite. See No. 8659.]

See INTEMPERANCE and references.

8667. TEMPTER, A bold. *Satan.* ¹Then was Jesus led up of the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted of the devil. ²And when he had fasted forty days and forty nights, he was afterward a hungered.—MAT., ch. 4.

8668. — vanquished. *By Bible.* ¹⁰Get thee hence, Satan: for it is written, Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God, and him only shalt thou serve. ¹¹Then the devil leaveth him, and, behold, angels came and ministered unto him.—MAT., ch. 4.

8669. — — Means. ¹⁶Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked. ¹⁷And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God.—EPH., ch. 6.

8670. TEMPTATION avoided. *Rechabites*

⁶Said, We will drink no wine: for Jonadab the son of Rechab our father commanded us.—JER., ch. 35.

8671. — in Ambition. *Eve.* ⁴The serpent said unto the woman, Ye shall not surely die: ⁵For God doth know that in the day ye eat thereof, then your eyes shall be opened, and ye shall be as gods.—GEN., ch. 3.

8672. — in Appetite. *Israelites.* ²Would to God we had died by the hand of the Lord in the land of Egypt, when we sat by the flesh-pots, and when we did eat bread to the full; for ye have brought us forth into this wilderness, to kill this whole assembly with hunger.—EX., ch. 16.

8673. — with Affliction. *Job.* ⁸He sat down among the ashes. ⁹Then said his wife unto him, Dost thou still retain thine integrity? curse God, and die. ¹⁰But he said unto her, Thou speakest as one of the foolish women speak.—JOB, ch. 2.

8674. — from Applause. *Jesus.* Cast thyself down. . . bear thee up. [See No. 8691.]

8675. — in Beauty. *Sarah.* ¹¹When he was come near to enter into Egypt, . . . he said unto Sarai his wife, Behold now, I know that thou art a fair woman to look upon: ¹². . . they shall say, This is his wife: and they will kill me, but they will save thee alive.—GEN., ch. 12.

8676. — — "Sons of God." ³The sons of God saw the daughters of men that they were fair; and they took them wives of all which they chose.—GEN., ch. 6.

8677. — Buffeted by. *"Thorn."* ¹Lest I should be exalted above measure through the abundance of the revelations, there was given to me a thorn in the flesh, the messenger of Satan to buffet me, lest I should be exalted above measure.—2 COR., ch. 12.

8678. — A concealed. *Hypocrites.* ¹¹Is it lawful to give tribute unto Cesar, or not? ¹²But Jesus perceived their wickedness, and said, Why tempt ye me, ye hypocrites? ¹³Shew me the tribute money.—MAT., ch. 22.

8679. — Jesus. ⁴³The scribes and the Pharisees began to urge him vehemently, and to provoke him to speak of many things: ⁴⁴Laying wait for him, and seeking to catch something out of his mouth, that they might accuse him.—LUKE, ch. 11.

8680. — in Dominion. *Jesus.* ⁸Again, the devil taketh him up into an exceeding high mountain, and sheweth him all the kingdoms of the world, and the glory of them; ⁹And saith . . . All these things will I give thee, if thou wilt fall down and worship me.—MAT., ch. 4.

8681. — Exposure to. *Peter.* ⁴⁵Peter sat down among them. ⁴⁶But a certain maid beheld him as he sat by the fire, and earnestly looked upon him, and said, This man was also with him.—LUKE, ch. 22.

8682. — through the Eyes. *David.* ⁹In an eveningtide. . . David arose from off his bed, and walked upon the roof of the king's house: and . . . saw a woman washing herself; and the woman was very beautiful to look upon.—2 SAM., ch. 11.

8683. — — [Also see Nos. 8676, 8680, 8684, 8689, 8695.]

8684. — *The first. Eden.* ⁶ When the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was pleasant to the eyes, and a tree to be desired to make one wise, she took of the fruit.—*GEN.*, ch. 3.

8685. — *in the Flesh. Paul.* ¹⁴ My temptation which was in my flesh ye despised not, nor rejected; but received me as an angel of God, even as Christ Jesus.—*GAL.*, ch. 4.

8686. — *in Hunger. Jesus.* ³ When the tempter came to him, he said, If thou be the Son of God, command that these stones be made bread. ⁴ But he answered. It is written, Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God.—*MAT.*, ch. 4.

8687. — *Heaviness from. Hope.* ⁶ Wherein ye greatly rejoice, though now for a season, if need be, ye are in heaviness through manifold temptations.—*1 PETER*, ch. 1.

8688. — *in Money. "Root."* ¹⁰ The love of money is the root of all evil: which while some coveted after, they have erred from the faith, and pierced themselves through with many sorrows.—*1 TIM.*, ch. 6.

8689. — *offered. From Babylon.* ¹⁸ Hezekiah hearkened unto them, and showed them all the house of his precious things, the silver, and the gold, and the spices, and the precious ointment, and all the house of his armour, and all that was found in his treasures. in his house. in all his dominion.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 20. [Babylonians captured them.]

8690. — *in Office. Balaam.* ¹⁷ I will promote thee unto very great honour, and I will do whatsoever thou sayest unto me: come therefore, I pray thee, curse me this people.—*NUM.*, ch. 22.

8691. — *to Presumption. Jesus.* ⁵ Then the devil setteth him on a pinnacle of the temple, ⁶ And saith. If thou be the Son of God, cast thyself down: for it is written, He shall give his angels charge concerning thee: and in their hands they shall bear thee up.—*MAT.*, ch. 4.

8692. — *after Pardon. Illustration.* ²² Moses brought Israel from the Red sea, and they went three days in the wilderness, and found no water. ²³ And when they came to Marah, they could not drink of the waters. for they were bitter.—*EX.*, ch. 15.

8693. — *Prayer against. At Gethsemane.* ⁴⁰ When he was at the place, he said unto them, Pray that ye enter not into temptation.—*LUKE*, ch. 22.

8694. — *Proved by. Manna.* ⁴ I will rain bread from heaven for you; and the people shall go out and gather a certain rate every day, that I may prove them, whether they will walk in my law, or no.—*EX.*, ch. 16.

8695. — *prevented. Canaanite.* ²² Ye shall drive out all the inhabitants of the land from before you, and destroy all their pictures, and destroy all their molten images, and quite pluck down all their high places.—*NUM.*, ch. 33.

8696. — *resisted. Joseph.* ¹⁰ She spake to Joseph day by day. he hearkened not unto her. . . or to be with her. ¹³ And she caught him by his garment, saying, Lie with me: and he left his garment in her hand, and fled, and got him out.—*GEN.*, ch. 39.

8697. — — *Proverb.* ¹⁰ My son, if sinners entice thee, consent thou not. ¹⁵ My son, walk not thou in the way with them; refrain thy foot from their path.—*PROV.*, ch. 1.

8698. — — *"Devil."* ¹ Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you.—*JAMES*, ch. 4.

8699. — *repeated. "Day by day."* [See No. 8696.]

8700. — *removed. Horses.* [The king] ¹⁶ Shall not multiply horses to himself, nor cause the people to return to Egypt, to the end that he should multiply horses.—*DEUT.*, ch. 17.

8701. — *not removed. Grace.* ⁸ For this thing I besought the Lord thrice, that it might depart from me. ⁹ And he said unto me, My grace is sufficient for thee: for my strength is made perfect in weakness. Most gladly therefore will I rather glory in my infirmities, that the power of Christ may rest upon me.—*2 COR.*, ch. 12.

8702. — *Remembered. At Rephidim.* ⁶ Thou shalt smite the rock, and there shall come water out of it, that the people may drink. And Moses did so in the sight of the elders of Israel. ⁷ And he called the name of the place Massah, and Meribah, because of the chiding of the children of Israel, and because they tempted the Lord, saying, Is the Lord among us or not?—*EX.*, ch. 17. [Marginal reading—"Place of temptation."]

8703. — *A studied. Gehazi.* ²⁰ Gehazi, the servant of Elisha. . . said, Behold, my master hath spared Naaman this Syrian, in not receiving at his hands that which he brought: but, as the Lord liveth, I will run after him, and take somewhat of him.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 5.

8704. — *Weakness in. Canaan-bound.* ¹⁷ God led them not through the way of the land of the Philistines, although that was near; for God said, Lest peradventure the people repent when they see war, and they return to Egypt.—*EX.*, ch. 13.

8705. TEMPTATIONS. Numerous. *Jesus.* ¹⁵ We have not a high priest which cannot be touched with the feeling of our infirmities; but was in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin.—*HEB.*, ch. 4.

8706. — *necessary. Sift.* ¹⁹ There must be also heresies among you, that they which are approved may be made manifest among you.—*1 COR.*, ch. 11.

8707. — *Rejoicing in. Patience.* ¹ My brethren, count it all joy when ye fall into divers temptations; ³ Knowing this, that the trying of your faith worketh patience. ⁴ But let patience have her perfect work, that ye may be perfect.—*JAMES*, ch. 1.

8708. — *Self-imposed. Canaanites.* ²⁵ But if ye will not drive out the inhabitants of the land from before you; then. . . those which ye let remain of them shall be pricks in your eyes, and thorns in your sides, and shall vex you in the land.—*NUM.*, ch. 33.

8709. — *Successive. Jesus.* [See Nos. 8668, 8680, 8691.]

8710. — *Victim of. Job.* ⁸ The Lord said unto Satan, Hast thou considered my servant Job, that there is none like him in the earth. a

perfect and an upright man, one that feareth God, and escheweth evil? * Then Satan answered. . . Doth Job fear God for nought?—*JOB*, ch. 1.

S711. — in *Wealth*. "*Snare*." * They that will be rich fall into temptation and a snare, and into many foolish and hurtful lusts, which drown men in destruction and perdition. —1 *TIM.*, ch. 6.

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S713. TENANTS, Abusive. *Parable.* * He sent his servants to the husbandmen, that they might receive the fruits of it. * And the husbandmen took his servants, and beat one, and killed another, and stoned another.—*MAT.*, ch. 21.

S714. TENDERNESS in Bereavement. *David.* * The king was much moved, and went up to the chamber over the gate, and wept: and as he went, thus he said, O my son Absalom! my son, my son Absalom! would God I had died for thee, O Absalom, my son, my son!—2 *SAM.*, ch. 18.

S715. — *concealed.* *Joseph.* * They knew not that Joseph understood them; for he spake unto them by an interpreter. * And he turned himself about from them, and wept; and returned. . . and took from them Simeon, and bound him before their eyes.—*GEN.*, ch. 42.

S716. — *to the Erring.* *Paul.* * Out of much affliction and anguish of heart I wrote unto you with many tears; not that ye should be grieved, but that ye might know the love which I have more abundantly unto you.—2 *COR.*, ch. 2.

S717. — *Excessive.* *Joseph.* * Joseph made haste; for his bowels did yearn upon his brother: and he sought where to weep; and he entered into his chamber, and wept there.—*GEN.*, ch. 43.

S718. — *Human.* *Jesus.* * When Jesus therefore saw her weeping, and the Jews also weeping which came with her, he groaned in the spirit, and was troubled, * And said, Where have ye laid him? They say unto him, Lord, come and see. * Jesus wept.—*JOHN*, ch. 11.

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S719. TENDENCIES, Evil. *Calf made.* * Aaron said, Let not the anger of my lord wax hot: thou knowest the people, that they are set on mischief.—*EX.*, ch. 32.

S720. TERMS, Acceptable. *Peter said,* * God is no respecter of persons: * But in every nation he that feareth him, and worketh righteousness, is accepted with him.—*ACTS*, ch. 10.

S721. — — *Not formal.* * Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, or with ten thousands of rivers of oil? shall I give my firstborn for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?—*MICAH*, ch. 6.

S722. — — *Inward.* * He hath shewed thee, O man, what is good; and what doth the Lord require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God?—*MICAH*, ch. 6.

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S723. TERROR, Prostrating. *Saul.* * To morrow shalt thou and thy sons be with me: the Lord also shall deliver the host of Israel into the hand of the Philistines. * Then Saul fell straightway all along on the earth, and was sore afraid, because of the words of Samuel: and there was no strength in him; for he had eaten no bread all the day, nor all the night.—1 *SAM.*, ch. 28.

S724. — *A Sinner's.* *Belshazzar.* * The king saw the part of the hand that wrote. * Then the king's countenance was changed, and his thoughts troubled him, so that the joints of his loins were loosed, and his knees smote one against another. * The king cried aloud to bring in the astrologers.—*DAN.*, ch. 5.

8725. TERRORS, Divine. *Sinai.* ²¹ So terrible was the sight, that Moses said, I exceedingly fear and quake.—**HEB.**, ch. 12.

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8726. TEST, Benevolence a. *Young Ruler.* ²¹ Jesus beholding him loved him, and said unto him, One thing thou lackest: go thy way, sell whatsoever thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven, and follow me. ²² And he was sad at that saying, and went away grieved.—**MARK**, ch. 10.

8727. — of Character. *Tree.* ³ Of the fruit of the tree which is in the midst of the garden, God hath said, Ye shall not eat of it, neither shall ye touch it, lest ye die.—**GEN.**, ch. 3.

8728. — Dietetic. *Young Hebrews.* ¹² Prove thy servants, . . . ten days; and let them give us pulse to eat, and water to drink. ¹³ Then let our countenances be looked upon before thee, and the countenance of the children that eat of the portion of the king's meat: and as thou seest, deal with us.—**DAN.**, ch. 1.

8729. — Exact. *Nobleman.* ⁵² Inquired he of them the hour when he began to amend. And they said, Yesterday at the seventh hour the fever left him. ⁵³ So the father knew that it was at the same hour, in the which Jesus said unto him, Thy son liveth: and himself believed, and his whole house.—**JOHN**, ch. 4.

8730. — The Lord's. *Fruit.* ⁵ The man's rod, whom I shall choose, shall blossom: and I will make to cease from me the murmurings of the children of Israel, whereby they murmur against you.—**NUM.**, ch. 17.

8731. — needful. *Saul's Armour.* ³⁹ David girded his sword upon his armour, and he assayed to go; for he had not proved it. And David said unto Saul, I cannot go with these; for I have not proved them. And David put them off him.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 17.

8732. — Obedience a. *Commandments.* ⁴ He that saith, I know him, and keepeth not his commandments, is a liar, and the truth is not in him.—**1 JOHN**, ch. 2.

8733. — Password for. *Shibboleth.* [See No. 6820.] ⁵ And the Gileadites took the passages of Jordan before the Ephraimites: and it was so, that when those Ephraimites which were escaped said, Let me go over, that the men of Gilead said unto him, Art thou an Ephraimite? If he said, Nay; ⁶ Then said they unto him, Say now Shibboleth: and he said Sibboleth: for he could not frame to pronounce it right. Then they took him, and slew him at the passages of Jordan: and there fell at that time of the Ephraimites forty and two thousand.—**JUDGES**, ch. 12.

8734. — A Prayer. *Mount Carmel.* ²⁴ Call ye on the name of your gods, and I will call on the name of the Lord: and the God that answereth by fire, let him be God. And all the people answered and said, It is well spoken.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 18.

8735. — A Question. *Lawyer.* ²⁵ A certain lawyer stood up, and tempted him, saying, Master, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?—**LUKE**, ch. 10.

8736. — A severe. *Abraham.* ³ Take now thy son, thine only son Isaac, whom thou lov-

est, and get thee into the land of Moriah; and offer him there for a burnt offering upon one of the mountains which I will tell thee of.—**GEN.**, ch. 22.

8737. — by Trials. *Enemies.* ⁴ They were to prove Israel by them, to know whether they would hearken unto the commandments of the Lord, which he commanded their fathers by the hand of Moses.—**JUDGES**, ch. 3.

8738. — — Heresies. ¹⁹ There must be also heresies among you, that they which are approved may be made manifest among you.—1 COR.**, ch. 11.**

8739. TESTS repeated. *Water.* [Water wanted at Rephidim, and also at Kadesh.—**NUM.**, ch. 20.]

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8740. TESTAMENT, A bloody. *At Sinai.* ¹⁹ When Moses had spoken every precept, he took the blood of calves and of goats, with water, and scarlet wool, and hyssop, and sprinkled both the book and all the people, ²⁰ Saying, This is the blood of the testament which God hath enjoined.—**HEB.**, ch. 9.

8741. — The Lord's. *Blood.* ²³ He took the cup, and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them: and they all drank of it. ²⁴ And he said unto them, This is my blood of the new testament, which is shed for many.—**MARK**, ch. 14.

8742. TESTIMONY of Assurance. *"My Presence."* ¹³ If I have found grace in thy sight, shew me now thy way, that I may know thee, that I may find grace in thy sight: and consider that this nation is thy people. ¹⁴ And he said, My presence shall go with thee, and I will give thee rest.—**EX.**, ch. 33.

8743. — Altar of. *Beyond Jordan.* ²⁸ It shall be, when they should so say to us or to our generations in time to come, that we may say again, Behold the pattern of the altar of the Lord, which our fathers made, not for burnt offerings, nor for sacrifices; but it is a witness between us and you.—**JOSEPH**, ch. 22.

8744. — Ark of. *Tabernacle.* ¹⁶ Thou shalt put into the ark the testimony which I shall give thee. ¹⁷ And thou shalt make a mercy seat of pure gold.—**EX.**, ch. 25.

8745. — Convincing. *Peter.* ¹⁶ Peter continued knocking: and when they had opened the door, and saw him, they were astonished.—**ACTS**, ch. 12.

8746. — of Deeds. *Jesus.* ⁴ Go and shew John again those things which ye do hear and see: ⁵ The blind receive their sight, and the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed, and the deaf hear, the dead are raised up, and the poor have the gospel preached to them.—**MAT.**, ch. 11.

8747. — Humble. *Little Maid.* ³ The Syrians, . . . had brought away captive out of the land of Israel a little maid; and she waited on Naaman's wife. ⁵ And she said unto her mistress, Would God my lord were with the prophet that is in Samaria! for he would recover him of his leprosy.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 5.

8748. — Irrepressible. *"Loosed."* ²⁶ His

ears were opened, and the string of his tongue was loosed, and he spake plain. ²⁶ And he charged them that they should tell no man : but the more he charged them, so much the more a great deal they published it.—**MARK**, ch. 7.

8749. — **Incredible.** *Mary.* ¹⁰ She went and told them that had been with him, as they mourned and wept. ¹¹ And they, when they had heard that he was alive, and had been seen of her, believed not.—**MARK**, ch. 16.

8750. — **Peter.** ¹³ As Peter knocked at the door of the gate, a damsel came to hear-ken, named Rhoda. ¹⁴ And when she knew Peter's voice, she opened not the gate for gladness, but ran in, and told how Peter stood before the gate. ¹⁵ And they said. .Thou art mad.—**ACTS**, ch. 12.

8751. — **incomplete.** *Moses said,* ¹² Thou sayest unto me, Bring up this people : and thou hast not let me know whom thou wilt send with me. Yet thou hast said, I know thee by name, and thou hast also found grace in my sight.—**EX.**, ch. 33.

8752. — **of Life.** “*Works I do.*” ²⁴ If thou be the Christ, tell us plainly. ²⁵ Jesus answered them, I told you, and ye believed not : the works that I do in my Father's name, they bear witness of me. ²⁶ But ye believe not, because ye are not of my sheep.—**JOHN**, ch. 10.

8753. — **Limit of.** “*We know. .we know not.*” ²⁰ His parents answered. .We know that this is our son, and that he was born blind : ²¹ But by what means he now seeth, we know not.—**JOHN**, ch. 9.

8754. — **pervverted.** “*His Angel.*” [See No. 8758.]

8755. — **Positive.** “*I see.*” ²⁵ Whether he be a sinner or no, I know not : one thing I know, that, whereas I was blind, now I see.—**JOHN**, ch. 9.

8756. — **rejected.** *Of Stephen.* ⁵¹ They cried out with a loud voice, and stopped their ears, and ran upon him with one accord. ⁵² And cast him out of the city, and stoned him.—**ACTS**, ch. 7.

8757. — **An unwelcome.** *Damsel.* ¹¹ Followed Paul and us, and cried, saying, These men are the servants of the most high God, which shew unto us the way of salvation. ¹² And this did she many days. But Paul, being grieved, turned and said to the spirit, I command thee in the name of Jesus Christ to come out of her.—**ACTS**, ch. 16.

8758. — **unshaken.** *Rhoda's.* [See No. 8750.] ¹⁵ But she constantly affirmed that it was even so. Then said they, It is his angel.—**ACTS**, ch. 12.

8759. — **useless.** *Jesus.* ⁴ Pilate asked him again, saying, Answerest thou nothing ? behold how many things they witness against thee. ⁵ But Jesus yet answered nothing ; so that Pilate marvelled.—**MARK**, ch. 15.

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8760. **THANKOFFERINGS, Many.** *Dedication.* ⁵ King Solomon, and all the congregation of Is-

rael that were assembled unto him, were with him before the ark, sacrificing sheep and oxen, that could not be told nor numbered for multitude.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 8.

8761. — **Valuable.** *For Preservation.* ²² All the gold of the offering that they offered up to the Lord, of the captains of thousands, and of the captains of hundreds, was sixteen thousand seven hundred and fifty shekels : ²³ For the men of war had taken spoils, every man for himself [about \$439,345].—**NUM.**, ch. 31.

8762. **THANKS, Earnest.** *Lepre.* ¹⁵ One of them, when he saw that he was healed, turned back, and with a loud voice glorified God. ¹⁶ And fell down on his face at his feet, giving him thanks : and he was a Samaritan.—**LUKE**, ch. 17.

8763. — **for Food.** *Five Thousand fed.* ¹¹ Jesus took the loaves ; and when he had given thanks, he distributed to the disciples, and the disciples to them that were set down ; and likewise of the fishes as much as they would.—**JOHN**, ch. 6.

8764. — **Sincere.** *Shipwrecked.* ²⁵ When he had thus spoken, he took bread, and gave thanks to God in presence of them all ; and when he had broken it, he began to eat.—**ACTS**, ch. 27.

8765. **THANKSGIVING, Maternal.** *Hannah.* [See 1 Sam., ch. 2.]

8766. — **Perilous.** *Daniel.* ¹⁰ When Daniel knew that the writing was signed, he went into his house ; and, his windows being open in his chamber toward Jerusalem, he kneeled. . three times a day, and prayed, and gave thanks before his God, as he did aforetime.—**DAN.**, ch. 6.

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8767. **THEFT by Abduction.** *Babe.* ²¹ When I rose in the morning to give my child suck, behold, it was dead : but when I had considered it in the morning, behold, it was not my son, which I did bear.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 3.

8768. — **confessed.** *Micah.* ³ The eleven hundred shekels of silver that were taken from thee, about which thou cursedst, and spakest of also in mine ears, behold, the silver is with me ; I took it. And his mother said, Blessed be thou of the Lord, my son.—**JUDGES**, ch. 17.

8769. — **through Fear.** *Unjust Steward.* ⁵ He called every one of his lord's debtors unto him, and said unto the first, How much owest thou unto my lord ? ⁶ And he said, A hundred measures of oil. And he said, .Take thy bill, and sit down quickly, and write fifty.—**LUKE**, ch. 16.

8770. — **of the Famished.** *Bread.* ³⁰ Men do not despise a thief, if he steal to satisfy his soul when he is hungry ; ³¹ But if he be found, he shall restore sevenfold ; he shall give all the substance of his house.—**PROV.**, ch. 6.

8771. — **An improbable.** *Body of Jesus.*

¹² They gave large money unto the soldiers,
¹³ Saying, Say ye, His disciples came by night,
and stole him away while we slept.—*MAT.*, ch.
28.

S772. — A justifiable. Abduction. ¹ When
Athaliah the mother of Ahaziah saw that her
son was dead, she arose and destroyed all the
seed royal. ² But Jehosheba, the daughter of
king Joram, sister of Ahaziah, took Joash the
son of Ahaziah, and stole him from among the
king's sons which were slain; and they hid him.
—*2 KINGS*, ch. 11.

S773. — Kidnapper's. Law. ¹ If a man be
found stealing any of his brethren of the chil-
dren of Israel, and maketh merchandise of him,
or selleth him; then that thief shall die.—*DEUT.*,
ch. 24.

S774. THIEF, Killing a. Law. ² If a thief be
found breaking up, and be smitten that he die,
there shall no blood be shed for him. ³ If the sun
be risen upon him, there shall be blood shed for
him.—*EX.*, ch. 22.

S775. — in Office. Judas. ⁵ Why was not
this ointment sold for three hundred pence,
and given to the poor? ⁶ This he said, not that
he cared for the poor; but because he was a
thief, and had the bag.—*JOHN*, ch. 12.

S776. THIEVES, Injuries from. Parable. ³⁰ A
certain man went down from Jerusalem to Jer-
icho, and fell among thieves, which stripped
him of his raiment, and wounded him, and de-
parted, leaving him half dead.—*LUKE*, ch. 10.

S777. — Religious. Jesus ¹² Overthrew
the tables of the money changers, and the seats
of them that sold doves, ¹³ And said unto them,
It is written, My house shall be called the house
of prayer; but ye have made it a den of thieves.
—*MAT.*, ch. 21.

S778. — slain. Cattle. ²¹ Zabab his son,
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mouth. ³⁰ When Jesus therefore had received
the vinegar, he said, It is finished.—*JOHN*, ch. 19.

S780. — A famishing. Samson's. ¹⁹ God
clave a hollow place that was in the jaw, and
there came water thereout; and when he had

drunk, his spirit came again, and he revived.—
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S781. — No more. Living Fountains. ¹⁷ The
Lamb which is in the midst of the throne shall
feed them, and shall lead them unto living
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S782. — Relief for. At Rephidim. ⁵ Go on
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elders of Israel; and thy rod, wherewith thou
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fore thee there upon the rock in Horeb: and
thou shalt smite the rock, and there shall come
water.—*EX.*, ch. 17.

S783. — Spiritual. Jesus said, ¹⁴ Whoso-
ever drinketh of the water that I shall give him
shall never thirst; but the water..shall be in
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S784. THORNS, Crowned with. Jesus. ¹ Pilate
therefore took Jesus, and scourged him. ² And
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S785. — Punished with. Gideon. ¹⁶ He
took the elders of the city, and thorns of the
wilderness, and briers, and with them he taught
the men of Succoth.—*JUDGES*, ch. 8.

S786. THOUGHT makes Character. Proverb.
¹ For as he thinketh in his heart, so is he: Eat
and drink, saith he to thee; but his heart is not
with thee.—*PROV.*, ch. 23.

S787. — Evil. Antediluvians. ⁵ God saw
that the wickedness of man was great in the
earth, and that every imagination of the thoughts
of his heart was only evil continually.—*GEN.*,
ch. 6.

S788. — Prompter of. Spirit. ¹⁹ But when
they deliver you up, take no thought how or
what ye shall speak: for it shall be given you
in that same hour what ye shall speak. ²⁰ For
it is not ye that speak, but the Spirit of your
Father which speaketh in you.—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

S789. — Subjects of. Pure. ⁸ Whatsoever
things are true, whatsoever things are honest,
whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things
are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatso-
ever things are of good report; if there be any
virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these
things.—*PHIL.*, ch. 4.

S790. THOUGHTFULNESS enjoined. Paul.
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S791. — Prompted. Peter. ¹² The second
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8792. THREAT, An intimidating. *Jezebel.*
Jezebel sent a messenger unto Elijah, saying,
So let the gods do to me, and more also, if I
make not thy life as the life of one of them by
to-morrow about this time.—1 KINGS, ch. 19.

8793. THREATENING, A contemptible. *Bramble.*
The bramble said unto the trees, If in
truth ye anoint me king over you, then come and
put your trust in my shadow; and if not, let
fire come out of the bramble, and devour the
cedars of Lebanon.—JUDGES, ch. 9.

8794. — A rash. *Rehoboam's.*
Whereas my father did lade you with a heavy yoke, I
will add to your yoke: my father hath chastised
you with whips; but I will chastise you with
scorpions.—1 KINGS, ch. 12. [Ten tribes seced-
ed.]

8795. — repeated. *Apostles.*
They called them, and commanded them not to speak
at all nor teach in the name of Jesus. So
when they had further threatened them, they
let them go.—ACTS, ch. 4.

8796. — A terrible. *Saul's.*
He took a yoke of oxen, and hewed them in pieces, and
sent them throughout all the coasts of Israel by
the hands of messengers, saying, Whosoever
cometh not forth after Saul and after Samuel, so
shall it be done unto his oxen..they came out
with one consent.—1 SAM., ch. 11.

8797. — unfulfilled. *Goliath*
Cursed David by his gods. And the Philistine said
to David, Come to me, and I will give thy flesh
unto the fowls of the air, and to the beasts of
the field.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

8798. — A useless. *Apostles.* [See No.
8795.] When they had prayed, the place was
shaken where they were assembled together;
and they were all filled with the Holy Ghost,
and they spake the word of God with boldness.
—ACTS, ch. 4.

8799. — An unreasonable. *Nebuchadnezzar.*
It is a rare thing that the king requireth,
and there is none other that can shew it..except
the gods, whose dwelling is not with flesh.
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8800. THRONE, A magnificent. *Solomon's.*
Made a great throne of ivory, and overlaid it
with pure gold. And there were six steps to
the throne, with a footstool of gold. And
twelve lions stood there on the one side and
on the other upon the six steps.—2 CHRON.,
ch. 9.

8801. THUNDER, Alarming. *Rebellion.*

Samuel called unto the Lord; and the Lord
sent thunder and rain that day: and all the
people greatly feared the Lord and Samuel.
And..said unto Samuel, Pray for thy servants
..that we die not: for we have added unto all
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and the glory of the Lord shone round about
them: and they were sore afraid. And the
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8803. TIME, The acceptable. *"Visitation."*

And shall lay thee even with the ground, and thy
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in thee one stone upon another; because thou
knewest not the time of thy visitation.—LUKE,
ch. 19.

8804. — Beginning of. *Creation.*
In the beginning God created the heaven and the
earth.—GEN., ch. 1.

8805. — extended. *Fig Tree.*
Lord, let it alone this year also, till I shall dig about it,
and dung it: And if it bear fruit, well; and if
not, then after that thou shalt cut it down.—
LUKE, ch. 13.

8806. — The end of. *"No longer."*
The angel which I saw stand upon the sea and upon
the earth lifted up his hand to heaven, And
sware by him that liveth for ever and ever, who
created heaven, and the things that therein are,
and the earth, and the things that therein are,
and the sea, and the things which are therein,
that there should be time no longer.—REV., ch.
10.

8807. — The Lord's. *Deliverance.*
Moses..said, Lord, wherefore hast thou so evil en-
treated this people? why is it that thou hast sent
me? For since I came to Pharaoh to speak
in thy name, he hath done evil to this people;
neither hast thou delivered thy people at all.—
EX., ch. 5.

8808. — Mitigation of. *Esau's Anger.*
Tarry with him a few days, until thy brother's
fury turn away..and he forget that which
thou hast done to him.—GEN., ch. 27.

8809. — Bereavement. *Abraham*
fled..to Geshur, and was there three years.
And the soul of king David longed to go forth

unto Absalom : for he was comforted concerning Amnon, seeing he was dead.—2 SAM., ch. 13.

SS10. — The only. *Bethesda.* ⁴ An angel went down at a certain season into the pool, and troubled the water : whosoever then first after the troubling of the water stepped in was made whole of whatsoever disease he had. ⁵ And a certain man was there, which had an infirmity thirty and eight years.—JOHN, ch. 5.

SS11. — procrastinated. *Felix.* ²⁵ As he reasoned of righteousness, temperance, and judgment to come, Felix trembled, and answered, Go thy way for this time ; when I have a convenient season, I will call for thee.—ACTS, ch. 24.

SS12. — provided. *All Things.* ¹ To every thing there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven : ² A time to be born, and a time to die ; a time to plant, and a time to pluck up *that which is planted*.—ECCLES., ch. 3. [See chapter.]

SS13. — Spending. *Athenians.* ²¹ All the Athenians, and the strangers which were there, spent their time in nothing else, but either to tell or to hear some new thing.—ACTS, ch. 17.

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SS14. TIMES, Bad. *Israel.* ⁵ In those times there was no peace to him that went out, nor to him that came in, but great vexations were upon all the inhabitants of the countries. ⁶ And nation was destroyed of nation, and city of city.—2 CHRON., ch. 15.

SS15. — Signs of. *Last.* ¹ The Spirit speaketh expressly, that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils ; ² Speaking lies in hypocrisy, having their conscience seared with a hot iron : ³ Forbidding to marry, and commanding to abstain from meats.—1 TIM., ch. 4.

SS16. TIMIDITY, Disciple's. *Nicodemus.* ¹ There was a man of the Pharisees, named Nicodemus, a ruler of the Jews : ² The same came to Jesus by night.—JOHN, ch. 3.

SS17. — — *Joseph.* ²⁸ Joseph of Arimathea, being a disciple of Jesus, but secretly for fear of the Jews, besought Pilate that he might take away the body of Jesus.—JOHN, ch. 19.

SS18. — of Friends. *Believers.* ¹² Some said, He is a good man : others said, Nay ; but he deceiveth the people. ¹³ Howbeit no man spake openly of him for fear of the Jews.—JOHN, ch. 7.

SS19. — Needless. *Brethren.* ¹⁸ The men were afraid, because they were brought into Joseph's house ; and they said, Because of the money that was returned in our sacks..are we brought in ; that he may seek occasion against us..and take us for bondmen, and our asses.—GEN., ch. 43.

SS20. — Restrained by. *Rhoda.* ¹² Many were gathered together, praying. ¹³ And as Peter knocked at the door of the gate, a damsel came to hearken, named Rhoda.—ACTS, ch. 12.

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SS21. TITHES exchanged. *" Too Far."* ²⁴ If the way be too long for thee..to carry it ; or if the place be too far from thee, which the Lord thy God shall choose to set his name there, when the Lord thy God hath blessed thee ; ²⁵ Then shalt thou turn it into money, and bind up the money in thine hand, and shalt go unto the place which the Lord thy God shall choose.—DEUT., ch. 14. [There buy..eat..rejoice.]

SS22. — The first. *Abram's to Melchisedec.* ¹ Melchisedec, king of Salem, priest of the most high God, who met Abraham returning from the slaughter of the kings, and blessed him ; ² To whom also Abraham gave a tenth part of all.—HEB., ch. 7.

SS23. — The Lord's. *Tenth.* ²² Concerning the tithe of the herd, or of the flock, even of whatsoever passeth under the rod, the tenth shall be holy unto the Lord.—LEV., ch. 27.

SS24. — for Ministry. *Levites.* ²⁸ At the end of three years thou shalt bring forth all the tithe of thine increase the same year, and shalt lay it up within thy gates : ²⁹ And the Levite, (because he hath no part nor inheritance with thee) and the stranger, and the fatherless, and the widow, which are within thy gates, shall come, and shall eat and be satisfied.—DEUT., ch. 14.

SS25. — for the Poor. *Law.* [See above.]

SS26. — substituted. *For Piety.* ²³ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites ! for ye pay tithe of mint, and anise, and cummin, and have omitted the weightier matters of the law, judgment, mercy, and faith.—MAT., ch. 23.

SS27. — tithed. *Levites.* ²⁶ When ye take of the children of Israel the tithes which I have given you from them for your inheritance, then ye shall offer up a heave offering of it for the Lord, even a tenth part of the tithe.—NUM., ch. 18.

SS28. — unaccepted. *Pharisee.* ¹¹ God, I thank thee, that I am not as other men are, ex-

tortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this publican. ¹⁹ I fast twice in the week, I give tithes of all that I possess.—*LUKE*, ch. 18.

See *TAXES* and references.

8829. TITLES, Ambition for. "*Rabbi.*" ⁶ Who love greetings in the markets, and to be called of men, Rabbi, Rabbi. ⁸ But be not ye called Rabbi: for one is your Master, even Christ; and all ye are brethren.—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

8830. TONGUE, An angry. *Moses.* ³³ They angered him also at the waters of strife, so that it went ill with Moses for their sakes: ³³ Because they provoked his spirit, so that he spake unadvisedly with his lips.—*PS.* 106.

8831. — A Buyer's. *Proverb.* ¹² It is naught, it is naught, saith the buyer: but when he is gone his way, then he boasteth.—*PROV.*, ch. 20.

8832. — Control of. "*Backbiteth not.*" ¹ Lord, who shall abide in thy tabernacle? who shall dwell in thy holy hill? ² He that walketh uprightly, and worketh righteousness, and speaketh the truth in his heart. ³ He that backbiteth not with his tongue, nor doeth evil to his neighbour, nor taketh up a reproach against his neighbour.—*PS.* 15.

8833. — — Bridle. ³ We put bits in the horses' mouths, that they may obey us; and we turn about their whole body. ⁴ Behold also the ships, which, though they be so great, and are driven of fierce winds, yet are they turned about with a very small helm, whithersoever the governor listeth. ⁵ Even so the tongue.—*JAMES*, ch. 3.

8834. TONGUES changed. *Babel.* ¹ Go to, let us go down, and there confound their language, that they may not understand one another's speech. ⁸ So the Lord scattered them abroad.—*GEN.*, ch. 11.

8835. — — Pentecost. ¹ They were all amazed and marvelled, saying one to another, Behold, are not all these which speak Galileans? ⁶ And how hear we every man in our own tongue, wherein we were born?—*ACTS*, ch. 2.

8836. — Foolish. *Proverb.* ¹¹ A fool uttereth all his mind: but a wise man keepeth it in till afterwards.—*PROV.*, ch. 29.

8837. — A hasty. *Proverb.* ³⁰ Seest thou a man that is hasty in his words? there is more hope of a fool than of him.—*PROV.*, ch. 29.

8838. — shows the Heart. *Overflow.* ³⁴ O generation of vipers, how can ye, being evil, speak good things? for out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaketh.—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

8839. — punished. *Serpents.* ¹ The people came to Moses, and said, We have sinned, for we have spoken against the Lord, and against thee; pray unto the Lord, that he take away the serpents from us.—*NUM.*, ch. 21.

8840. — responsible. *Judgment.* ³⁸ Every idle word that men shall speak, they shall give account thereof in the day of judgment. ³¹ For by thy words thou shalt be justified, and by thy words thou shalt be condemned.—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

8841. — A religious. "*Jewels.*" ¹⁶ Then they that feared the Lord spake often one to another: and the Lord hearkened, and heard it, and a book of remembrance was written before him for them that feared the Lord, and that

thought upon his name. ¹⁷ And they shall be mine, saith the Lord of hosts, in that day when I make up my jewels.—*MAL.*, ch. 3.

8842. — untamed. *Wild.* ¹ Every kind of beasts, and of birds, and of serpents, and of things in the sea, is tamed, and hath been tamed, of mankind: ⁸ But the tongue can no man tame.—*JAMES*, ch. 3.

8843. — Use of. "*Slow.*" ¹⁹ My beloved brethren, let every man be swift to hear, slow to speak, slow to wrath.—*JAMES*, ch. 1.

8844. — A wise. *To Rehoboam.* ¹ If thou be kind to this people, and please them, and speak good words to them, they will be thy servants for ever. ⁸ But he forsook the counsel which the old men gave him.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 10. [Rough answers divided the kingdom.]

8845. — — "Nails." ¹¹ The words of the wise are as goads, and as nails fastened by the masters of assemblies, which are given from one shepherd.—*ECCLES.*, ch. 12.

8846. — a Weapon. "*Smite.*" ¹⁸ Come, and let us devise devices against Jeremiah; for the law shall not perish from the priest, nor counsel from the wise, nor the word from the prophet. Come, and let us smite him with the tongue, and let us not give heed to any of his words.—*JER.*, ch. 18.

8847. — A wicked. "*Defileth.*" ⁶ The tongue is a fire, a world of iniquity: so is the tongue among our members, that it defileth the whole body, and setteth on fire the course of nature; and it is set on fire of hell.—*JAMES*, ch. 3.

8848. TONGUES differ. "*Bite.*" ¹¹ Surely the serpent will bite without enchantment; and a babbler is no better. ¹² The words of a wise man's mouth are gracious; but the lips of a fool will swallow up himself.—*ECCLES.*, ch. 10.

8849. — of Fire. *Pentecost.* ³ There appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them. ⁴ And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.—*ACTS*, ch. 2.

8850. — restrained. *Rab-shakeh.* ²³ Who are they among all the gods of the countries, that have delivered their country out of mine hand, that the Lord should deliver Jerusalem out of mine hand? ³⁶ But the people held their peace, and answered him not a word: for the king's commandment was, saying, Answer him not.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 18.

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8851. TOMB, A perfumed. *Asa's.* ¹⁴ They buried him in his own sepulchres, which he had made for himself in the city of David, and laid him in the bed which was filled with sweet odours and divers kinds of spices prepared by the apothecaries' art: and they made a very great burning for him.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 16.

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8852. TORMENTS of Perdition. *Dives.* ²³ In hell he lifted up his eyes, being in torments..
²⁴ And he cried..Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus, that he may dip the tip of his finger in water, and cool my tongue: for I am tormented in this flame.—*LUKE*, ch. 16.

8853. TORTURE of Prisoners. *By Gideon.* ¹⁸ He took the elders of the city, and thorns of the wilderness, and briars, and with them he taught the men of Succoth.—*JUDGES*, ch. 8.

8854. — — — *By David.* ³¹ He brought forth the people that were therein, and put them under saws, and under harrows of iron, and under axes of iron, and made them pass through the brickkiln: and thus did he unto all the cities of the children of Ammon.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 12.

8855. — — — *Soldiers.* ²⁸ They stripped him, and put on him a scarlet robe. ²⁹ And when they had platted a crown of thorns, they put it upon his head, and a reed in his right hand: and they bowed the knee before him, and mocked him, saying, Hail! King of the Jews! ³⁰ And they spit upon him, and took the reed, and smote him on the head.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

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Ambition. Athallah destroyed all the seed royal 1857
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 Insulting. Purple..crown of thorns..Hall! 1860
 Pride. Mordecai bowed not..Haman full of wrath 1861
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 Savage. Slew the sons..before his eyes 1863
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Affection in. Send Lazarus to my father's house 3922
 Bottomless. Bottomless pit..smoke of a great 3923
 Preparation of. Cursed..into fire prepared for the 3924
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8856. TOUCH, A healing. *Of Jesus.* ²⁵ A certain woman, which had an issue of blood twelve years, ²⁶ And had suffered many things of many physicians, and had spent all that she had, and was nothing bettered, but rather grew worse, ²⁷..came in the press behind, and touched his garment.—*MARK*, ch. 5.

8857. — — — *Of Jesus.* ⁵⁶ Whithersoever he entered, into villages, or cities, or country, they laid the sick in the streets, and besought him that they might touch if it were but the border of his garment: and as many as touched him were made whole.—*MARK*, ch. 6.

8858. TRADE, Beneficial. *With Jacob.* ²⁰ Hamor and Shechem his son..communed with the men of their city, saying, ²¹ These men are peaceable with us; therefore let them dwell in the land, and trade therein; for the land, behold, it is large enough for them..²² Shall not their cattle and their substance and every beast of theirs be ours?—*GEN.*, ch. 34.

8859. — — — *Beating down in.* *Proverb.* ¹⁴ It is naught, it is naught, saith the buyer: but

when he is gone his way, then he boasteth.—*PROV.*, ch. 20.

8860. — — — *Dishonesty in.* *"Falsifying."* ⁵ Making the ephah small, and the shekel great, and falsifying the balances by deceit? ⁶ That we may buy the poor for silver, and the needy for a pair of shoes; yea, and sell the refuse of the wheat.—*AMOS*, ch. 8.

8861. — — — *Short Weight.* ¹ A false balance is abomination to the Lord; but a just weight is his delight.—*PROV.*, ch. 11.

8862. — — — *"Dealeth falsely."* ¹¹ For every one from the least even unto the greatest is given to covetousness, from the prophet even unto the priest every one dealeth falsely.—*JER.*, ch. 8.

8863. — — — *Lawful. Parable.* ¹⁵ When he was returned, having received the kingdom, then he commanded these servants to be called..to whom he had given the money, that he might know how much every man had gained by trading.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

8864. — — — *In Luxuries. Arrested.* ¹³ The merchandise of gold, and silver, and precious stones, and of pearls, and fine linen, and purple, and silk, and scarlet, and all thyine wood, and all manner vessels of ivory, and all manner vessels of most precious wood, and of brass, and iron, and marble, ¹⁴ And cinnamon, and odours, and ointments, and frankincense, and wine, and oil, and fine flour, and wheat, and beasts, and sheep, and horses, and chariots, and slaves, and souls of men.—*REV.*, ch. 18.

8865. — — — *Protection of. Silversmiths.* ²⁶ Saying that they be no gods, which are made with hands: ²⁷ So that not only this our craft is in danger to be set at nought; but also that the temple of the great goddess Diana.—*ACTS*, ch. 19.

8866. — — — *Sabbath. Merchandise.* ¹⁶ There dwelt men of Tyre also therein, which brought fish, and all manner of ware, and sold on the sabbath unto the children of Judah, and in Jerusalem.—*NEH.*, ch. 13.

8867. — — — *Corrected.* ²⁰ So the merchants and sellers of all kind of ware lodged without Jerusalem once or twice. ²¹ Then I testified against them..Why lodge ye about the wall? if ye do so again, I will lay hands on you. From that time forth came they no more on the sabbath.—*NEH.*, ch. 13.

8868. — — — *Tricks in.* *Forbidden.* ¹³ Thou shalt not have in thy bag divers weights, a great and a small: ¹⁴ Thou shalt not have in thine house divers measures, a great and a small.—*DEUT.*, ch. 25.

8869. TRADE-UNION, Power of. Silversmiths. ²⁴ A certain man named Demetrius, a silversmith, which made silver shrines for Diana, brought no small gain unto the craftsmen; ²⁵ Whom he called together with the workmen of like occupation, and said, Sirs, ye know that by this craft we have our wealth.—*ACTS*, ch. 19.

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5370. TRADITION, Inferior. Pharisees.
12 Making the word of God of none effect through your tradition, which ye have delivered : and many such like things do ye.—**MARK**, ch. 7.

5371. TRAITOR, A conspiring. Ahithophel.
21 One told David, saying, Ahithophel is among the conspirators with Absalom. And David said, O Lord, I pray thee, turn the counsel of Ahithophel into foolishness.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 15.

5372. — A defeated. Ahithophel. 23 When Ahithophel saw that his counsel was not followed, he saddled his ass, and gat him home, and put his household in order, and hanged himself.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 16.

5373. — Repentance of a. Judas. 3 Judas, which had betrayed him, when he saw that he was condemned, repented himself, and brought again the thirty pieces of silver to the chief priests and elders.—**MAT.**, ch. 27.

5374. — Remorse of. Judas. 4 I have sinned in that I have betrayed the innocent blood. And they said, What is that to us? see thou to that. 5 And he cast down the pieces of silver in the temple, and went and hanged himself.—**MAT.**, ch. 27.

5375. — suspected, A. By Defeat. 10 The king of Israel sent to the place which the man of God.. warned him of, and saved himself there, not once nor twice. 11 Therefore the heart of the king of Syria was sore troubled for this thing; and he called his servants, and said.. Will ye not shew me which of us is for the king of Israel?—**2 KINGS**, ch. 6.

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" The earth opened.. Korah.. went down 8904

5376. TRAINING, Early. Maid. 3 The Syrians had gone out by companies, and had brought away captive out of the land of Israel a little maid; and she waited on Naaman's wife. 4 And she said unto her mistress, Would God my lord were with the prophet that is in Samaria! for he would recover him of his leprosy.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 5.

5377. — — Moses. 24 By faith Moses, when he was come to years, refused to be called the son of Pharaoh's daughter; 25 Choosing rather to suffer affliction with the people of God, than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season: 26 Esteeming the reproach of Christ greater riches than the treasures in Egypt: for he had respect unto the recompense of the reward.—**HEB.**, ch. 11.

5378. — — Samuel. 21 For this child I prayed; and the Lord hath given me my petition. 22 Therefore also I have lent him to the Lord; as long as he liveth he shall be lent to the Lord.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 1.

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5379. TRANCE, A heavenly. Paul's. 3 I knew such a man, whether in the body, or out of the body, I cannot tell: God knoweth; 4 How that he was caught up into paradise, and heard unspeakable words, which it is not lawful for a man to utter.—**2 COR.**, ch. 12.

5380. TRANSFIGURATION of Grace. Image.

18 We all, with open face beholding as in a glass the glory of the Lord, are changed into the same image from glory to glory, even as by the Spirit of the Lord.—**2 COR.**, ch. 3.

5381. — in Prayer. Jesus 28 Took Peter and John and James, and went up into a mountain to pray. 29 And as he prayed, the fashion of his countenance was altered, and his raiment was white and glistening.—**LUKE**, ch. 9.

5382. TRANSLATION, Prepared for. Enoch. 22 Enoch walked with God after he begat Methuselah three hundred years. 24 And Enoch walked with God: and he was not; for God took him.—**GEN.**, ch. 5.

5383. TRAVELLERS for Canaan. Passover. 11 Thus shall ye eat it; with your loins girded, your shoes on your feet, and your staff in your hand; and ye shall eat it in haste: it is the Lord's passover.—**EX.**, ch. 12.

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5384. TREASURE, The Cross a. To Moses. 26 Esteeming the reproach of Christ greater riches than the treasures in Egypt: for he had respect unto the recompense of the reward. 27 By faith he forsook Egypt.—**HEB.**, ch. 11.

5385. — Discovery of. Parable. 4 The kingdom of heaven is like unto treasure hid in a field; the which when a man hath found, he hideth, and for joy thereof goeth and selleth all that he hath, and buyeth that field.—**MAT.**, ch. 13.

5386. TREASURES forsaken. Jacob. 19 Take you wagons out of the land of Egypt for your little ones, and for your wives, and bring your father, and come. 20 Also regard not your stuff; for the good of all the land of Egypt is yours.—**GEN.**, ch. 45.

5387. — in Heaven. Young Ruler. 21 One thing thou lackest: go thy way, sell whatsoever thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven.. and follow me. 22 And he was sad.—**MARK**, ch. 10.

5388. — insecure. Jesus said, 19 Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon earth, where moth and rust doth corrupt, and where thieves break through and steal.—**MARK**, ch. 6.

5389. — restored. Temple. 11 All the vessels of gold and of silver were five thousand and four hundred. All these did Sheshbazzar bring up with them of the captivity that were brought up from Babylon unto Jerusalem.—**EZRA**, ch. 1.

5390. — secure. In Heaven. 20 But lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt, and where thieves do not break through nor steal: 21 For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also.—**MAT.**, ch. 6.

5391. TREASURY watched. By Jesus. 41 Jesus sat over against the treasury, and be-

held how the people cast money into the treasury.—**MARK**, ch. 12.

8892. TREASURER, A dishonest. *Judas.* 'Why was not this ointment sold for three hundred pence, and given to the poor? 'This he said, not that he cared for the poor; but because he was a thief, and had the bag.—**JOHN**, ch. 12.

See WEALTH and references.

8893. TREACHERY, Artful. *Gibeonites.* 'They did work wilyly... as if they had been ambassadors, and took old sacks upon their asses, and wine bottles, old, and rent, and bound up; 'And old shoes and clouted upon their feet, and old garments upon them; and all the bread of their provision was dry and mouldy. 'And they went to Joshua.—**JOSEPH**, ch. 9.

8894. — Bloody. *Joab.* 'When Abner was returned to Hebron, Joab took him aside in the gate to speak with him quietly, and smote him there under the fifth rib, that he died, for the blood of Asahel his brother.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 3.

8895. — Disgraceful. *David.* 'He wrote in the letter, saying, Set ye Uriah in the forefront of the hottest battle, and retire ye from him, that he may be smitten, and die.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 11. [To Joab.]

8896. — Gain by. *Gibeonites.* 'Made a league with them, to let them live: and the princes of the congregation sware unto them. '...three days after they had made a league with them...they heard that they were their neighbours.—**JOSEPH**, ch. 9.

8897. — Hypocritical. *Pharisees.* 'Scribes and the Pharisees began to urge him vehemently, and to provoke him to speak of many things: 'Laying wait for him, and seeking to catch something out of his mouth, that they might accuse him.—**LUKE**, ch. 11.

8898. — in Politics. *Babylonians.* 'This Daniel was preferred above the presidents and princes, because an excellent spirit was in him; and the king thought to set him over the whole realm... 'Then said these men, We shall not find any occasion against this Daniel, except... concerning the law of his God.—**DAN.**, ch. 6.

8899. — Property by. *Ziba.* 'Behold, he abideth at Jerusalem: for he said, To-day shall the house of Israel restore me the kingdom of my father. 'Then said the king to Ziba, Behold, thine are all that pertained unto Mephibosheth.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 16. [Mephibosheth was loyal to David.]

8900. — punished. *Servitude.* 'Wherefore have ye beguiled us, saying, We are very far from you; when ye dwell among us? 'Now therefore ye are cursed, and there shall none of you be freed from being bondmen, and hewers of wood and drawers of water for the house of my God.—**JOSEPH**, ch. 9.

8901. — suspected. *Jeremiah.* 'Jeremiah went forth out of Jerusalem... to separate himself... 'And when he was in the gate of Benjamin, a captain of the ward was there... and he took Jeremiah the prophet, saying, Thou fallest away to the Chaldeans.—**JER.**, ch. 37.

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Accusation. By the life of Pharaoh, surely ye are s. **8906**
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Entertained. Joshua sent two men to spy out... **J.** **8909**
Intimidated. We were in our own sight as grassh. **8970**
Political. Absalom sent spies throughout all the **8971**
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Suspected. Which... is for the king of Israel? **8975**

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8902. TREASON, A justifiable. *Against Athaliah.* 'He brought forth Jehoash the king's son, and put the crown upon him, and gave him the testimony; and they made him king, and anointed him; and they clapped their hands, and said, God save the king... '...all the people of the land rejoiced, and blew with trumpets: and Athaliah rent her clothes, and cried, Treason, Treason!—**2 KINGS**, ch. 11.

8903. — Spiritual. *Korah.* 'They gathered... against Moses and against Aaron, and said... 'Ye take too much upon you, seeing all the congregation are holy, every one of them, and the Lord is among them: wherefore then lift ye up yourselves above the congregation of the Lord?—**NUM.**, ch. 16.

8904. — Punished. 'The earth opened her mouth... and their houses, and all the men that appertained unto Korah... '...and all that appertained to them, went down alive into the pit, and the earth closed upon them.—**NUM.**, ch. 16.

See TREACHERY and references.

8905. TREE of Life. *In Heaven.* 'The Spirit saith unto the churches; To him that overcometh will I give to eat of the tree of life, which is in the midst of the paradise of God.—**REV.**, ch. 2.

8906. — of Life debarred. *In Eden.* 'Behold, the man is become as one of us, to know good and evil: and now, lest he... take also of the tree of life, and eat, and live for ever: 'Therefore the Lord God sent him forth from the garden of Eden.—**GEN.**, ch. 3.

8907. — An aspiring. *Bramble.* 'The bramble said unto the trees, If in truth ye anoint me king over you, then come and put your trust in my shadow; and if not, let fire come out of the bramble, and devour the cedars of Lebanon.—**JUDGES**, ch. 9.

8908. — Tho barren. *Cut it down.* 'A certain man had a fig tree planted in his vineyard; and he came and sought fruit thereon, and found none.—**LUKE**, ch. 13.

8909. — A prohibited. *Tree of Knowledge.* 'But of the fruit of the tree which is in the midst of the garden, God hath said, Ye shall not eat of it, neither shall ye touch it, lest ye die.—**GEN.**, ch. 3.

8910. TREES, Humility of. *Parable.* 'Trees went forth on a time to anoint a king over them; and they said unto the olive tree, Reign thou over us. 'But the olive tree said... Should I leave my fatness, wherewith by me they honour

God and man, and go to be promoted over the trees?—JUDGES, ch. 9.

8911. — — — *Fig.* ¹⁰ The trees said to the fig tree, Come thou, and reign over us. ¹¹ But the fig tree said, Should I forsake my sweetness, and my good fruit, and go to be promoted over the trees?—JUDGES, ch. 9.

8912. — — — *Vine.* ¹² Said the trees unto the vine, Come thou, and reign over us. ¹³ And the vine said, Should I leave my wine, which cheereth God and man, and go to be promoted over the trees?—JUDGES, ch. 9.

8913. — — — *Bramble.* ¹⁴ Then said all the trees unto the bramble, Come thou, and reign over us.—JUDGES, ch. 9. [See No. 8907.]

8914. TRIAL forms Character. *Slaves made Freemen.* ²⁰ Israel saw the Egyptians dead upon the sea shore. ²¹ And Israel saw that great work which the Lord did upon the Egyptians: and the people feared the Lord, and believed the Lord, and his servant Moses.—EX., ch. 14.

8915. — — — *Red Sea.* ²¹ Strong east wind all that night, made the sea dry land, and the waters were divided. ²² And the children of Israel went into the midst of the sea upon the dry ground; and the waters were a wall unto them on their right hand, and on their left.—EX., ch. 14.

8916. — — — *of Faith. Heaviness.* ⁶ Ye greatly rejoice, though now for a season, if need be, ye are in heaviness through manifold temptations: ⁷ That the trial of your faith, being much more precious than of gold that perisheth, though it be tried with fire, might be found unto praise and honour and glory at the appearing of Jesus Christ.—1 PETER, ch. 1.

8917. — — — *Impenitence under. "Wild Bull."* ²⁰ Thy sons have fainted, they lie at the head of all the streets, as a wild bull in a net: they are full of the fury of the Lord, the rebuke of thy God.—ISA., ch. 51.

8918. — — — *Life a. In Eden.* ¹⁶ God commanded the man, saying, Of every tree of the garden thou mayest freely eat: ¹⁷ But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt not eat of it: shalt surely die.—GEN., ch. 2.

8919. — — — *A mock. Jesus.* ⁵⁸ The chief priests and all the council sought for witness against Jesus to put him to death; and found none. ⁵⁹ For many bare false witness against him, but their witness agreed not together.—MARK, ch. 14.

8920. — — — *proportioned. Exodus.* ¹⁷ When Pharaoh had let the people go, God led them not through the way of the land of the Philistines, although that was near; for God said, Lest peradventure the people repent when they see war, and they return to Egypt.—EX., ch. 13.

8921. — — — *Stubbornness in. Ahaz.* ²² In the time of his distress did he trespass yet more against the Lord: this is that king Ahaz. ²³ For he sacrificed unto the gods of Damascus, which smote him: and he said, Because the gods of the kings of Syria help them, therefore will I sacrifice to them, that they may help me. But they were the ruin of him, and of all Israel.—2 CHRON., ch. 28.

8922. — — — *A severe. Abraham's.* ² Take now thy son, thine only son Isaac, whom thou

lovest, and get thee into the land of Moriah; and offer him there for a burnt offering upon one of the mountains which I will tell thee off.—GEN., ch. 22.

8923. TRIALS in Business. *Jacob.* ⁴⁶ Thus I was; in the day the drought consumed me, and the frost by night; and my sleep departed from mine eyes.—GEN., ch. 31.

8924. — — — *Backsliding amid. Israelites.* ¹⁸ Ye have wept in the ears of the Lord, saying, Who shall give us flesh to eat? for it was well with us in Egypt: therefore the Lord will give you flesh, and ye shall eat.—NUM., ch. 11.

8925. — — — *a Blessing. Persecution.* ¹¹ Blessed are ye, when men shall revile you, and persecute you, and shall say all manner of evil against you falsely, for my sake. ¹² Rejoice, and be exceeding glad: for great is your reward in heaven.—MAT., ch. 5.

8926. — — — *Comfort in. Ziklag burned.* ⁶ David was greatly distressed; for the people spake of stoning him, because the soul of all the people was grieved, every man for his sons and for his daughters: but David encouraged himself in the Lord his God.—1 SAM., ch. 30.

8927. — — — *Confidence in. Paul.* ³¹ I am persuaded, that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, ³² Nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.—ROM., ch. 8.

8928. — — — *winnow the Church. "No Root"* ¹⁶ Sown on stony ground; who, when they have heard the word, immediately receive it with gladness; ¹⁷ And have no root in themselves, and so endure but for a time: afterward, when affliction or persecution ariseth for the word's sake, immediately they are offended.—MARK, ch. 4.

8929. — — — *after Deliverance. Marah.* ²² Moses brought Israel from the Red sea, and they went three days in the wilderness, and found no water. ²³ And when they came to Marah, they could not drink of the waters of Marah, for they were bitter.—EX., ch. 15.

8930. — — — *Darkness of. Providence.* ⁶ Know now that God hath overthrown me, and hath compassed me with his net. ⁷ Behold, I cry out of wrong, but I am not heard: I cry aloud, but there is no judgment. ⁸ He hath fenced up my way that I cannot pass, and he hath set darkness in my paths.—JOB, ch. 19.

8931. — — — *Encouragement in. "Glory."* ¹⁷ Our light affliction, which is but for a moment, worketh for us a far more exceeding and eternal weight of glory; ¹⁸ While we look not at the things which are seen, but at the things which are not seen.—2 COR., ch. 4.

8932. — — — *Hope amid. Job.* ²¹ I know that my Redeemer liveth, and that he shall stand at the latter day upon the earth: ²² And though after my skin worms destroy this body, yet in my flesh shall I see God: ²³ Whom I shall see for myself, and mine eyes shall behold, and not another; though my reins be consumed within me.—JOB, ch. 19.

8933. — — — *David.* ⁶ Why art thou cast down, O my soul? and why art thou disquieted

in me? hope thou in God: for I shall yet praise him for the help of his countenance.—Ps. 42.

8934. — — *Apostles.* ⁸ We are troubled on every side, yet not distressed; we are perplexed, but not in despair; ⁹ Persecuted, but not forsaken; cast down, but not destroyed; ¹⁰ Always bearing about in the body the dying of the Lord Jesus.—2 Cor., ch. 4.

8935. — *Joy in.* *Persecution.* ³⁴ Ye had compassion on me in my bonds, and took joyfully the spoiling of your goods, knowing in yourselves that ye have in heaven a better and an enduring substance.—Heb., ch. 10.

8936. — *multiplied.* *Job.* ¹⁸ Young children despised me; I arose, and they spake against me. ¹⁹ All my inward friends abhorred me: and they whom I loved are turned against me. ²⁰ My bone cleaveth to my skin and to my flesh, and I am escaped with the skin of my teeth.—Job, ch. 19.

8937. — *Overburdening.* *Moses.* ¹¹ Thou layest the burden of all this people upon me? ¹² Have I begotten them, that thou shouldst say unto me, Carry them in thy bosom, as a nursing father beareth the sucking child, unto the land.—Num., ch. 11. [They murmured for flesh.]

8938. — *Rest from.* *Elim.* ²¹ They came to Elim, where were twelve wells of water, and threescore and ten palm trees: and they encamped there by the waters.—Ex., ch. 15.

8939. — *Severe.* *Apostles.* ¹¹ We both hunger, and thirst, and are naked, and are buffeted, and have no certain dwellingplace; ¹² And labour, working with our own hands: being reviled, we bless; being persecuted, we suffer it: ¹³ Being defamed, we entreat: we are made as the filth of the world.—1 Cor., ch. 4.

8940. — — *Paul.* ²³ Are they ministers of Christ? I am more; in labours more abundant, in stripes above measure, in prisons more frequent, in deaths oft. ²⁴ Of the Jews five times received I forty stripes save one. ²⁵ Thrice was I beaten with rods, once was I stoned, thrice I suffered shipwreck, a night and a day I have been in the deep.—2 Cor., ch. 11.

8941. — — *Paul.* ²⁶ In journeyings often, in perils of waters, in perils of robbers, in perils by mine own countrymen, in perils by the heathen, in perils in the city, in perils in the wilderness, in perils in the sea, in perils among false brethren.—2 Cor., ch. 11.

8942. — — *Paul.* ²⁷ In weariness and painfulness, in watchings often, in hunger and thirst, in fastings often, in cold and nakedness. ²⁸ Beside those things that are without, that which cometh upon me daily, the care of all the churches.—2 Cor., ch. 11.

8943. — *Use of.* *Canaanites.* ¹ These are the nations which the Lord left, to prove Israel by them. ² Namely, five lords of the Philistines, and all the Canaanites, and the Sidonians, and the Hivites that dwelt in mount Lebanon.—Judges, ch. 3.

8944. — — *"More Fruit."* ¹ I am the true vine, and my Father is the husbandman. ² Every branch in me that beareth not fruit he taketh away: and every branch that beareth fruit, he purgeth it, that it may bring forth more fruit.—John, ch. 15.

8945. — *Victory over.* *Paul.* ³⁵ Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? ³⁷ Nay, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him that loved us.—Rom., ch. 8.

8946. — *understood.* *"Partakers... Glory."* ¹² Beloved, think it not strange concerning the fiery trial which is to try you, as though some strange thing happened unto you: ¹³ But rejoice, inasmuch as ye are partakers of Christ's sufferings; that, when his glory shall be revealed, ye may be glad also with exceeding joy.—1 Peter, ch. 4.

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8947. *TRIBULATION at the Judgment.* *Sixth Seal.* ¹³ There was a great earthquake; and the sun became black as sackcloth of hair, and the moon became as blood; ¹² And the stars of heaven fell. ¹⁴ And the heaven departed as a scroll when it is rolled together; and every mountain and island were moved out of their places.—Rev., ch. 6. [See No. 4785.]

8948. — *Joy in.* *Paul.* ⁴ I am filled with comfort, I am exceeding joyful in all our tribulation. ⁵ For, when we were come into Macedonia, our flesh had no rest, but we were troubled on every side; without were fightings, within were fears.—2 Cor., ch. 7.

8949. — *recompensed.* *"White Robes."* ¹³ What are these which are arrayed in white robes? and whence came they? ¹⁴ And I said.. Sir, thou knowest. And he said to me, These are they which came out of great tribulation, and have washed their robes, and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.—Rev., ch. 7.

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8950. TRIBUTE from Enemies. *To Jotham.* ⁵ He fought...the Ammonites...And the children of Ammon gave him the same year a hundred talents of silver, and ten thousand measures of wheat, and ten thousand of barley...both the second year, and the third.—2 CHRON., ch. 27.

8951. — levied. *"Fifty Shekels."* ²⁰ Menahem exacted the money of Israel, even of all the mighty men of wealth, of each man fifty shekels of silver, to give to the king of Assyria.—2 KINGS, ch. 15.

8952. — in Sheep. *Mesha.* ⁴ Mesha king of Moab was a sheepmaster, and rendered unto the king of Israel a hundred thousand lambs, and a hundred thousand rams, with the wool. ⁵...when Ahab was dead...the king of Moab rebelled.—2 KINGS, ch. 3.

8953. — in Silver. *Israelites.* ¹⁹ Pul the king of Assyria came against the land: and Menahem gave Pul a thousand talents of silver, that his hand might be with him to confirm the kingdom in his hand.—2 KINGS, ch. 15. [About \$1,811,000.]

8954. — A useless. *Ahaz.* ²¹ Ahaz took away a portion out of the house of the Lord, and out of the house of the king, and of the princes, and gave it unto the king of Assyria: but he helped him not.—2 CHRON., ch. 28.

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8955. TRICK, A diplomatic. *Gibeonites.* ⁷ Peradventure ye dwell among us; and how shall we make a league with you? ⁸ And they said unto Joshua...⁹...From a very far country thy servants are come.—JOSH., ch. 9. [With mouldy bread and ragged shoes.]

8956. — The Hypocrites'. *Is Tribute lawful?* ²⁰ Watched him, and sent forth spies, which should feign themselves just men, that they might take hold of his words, that so they might deliver him unto...the governor. ²¹ And they asked him, saying, Master, we know that thou sayest and teachest rightly, neither acceptest thou the person of any, but teachest the way of God truly.—LUKE, ch. 20.

8957. — of Legerdemain. *Magicians.* ¹¹ The magicians of Egypt, they also did in like manner with their enchantments. ¹² For they cast down every man his rod, and they became serpents.—EX., ch. 7.

8958. — A Politician's. *Babylonians.* ¹ Whosoever shall ask a petition of any god or man for thirty days, save of thee, O king, he shall be cast into the den of lions. ⁸ Now, O king, establish the decree, and sign the writing, that it be not changed, according to the law of

the Medes and Persians, which altereth not.—DAN., ch. 6.

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8959. TRIFLES, Blinded by. *Pharisees.* ²⁴ Ye blind guides, which strain at a gnat, and swallow a camel. ²⁵ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye make clean the outside of the cup and of the platter, but within they are full of extortion and excess.—MAT., ch. 23.

8960. — Comparative. *Samson.* ⁵ In the morning, when it is day, we shall kill him. ⁸ And Samson...arose at midnight, and took the doors of the gate of the city, and the two posts, and went away with them, bar and all.—JUDGES, ch. 16.

8961. — magnified. *Tithes.* ²³ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye pay tithe of mint, and anise, and cummin, and have omitted the weightier matters of the law, judgment, mercy, and faith.—MAT., ch. 23.

8962. — Washing. ⁵ The Pharisees and scribes asked him, Why walk not thy disciples according to the tradition of the elders, but eat bread with unwashen hands?—MARK, ch. 7.

8963. — observed. *"Washed."* ³¹ A certain Pharisee besought him to dine with him: and he went in, and sat down to meat. ³²...he marvelled that he had not first washed before dinner.—LUKE, ch. 11.

8964. — Theological. *Avoid.* ⁸ Avoid foolish questions, and genealogies, and contentions, and strivings about the law; for they are unprofitable and vain.—TITUS, ch. 3.

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8965. TRINITY revealed. *The. Baptism.* ¹⁶ Lo, the heavens were opened unto him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove, and lighting upon him: ¹⁷ And lo a voice from heaven, saying, This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased.—MAT., ch. 3.

8966. TRIUMPH of Christ. *Complete.* ⁴ Whosoever shall fall on this stone shall be broken: but on whomsoever it shall fall, it will grind him to powder.—MAT., ch. 21.

8967. — A glorious. *Paul.* ¹ I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith: ⁸ Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness.—2 TIM., ch. 4.

8968. — Spiritual. *Stephen.* ⁵ They stoned Stephen, calling upon God, and saying, Lord Jesus, receive my spirit. ⁶ And he kneeled down and cried with a loud voice, Lord, lay not this sin to their charge. And when he had said this, he fell asleep.—ACTS, ch. 7.

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S969. TROUBLE, Awakened by. Idolaters. ¹⁷ Saying to a stock, Thou art my father; and to a stone, Thou hast brought me forth: for they have turned their back unto me, and not their face: but in the time of their trouble they will say, Arise, and save us.—**JER.**, ch. 2.

S970. — from Abundance. Parable. ¹⁶ The ground of a certain rich man brought forth plentifully: ¹⁷ And he thought within himself, saying, What shall I do, because I have no room where to bestow my fruits?—**LUKE**, ch. 12.

S971. — Borrowing. By Red Sea. ¹² Is not this the word that we did tell thee in Egypt, saying, Let us alone, that we may serve the Egyptians? For it had been better for us to serve the Egyptians, than that we should die in the wilderness.—**EX.**, ch. 14.

S972. — — Forbidden. ²⁴ Take therefore no thought for the morrow: for the morrow shall take thought for the things of itself. Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof.—**MAT.**, ch. 6.

S973. — Business. Borrower. ⁸ As one was felling a beam, the axe head fell into the water: and he cried, and said, Alas, Master! for it was borrowed.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 6.

S974. — Comfort in. David. ³ I poured out my complaint before him; I shewed before him my trouble. ³ When my spirit was overwhelmed within me, then thou knewest my path.—**PS.** 142.

S975. — Despairing in. Moses. ¹² Whence should I have flesh to give unto all this people? for they weep unto me, saying, Give us flesh, that we may eat. ¹⁴ I am not able to bear all this people alone, because it is too heavy for me. ¹⁵ And if thou deal thus with me, kill me, I pray thee, out of hand.—**NUM.**, ch. 11.

S976. — Domestic. Martha. ⁴⁰ Lord, my sister hath left me to serve alone? bid her therefore that she help me. ⁴¹ And Jesus answered, Martha, Martha, thou art careful and troubled about many things.—**LUKE**, ch. 10.

S977. — delayed. Wicked. ¹¹ Until I went into the sanctuary of God; then understood I their end. ¹⁸ Surely thou didst set them in slippery places: thou castedst them down into destruction.—**PS.** 73.

S978. — A Dreamer's. King. ¹ Nebuchadnezzar dreamed dreams, wherewith his spirit was troubled, and his sleep brake from him.—**DAN.**, ch. 2.

S979. — explained. Moses said, ³ He humbled thee, and suffered thee to hunger, and fed thee with manna, which thou knewest not, neither did thy fathers know; that he might make thee know that man doth not live by bread only, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of the Lord.—**DEUT.**, ch. 8.

S980. — Family. Hannah by Peninnah. ⁶ Because the Lord had shut up her womb. ⁷ And as he did so year by year, when she went up to the house of the Lord, so she provoked

her; therefore she wept, and did not eat.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 1.

S981. — Forsaking God in. Ahaz. ²² In the time of his distress did he trespass yet more against the Lord: this is that king Ahaz. ²³ For he sacrificed unto the gods of Damascus, which smote him: and he said, Because the gods of the kings of Syria help them, therefore will I sacrifice to them, that they may help me. But they were the ruin of him, and of all Israel.—**2 CHRON.**, ch. 28.

S982. — Helpless in. Sinners. ¹³ Ye have forsaken me, and served other gods: wherefore I will deliver you no more. ¹⁴ Go and cry unto the gods which ye have chosen; let them deliver you in the time of your tribulation.—**JUDGES**, ch. 10.

S983. — An increasing. In Egypt. ¹⁸ There shall no straw be given you, yet shall ye deliver the tale of bricks. ¹⁹ And the officers of the children of Israel did see that they were in evil case, after it was said, Ye shall not diminish aught. . of your daily task.—**EX.**, ch. 5.

S984. — — Jacob. ²⁸ Me have ye bereaved of my children: Joseph is not, and Simeon is not, and ye will take Benjamin away: all these things are against me.—**GEN.**, ch. 42.

S985. — for Others. Parable. ³⁰ Thou fool, this night thy soul shall be required of thee: then whose shall those things be, which thou hast provided?—**LUKE**, ch. 12.

S986. — Overwhelmed with. Eli. ¹⁷ And the messenger answered and said, Israel is fled before the Philistines, and there hath been also a great slaughter among the people, and thy two sons also, Hophni and Phinehas, are dead, and the ark of God is taken. ¹⁸ And it came to pass, when he made mention of the ark of God, that he fell from off the seat backward by the side of the gate, and his neck brake, and he died.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 4.

S987. — Prayer in. David's. ⁹ Have mercy upon me, O Lord, for I am in trouble: mine eye is consumed with grief, yea, my soul and my belly. ¹⁰ For my life is spent with grief, and my years with sighing.—**PS.** 31.

S988. — Penitence in. Israelites. ¹⁸ We have sinned: do thou unto us whatsoever seemeth good unto thee; deliver us only, we pray thee, this day. ¹⁹ And they put away the strange gods from among them, and served the Lord: and his soul was grieved for the misery of Israel.—**JUDGES**, ch. 10.

S989. — — Moses said, ³⁰ When thou art in tribulation, and all these things are come upon thee, even in the latter days, if thou turn to the Lord thy God, and shalt be obedient unto his voice; ³¹ (For the Lord thy God is a merciful God;) he will not forsake thee, neither destroy thee.—**DEUT.**, ch. 4.

S990. — Perplexing. Jews. ¹⁸ The king and Haman sat down to drink; but the city Shushan was perplexed.—**ESTHER**, ch. 3.

S991. — Patience with. Waited. ¹ I waited patiently for the Lord; and he inclined unto me, and heard my cry. ² He brought me up also out of a horrible pit, out of the miry clay, and set my feet upon a rock, and established my goings.—**PS.** 40.

9992. — *Refuge in. God.* ¹ God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. ² Therefore will not we fear, though the earth be removed, and though the mountains be carried into the midst of the sea.—Ps. 46.

9993. — *removed. Joy.* ²² I said in my haste, I am cut off from before thine eyes: nevertheless thou heardest the voice of my supplications when I cried unto thee. ²³ O love the Lord, all ye his saints: for the Lord preserveth the faithful.—Ps. 31.

9994. — *Royal. David.* [Abner assassinated.] ²¹ I am this day weak, though anointed king; and these men the sons of Zeruiah be too hard for me.—2 SAM., ch. 3.

9995. — *relieved. In Sanctuary.* [See Nos. 8977 and 8999.]

9996. — *Retributive. Joseph's Brethren.* ²¹ We are verily guilty concerning our brother, in that we saw the anguish of his soul, when he besought us, and we would not hear; therefore is this distress come upon us.—GEN., ch. 42.

9997. — *seen. God.* ²⁴ I have seen, I have seen the affliction of my people which is in Egypt, and I have heard their groaning, and am come down to deliver them. And now come, I will send thee into Egypt.—Acts, ch. 7.

9998. — *Jesus.* ⁴⁸ He saw them toiling in rowing; for the wind was contrary unto them: and about the fourth watch of the night he cometh unto them, walking upon the sea.—MARK, ch. 6.

9999. — *Sanctuary in. Church.* ³ For a long season Israel hath been without the true God, and without a teaching priest, and without law. ⁴ But when they in their trouble did turn unto the Lord God of Israel, and sought him, he was found of them.—2 CHRON., ch. 15.

9000. — *Shelter from. God.* ⁴ Thou hast been a strength to the poor, a strength to the needy in his distress, a refuge from the storm, a shadow from the heat, when the blast of the terrible ones is as a storm against the wall.—ISA., ch. 25.

9001. — *Times of. Public.* ⁶ In those times there was no peace to him that went out, nor to him that came in, but great vexations were upon all the inhabitants of the countries.—2 CHRON., ch. 15.

9002. — *Unendurable. Rebekah.* ⁴⁶ Rebekah said to Isaac, I am weary of my life because of the daughters of Heth: if Jacob take a wife of the daughters of Heth, such as these which are of the daughters of the land, what good shall my life do me?—GEN., ch. 27.

9003. — *Comparison.* ³ I was envious at the foolish, when I saw the prosperity of the wicked. ⁴ For there are no bands in their death: but their strength is firm. ⁵ They are not in trouble as other men: neither are they plagued like other men.—Ps. 73. [Also see No. 8977.]

9004. — *Years of. Eight.* ²² He found a certain man named Eneas, which had kept his bed eight years, and was sick of the palsy. ²⁴ And Peter said unto him, Eneas, Jesus Christ maketh thee whole.—Acts, ch. 9.

9005. — *Twelve.* ²⁵ A certain woman, which had an issue of blood twelve years, ²⁶ And

had suffered many things of many physicians, and had spent all that she had, and was nothing bettered, but rather grew worse.—MARK, ch. 5.

9006. — *Thirty-eight.* ⁵ A certain man was there, which had an infirmity thirty and eight years. ⁷ The impotent man answered him, Sir, I have no man, when the water is troubled, to put me into the pool: but while I am coming, another steppeth down before me.—JOHN, ch. 5.

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9007. TRUCE, A valuable. *Saul came.* ² Na-hash the Ammonite answered them, On this condition will I make a covenant with you, that I may thrust out all your right eyes, and lay it for a reproach upon all Israel. ³ And the elders of Jabesh said... Give us seven days' respite.—1 SAM., ch. 11.

9008. TRUST, An active. *Hezekiah.* ⁶ He clave to the Lord, and departed not from following him, but kept his commandments... ⁷ And the Lord was with him; and he prospered whithersoever he went forth: and he rebelled against the king of Assyria, and served him not.—2 KINGS, ch. 18.

9009. — A courageous. *David.* ⁴⁵ To the Philistine, Thou comest to me with a sword, and with a spear, and with a shield: but I come to thee in the name of the Lord of hosts, the God of the armies of Israel, whom thou hast defied.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

9010. — Experience strengthens. *David.* ¹⁷ The Lord that delivered me out of the paw of the lion, and out of the paw of the bear, he will deliver me out of the hand of this Philistine. And Saul said unto David, Go, and the Lord be with thee.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

9011. — An Egotist's. *Pharisee.* I. I. I. I. I. I. [See No. 9023.]

9012. — A fearless. *Three Hebrews.* ¹⁶ Nebuchadnezzar, we are not careful to answer thee in this matter. ¹⁷ If it be so, our God whom we serve is able to deliver us from the burning fiery furnace, and he will deliver us out of thine hand, O king.—DAN., ch. 3.

9013. — Death. ⁴ Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.—PS. 23.

9014. — David. ⁵ I called upon the Lord in distress: the Lord answered me, and set me in a large place. ⁶ The Lord is on my side; I will not fear: what can man do unto me?—PS. 118.

9015. — A fixed. *Job.* ¹⁸ Though he slay me, yet will I trust in him.—JOB, ch. 13.

9016. — A foolish. *Bramble.* ¹⁵ The bramble said unto the trees, If in truth ye anoint me king over you, then come and put your trust in my shadow; and if not, let fire come out of the bramble, and devour the cedars of Lebanon.—JUDGES, ch. 9.

9017. — honoured. *Reuben—Gad.* ²² They were helped against them, and the Hagarites were delivered into their hand, and all that were with them: for they cried to God in the battle, and he was entreated of them; because they put their trust in him.—1 CHRON., ch. 5.

9018. — An honoured. *Protector.* [See No. 9027.] ²⁵ The angel of the Lord went out, and smote in the camp of the Assyrians a hundred fourscore and five thousand: and when they arose early in the morning, behold, they were all dead.—2 KINGS, ch. 19.

9019. A hindering. *In Riches.* ³⁴ The disciples were astonished at his words. But Jesus saith unto them, Children, how hard is it for them that trust in riches to enter into the kingdom of God!—MARK, ch. 10.

9020. — An ill-timed. *From Philistines.* ² The elders of Israel said, Wherefore hath the Lord smitten us to day before the Philistines? Let us fetch the ark of the covenant of the Lord out of Shiloh unto us, that... it may save us out of the hand of our enemies.—1 SAM., ch. 4.

9021. — in Providence. *Paul.* ⁵ Be content with such things... as ye have: for he hath said, I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee. ⁶ So that we may boldly say, The Lord is my helper, and I will not fear what man shall do unto me.—HEB., ch. 13.

9022. — in Self. *Goliath.* ⁴¹ The Philistine... drew near unto David; and the man that bare the shield went before him. ⁴² And when the Philistine looked about, and saw David, he disdained him: for he was but a youth.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

9023. — Pharisee. ¹¹ God, I thank thee, that I am not as other men are, extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this publican. ¹² I fast twice in the week, I give tithes of all that I possess.—LUXE, ch. 18.

9024. — Peter. ³¹ Peter said unto him, Lord, why cannot I follow thee now? I will lay down my life for thy sake.—JOHN, ch. 13.

9025. — in Self, No. *Paul.* ⁹ We had the sentence of death in ourselves, that we should not trust in ourselves, but in God which raiseth the dead.—2 COR., ch. 1.

9026. — A safe. *Believers.* ¹ They that trust in the Lord shall be as mount Zion, which cannot be removed, but abideth for ever. ² As the mountains are round about Jerusalem, so the Lord is round about his people from henceforth even for ever.—PS. 125.

9027. — Trial of. *Rabshakeh said,* ³⁰ Neither let Hezekiah make you trust in the Lord, saying, The Lord will surely deliver us, and this city... ³² Hath any of the gods of the nations delivered at all his land out of the hand of the king of Assyria?—2 KINGS, ch. 18.

9028. — A treacherous. *In Egypt.* ¹ Woe to them that go down to Egypt for help; and stay on horses, and trust in chariots, because they are many; and in horsemen, because they are very strong: but they look not unto the Holy One of Israel, neither seek the Lord!—ISA., ch. 31.

9029. — An unfaltering. *Asa's.* ⁹ There came out against them Zerah the Ethiopian with a host of a thousand thousand, and three hundred chariots... ¹¹ And Asa cried... Lord, it is nothing with thee to help, whether with many, or with them that have no power: help us, O Lord our God; for we rest on thee, and in thy name we go against this multitude.—2 CHRON., ch. 14.

9030. — unshaken. *In God.* [See No. 9027.] ³⁶ But the people held their peace, and answered him not a word: for the king's commandment was, saying, Answer him not.—2 KINGS, ch. 18.

9031. — An unwarranted. *Presumption.* ⁶ If thou be the Son of God, cast thyself down: for it is written, He shall give his angels charge concerning thee: and in their hands they shall bear thee up.—MAT., ch. 3.

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9032. TRUTH agitated. *At Athens.* ¹⁶ While Paul waited..at Athens, his spirit was stirred in him, when he saw the city wholly given to idolatry. ¹⁷ Therefore disputed he in the synagogue with the Jews, and with the devout persons, and in the market daily with them that met with him.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

9033. — Blood with the. *At Sinai.* ¹⁹ When Moses had spoken every precept..he took the blood of calves and of goats, with water, and scarlet wool, and hyssop, and sprinkled both the book and all the people.—*HEB.*, ch. 7.

9034. — convicts. *Feliz.* ²⁵ As he reasoned of righteousness, temperance, and judgment to come, Felix trembled.—*ACTS*, ch. 24.

9035. — Conspiracy against. *Ananias—Sapphira.* ⁸ Tell me whether ye sold the land for so much? And she said, Yea, for so much. ⁹ Then Peter said..How is it that ye have agreed together to tempt the Spirit of the Lord?—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

9036. — Conflict with. *Powder.* ⁴⁴ Whosoever shall fall on this stone shall be broken: but on whomsoever it shall fall, it will grind him to powder.—*MAT.*, ch. 21.

9037. — Various Effects of. *Athens.* ²² When they heard of the resurrection of the dead, some mocked: and others said, We will hear thee again of this matter. ²⁴ Howbeit, certain..believed..Dionysius the Areopagite, and a woman named Damaris, and others with them.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

9038. — Freedom in. *Believers.* ³¹ Said Jesus to those Jews which believed on him, If ye continue in my word, *then* are ye my disciples indeed; ³² And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.—*JOHN*, ch. 8.

9039. — Inquiry for. *Pilate.* ³⁷ Every one that is of the truth, heareth my voice. ³⁸ Pilate saith unto him, What is truth? And when he had said this, he..saith unto them, I find in him no fault *at all*.—*JOHN*, ch. 18.

9040. — Power of. *Josiah.* ¹¹ When the king had heard the words of the book of the law..he rent his clothes.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 22.

9041. — ridiculed. *At Athens.* [See No. 9037.]

9042. — resisted. *Saul.* ⁵ Who art thou, Lord? And the Lord said, I am Jesus whom thou persecutest: *it is hard* for thee to kick against the pricks.—*ACTS*, ch. 9.

9043. — False Standard of. *Jesus said,* ¹ In vain do they worship me, teaching for doctrines the commandments of men.—*MARK*, ch. 7.

9044. — Stumbling at. *Jews.* ⁴⁵ Because I tell you the truth, ye believe me not. ⁴⁶ Which of you convinceth me of sin? And if I say the truth, why do ye not believe me?—*JOHN*, ch. 8.

9045. — — Disciples. ⁵⁴ Whoso eateth my flesh, and drinketh my blood, hath eternal life; and I will raise him up at the last day.. ⁶⁶ From that time many of his disciples went back, and walked no more with him.—*JOHN*, ch. 6.

9046. — The whole. *Eli.* ¹⁶ Eli called Samuel.. ¹⁷ And he said, What is the thing that the Lord hath said unto thee? I pray thee hide it not from me: God do so to thee, and more also, if thou hide any thing from me.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 3.

9047. — Warfare of the. *Spiritual.* ³⁴ Think not that I am come to send peace on earth: I came not to send peace, but a sword.. ³⁶ And a man's foes shall be they of his own household.—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

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9048. TYRANNY, Unendurable. *Rehoboam* ¹⁴ Spake to them after the counsel of the young men, saying, My father made your yoke heavy, and I will add to your yoke: my father *also* chastised you with whips, but I will chastise you with scorpions.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 12.

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Avarice. Buy the needy for a pair of shoes 5017
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Servants. Thou shalt not oppress a hired servant 5020
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9049. TUMULT, Fear of. *Pilate.* ⁴ When Pilate saw that he could prevail nothing, but that rather a tumult was made, he took water, and washed his hands before the multitude, say-

ing, I am innocent of the blood of this just person.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

9050. — *Peace in a Stephen.* ⁵⁷ They cried out with a loud voice, and stopped their ears, and ran upon him with one accord. ⁵⁸ And they stoned Stephen, calling upon God, and saying, Lord Jesus, receive my spirit. ⁶⁰ And he kneeled down, and cried with a loud voice, Lord, lay not this sin to their charge. And when he had said this, he fell asleep.—*ACTS*, ch. 7.

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Bigots. Two hours cried out, Great is Diana 5487
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Trial by. Cried..loud voice..ran upon Stephen 5491
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9051. UNBELIEF corrected. “*See.*” ²² Shall the flocks and the herds be slain for them, to suffice them? or shall all the fish of the sea be gathered together for them, to suffice them? ²⁵ And the Lord said unto Moses, Is the Lord's hand waxed short? thou shalt see now whether my word shall come to pass unto thee or not.—*NUM.*, ch. 11.

9052. — *condemns.* *Jesus said,* ¹⁸ He that believeth on him is not condemned: but he that believeth not is condemned already, because he hath not believed in the name of the only begotten Son of God.—*JOHN*, ch. 3.

9053. — *a Detriment.* *Wilderness.* [See No. 8920.]

9054. — *Discouragement from.* *Wait.* ¹² Moses said, Fear ye not, stand still, and see the salvation of the Lord, which he will shew to you to day: for the Egyptians whom ye have seen to day, ye shall see them again no more for ever.—*EX.*, ch. 14.

9055. — *Divided by.* *At Rome.* ²³ There came many to him into his lodging; to whom he expounded and testified the kingdom of God, persuading them concerning Jesus, both out of the law of Moses, and out of the prophets, from morning till evening. ²⁴ And some believed.. some believed not.—*ACTS*, ch. 28.

9056. — *excludes.* *Heaven.* ¹¹ I swear in my wrath, They shall not enter into my rest. ¹² Take heed, brethren, lest there be in any of you an evil heart of unbelief, in departing from the living God.—*HEB.*, ch. 3.

9057. — *Failure from.* *Demon-bound.* ¹³ Then came the disciples to Jesus apart, and said, Why could not we cast him out? ²⁰ And Jesus said unto them, Because of your unbelief.—*MAT.*, ch. 17.

9058. — *angers God.* *Spies reported.* ¹¹ The Lord said unto Moses, How long will this people provoke me? and how long will it be ere they believe me, for all the signs which I have shewed among them? ¹² I will smite them with a pestilence, and disinherit them, and will make of thee a greater nation and mightier than they.—*NUM.*, ch. 14.

9059. — *from Incredulity.* *Disciples.* ¹⁴ When she knew Peter's voice, she..ran in, and told how Peter stood before the gate. ¹⁵ And they said unto her, Thou art mad. But she constantly affirmed that it was even so. Then said they, It is his angel.—*ACTS*, ch. 12.

9060. — *an Insult.* “*Liar.*” ¹⁰ He that believeth on the Son of God hath the witness in himself: he that believeth not God, hath made him a liar, because he believeth not the record that God gave of his Son.—*1 JOHN*, ch. 5.

9061. — *Natural.* *Israelites.* ¹ Moses answered, But, behold, they will not believe me, nor hearken unto my voice: for they will say, The Lord hath not appeared unto thee.—*EX.*, ch. 4.

9062. — *punished.* *Egyptians.* ¹⁹ The hail shall come down upon them, and they shall die. ²⁰ He that feared the word of the Lord among the servants of Pharaoh made his servants and his cattle flee into the houses: ²¹ And he that regarded not the word of the Lord left his..cattle in the field.—*EX.*, ch. 9.

9063. — *Of Leaders.* ¹¹ Water came out abundantly, and the congregation drank. ¹² And the Lord spake unto Moses and Aaron, Because ye believed me not, to sanctify me in the eyes of the children of Israel, therefore ye shall not bring this congregation into the land.—*NUM.*, ch. 20.

9064. — *Partial.* ²⁸ Thus saith the Lord, Because the Syrians have said, The Lord is God of the hills, but he is not God of the valleys, therefore will I deliver all this great multitude into thine hand, and ye shall know that I am the Lord.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 20.

9065. — *Prayer against.* “*Help.*” ²² If thou canst believe, all things are possible to him that believeth. ²⁴ And straightway the father of the child cried out, and said with tears, Lord, I believe; help thou mine unbelief.—*MAT.*, ch. 9.

9066. — *reproved.* *By Birds.* ²⁴ Consider the ravens: for they neither sow nor reap; which neither have storehouse nor barn; and God feedeth them: how much more are ye better than the fowls?—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

9067. — *By Flowers.* ²⁷ Consider the lilies how they grow: they toil not, they spin not; and yet..Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. ²⁸ If then God so clothe the grass, which is to day in the field, and to morrow is cast into the oven; how much more will he clothe you, O ye of little faith?—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

9068. — *Resurrection.* ¹³ They went and told it unto the residue: neither believed they them. ¹⁴ Afterward he appeared unto the eleven as they sat at meat, and upbraided them with their unbelief and hardness of heart, because they believed not them which had seen him after he was risen.—*MAT.*, ch. 16.

9069. — *Remarkable.* *Brother's.* ⁴ If thou do these things, shew thyself to the world. ⁵ For neither did his brethren believe in him.—*JOHN*, ch. 3.

9070. — *removed.* *Queen of Sheba.* ⁶ She said to the king, It was a true report that I heard in mine own land of thy acts and of thy wisdom. ⁷ Howbeit I believed not the words, until I came, and mine eyes had seen it; and, behold, the half was not told me.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 10.

9071. — *Sin of.* *Rephidim.* ³ The people thirsted there for water; and the people murmured against Moses, and said, Wherefore is

this *that* thou hast brought us up out of Egypt, to kill us and our children and our cattle with thirst?—*Ex.*, ch. 17.

9072. — *Suggestion of. Rephidim.* ⁷ He called the name of the place Massah, and Meribah, because of the chiding of the children of Israel, and because they tempted the Lord, saying, Is the Lord among us or not?—*Ex.*, ch. 17.

9073. — *Secret of. Ambition.* ⁴⁴ How can ye believe, which receive honour one of another, and seek not the honour that cometh from God only?—*JOHN*, ch. 3.

9074. **UNBELIEF unnecessary.** *Loved Darkness.* ¹⁹ This is the condemnation, that light is come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil.—*JOHN*, ch. 3.

9075. — *Wilful. Pharisees.* ²⁵ Who art thou? And Jesus said unto them, Even the same that I said unto you from the beginning. ⁴⁵ And because I tell you the truth, ye believe me not. ⁴⁶ And if I say the truth, why do ye not believe me?—*JOHN*, ch. 8.

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9076. **UNBELIEVERS, End of.** *"Second Death."* ⁸ The fearful, and unbelieving, and the abominable, and murderers, and whoremongers, and sorcerers, and idolaters, and all liars, shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone: which is the second death.—*REV.*, ch. 21.

9077. — **UNCERTAINTY of the Future.** *Parable.* ¹⁹ I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years; take thine ease, eat, drink, and be merry. ²⁰ But God said unto him, *Thou fool*, this night thy soul shall be required of thee: then whose shall those things be, which thou hast provided?—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

9078. — — *"Know not."* ¹³ Go to now, ye that say, To day or to morrow we will go into such a city, and continue there a year, and buy and sell, and get gain: ¹⁴ Whereas ye know not what shall be on the morrow.—*JAMES*, ch. 4.

9079. — — *Recognized.* ¹⁴ For what is your life? It is even a vapour, that appeareth for a little time, and then vanisheth away. ¹⁵ For that ye ought to say, If the Lord will, we shall live, and do this, or that.—*JAMES*, ch. 4.

9080. — *of Riches. Proverb.* ⁵ Wilt thou set thine eyes upon that which is not? for riches certainly make themselves wings; they fly away as an eagle toward heaven.—*PROV.*, ch. 23.

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9081. **UNCLE, A gracious. Abraham.** ⁸ Abram said unto Lot, Let there be no strife, I pray thee..for we be brethren. ⁹ Is not the whole land before thee? separate thyself, I pray thee, from me: if thou wilt take the left hand, then I will go to the right.—*GEN.*, ch. 13.

9082. — — *Laban.* ¹³ When Laban heard the tidings of Jacob his sister's son..he ran to meet him, and embraced him, and kissed him, and brought him to his house. And he told Laban all these things.—*GEN.*, ch. 29.

9083. — *A kind. Esther's.* ¹ She had neither father nor mother, and the maid was fair and beautiful; whom Mordecai, when her father and mother were dead, took for his own daughter.—*ESTHER*, ch. 2.

9084. — *A respected. Mordecai.* ²⁰ Esther had not yet shewed her kindred nor her people, as Mordecai had charged her: for Esther did the commandment of Mordecai, like as when she was brought up with him.—*ESTHER*, ch. 2.

9085. **UNCONSCIOUS of Condition.** *Coin.* ⁸ Either what woman having ten pieces of silver, if she lose one piece, doth not light a candle, and sweep the house, and seek diligently till she find it?—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

9086. — *of Glory. "Shone."* ²⁹ When he came down from the mount, that Moses wist not that the skin of his face shone while he talked with him.—*Ex.*, ch. 34.

9087. — *of Sin. Formalists.* ⁸ Will a man rob God? Yet ye have robbed me. But ye say, Wherein have we robbed thee? In tithes and offerings. ⁹ Ye are cursed with a curse.—*MAL.*, ch. 3.

9088. **UNCONSCIOUSNESS, Spiritual. Samson.** ²⁰ She said, The Philistines be upon thee, Samson. And he awoke out of his sleep, and said, I will go out as at other times before, and shake myself. And he wist not that the Lord was departed from him.—*JUDGES*, ch. 16.

9089. **UNFAITHFUL, Surprise of the. Parable.** ⁵⁰ The lord of that servant shall come in a day when he looketh not for him, and in an hour that he is not aware of, ⁵¹ And shall cut him asunder, and appoint him his portion with the hypocrites: there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth.—*MAT.*, ch. 24.

9090. — *Slander of the. "One Talent."* ²⁰ Behold, here is thy pound, which I have kept laid up in a napkin: ²¹ For I feared thee, because thou art an austere man: thou takest up that thou layedst not down, and reapest that thou didst not sow.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

9091. — *disqualifies. Mark.* ²⁷ Barnabas

determined to take with them John, whose surname was Mark. ²⁸ But Paul thought not good to take him with them, who departed from them from Pamphylia, and went not with them to the work.—*Acts*, ch. 15.

9092. — *Hinderance by. Pharisees.* ²⁹ Woe unto you, lawyers! for ye have taken away the key of knowledge: ye entered not in yourselves, and them that were entering in ye hindered.—*LUKE*, ch. 11.

9093. — *Trouble from the.* *Proverb.* ¹⁹ Confidence in an unfaithful man in time of trouble is like a broken tooth, and a foot out of joint.—*Prov.*, ch. 25.

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9095. UNHAPPINESS in Old Age. *Jacob.* ²⁸ And Jacob their father said..Me have ye bereaved of my children: Joseph is not, and Simeon is not, and ye will take Benjamin away: all these things are against me.—*GEN.*, ch. 42.

9096. — *by Covetousness.* *Ahab.* ⁴ Ahab came into his house heavy and displeased because..Naboth..had said, I will not give thee the inheritance of my fathers. And he laid him down upon his bed, and turned away his face, and would eat no bread.—1 *KINGS*, ch. 21. [In his ivory house.]

9097. — *Pride gives.* *Haman.* ¹¹ Haman told them of the glory of his riches, and the multitude of his children, and all the things wherein the king had promoted him.. ¹³ Yet all this availeth me nothing, so long as I see Mordecai the Jew sitting at the king's gate.—*ESTHER*, ch. 5.

9098. — *Royal.* *Darius.* ¹⁸ The king went to his palace..and passed the night fasting: neither were instruments of music brought before him; and his sleep went from him. ¹⁹ Then the king arose very early in the morning, and went in haste unto the den of lions.—*DAN.*, ch. 6.

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9099. UNION in Building. *From Captivity.* ³ Let him go up to Jerusalem..and build the house of the Lord.. ⁴ And whosoever remaineth in any place where he sojourneth, let the men of his place help him with silver, and with gold, and with goods.—*EZRA*, ch. 1.

9100. — *in Blessing.* *Pentecost.* ³ And there appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them. ⁴ And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.—*Acts*, ch. 2.

9101. — *with Christ.* *Branch.* ⁵ I am the vine, ye are the branches. He that abideth in me, and I in him, the same bringeth forth much fruit.—*JOHN*, ch. 15.

9102. — *Constant.* "Never." ⁵ Be content with such things as ye have: for he hath said, I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee. ⁶ So that we may boldly say, The Lord is my helper, and I will not fear what man shall do unto me.—*HEB.*, ch. 13.

9103. — in *Charity. Famine.* ²⁹ Then the disciples, every man according to his ability, determined to send relief unto the brethren which dwelt in Judea.—*ACTS*, ch. 11.

9104. — *Communitic. Christian.* ⁴⁴ All that believed were together, and had all things common; ⁴⁵ And sold their possessions and goods, and parted them to all men, as every man had need.—*ACTS*, ch. 2.

9105. — in *Communion. Passover.* ³ They shall take to them every man a lamb according to the house of their fathers, a lamb for a house: ⁴ And if the household be too little for the lamb, let him and his neighbour next unto his house take it according to the number of the souls.—*EX.*, ch. 12.

9106. — in *Distress. With David.* ³ Every one that was in distress, in debt, and discontented, gathered themselves unto him; and he became a captain over them, about four hundred men.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 22.

9107. — *Effect of. "Ask."* ¹ If ye abide in me, and my words abide in you, ye shall ask what ye will, and it shall be done unto you.—*JOHN*, ch. 15.

9108. — *Eternal. Paul writes,* ³⁸ I am persuaded, that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, ³⁹ Nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.—*ROM.*, ch. 8.

9109. — of *Forces. Ahab* ⁴ Said unto Jehoshaphat, Wilt thou go with me to battle to Ramoth-gilead? And Jehoshaphat said to the king of Israel, I am as thou art, my people as thy people, my horses as thy horses.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 22.

9110. — of *Friends. Ruth—Naomi.* ¹⁶ Ruth said, Entreat me not to leave thee, or to return from following after thee: for whither thou goest, I will go; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge: thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God: ¹⁷ Where thou diest, will I die, and there will I be buried: the Lord do so to me, and more also, if aught but death part thee and me.—*RUTH*, ch. 1.

9111. — A forbidden. *Gibeonites.* ⁴ They did work wilily, and went and made as if they had been ambassadors, and took old sacks upon their asses, and wine bottles, old, and rent, and bound up. ²¹ Let them live; but let them be hewers of wood and drawers of water unto all the congregation.—*JOSEPH*, ch. 9. [A treaty was made.]

9112. — important. *Reuben—Gad.* ⁶ Moses said unto the children of Gad and of Reuben, Shall your brethren go to war, and shall ye sit here? ⁷ And whosoever discourage ye the heart of the children of Israel.—*NUM.*, ch. 32.

9113. — in *Prayer. Successful.* ¹⁸ Moses' hands were heavy, and Aaron and Hur stayed up his hands, the one on the one side, and the other on the other side; and his hands were steady until the going down of the sun. ¹⁹ And Joshua discomfited Amalek and his people with the edge of the sword.—*EX.*, ch. 17.

9114. — *Perpetual. "End."* ¹⁹ Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them

in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: ²⁰ Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world.—*MAT.*, ch. 28.

9115. — *Revival brings. "As one man."* ¹ All the people gathered themselves together as one man into the street that was before the water gate; and they spake unto Ezra the scribe to bring the book of the law of Moses.—*NEH.*, ch. 8.

9116. — rejected. *"Burned."* ⁶ If a man abide not in me, he is cast forth as a branch, and is withered; and men gather them, and cast them into the fire, and they are burned.—*JOHN*, ch. 15.

9117. — *Strength in. Against Allies.* ¹¹ Joab said, If the Syrians be too strong for me, then thou shalt help me: but if the children of Ammon be too strong for thee, then I will come and help thee. ¹² Be of good courage, and let us play the men for our people.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 10.

9118. — of *Two. Against Philistines.* ¹³ Jonathan climbed up upon his hands and upon his feet, and his armourbearer after him: and they fell before Jonathan; and his armourbearer slew after him. ¹⁴ And that first slaughter was about twenty men.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 14.

9119. — *Unhallowed. Building.* ¹ When the adversaries heard that the children of the captivity builded the temple. ² Then they came to Zerubbabel, and to the chief of the fathers, and said, Let us build with you: for we seek your God, as ye do.—*EZRA*, ch. 4.

9120. — in *Worship. Pentecost.* ¹ When the day of Pentecost was fully come, they were all with one accord in one place.—*ACTS*, ch. 2.

9121. *UNITY by Creation. "One Blood."* ¹⁶ Hath made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on all the face of the earth, and hath determined the times before appointed, and the bounds of their habitation.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

9122. — *Delightful. Fraternal.* ¹ Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity! ² It is like the precious ointment upon the head. ³ As the dew of Hermon, and as the dew that descended upon the mountains of Zion.—*PS.* 133.

9123. — *Dangerous. Babel-builders.* ⁶ The Lord came down to see the city and the tower. ⁷ And the Lord said, Behold, the people is one, and they have all one language, and now nothing will be restrained from them, which they have imagined to do.—*GEN.*, ch. 11.

9124. — with *Diversity. "Many Members."* ²⁰ Now are they many members, yet but one body. ²¹ If the whole body were an eye, where were the hearing? If the whole were hearing, where were the smelling?—*1 COR.*, ch. 12.

9125. — *Dependence in. "Need."* ²¹ The eye cannot say unto the hand, I have no need of thee: nor again the head to the feet, I have no need of you. ²² Nay, much more those members of the body, which seem to be more feeble, are necessary.—*1 COR.*, ch. 12.

9126. — *impracticable. Image.* ²³ This image's head was of fine gold, his breast and his arms of silver, his belly and his thighs of brass, ²⁴ His legs of iron, his feet part of iron and part

of clay. ²⁴ Thou sawest till that a stone was cut out without hands, which smote the image upon his feet *that were* of iron and clay, and brake them to pieces.—**DAN.**, ch. 2.

9127. — from Occupation. *Aquila.* ³ Because he was of the same craft, he abode with them, and wrought: (for by their occupation they were tentmakers.)—**ACTS**, ch. 18.

9128. — Prayer for. *Church.* ²⁰ Neither pray I for these alone, but for them also which shall believe on me through their word; ²¹ That they all may be one; as thou, Father, art in me, and I in thee, that they also may be one in us: that the world may believe that thou hast sent me.—**JOHN**, ch. 17.

9129. — Remarkable. *Christian.* ²² The multitude of them that believed were of one heart and of one soul: neither said any of them that aught of the things which he possessed was his own; but they had all things common.—**ACTS**, ch. 4.

9130. — by the Spirit. "*One Body.*" ¹² As the body is one, and hath many members, and all the members of that one body, being many, are one body: so also is Christ. ¹³ For by one Spirit are we all baptized into one body.—**1 COR.**, ch. 12.

9131. — Suffering in. *Body.* ²⁴ Whether one member suffer, all the members suffer with it; or one member be honoured, all the members rejoice with it. ²⁷ Now ye are the body of Christ, and members in particular.—**1 COR.**, ch. 12.

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9132. UNSELFISHNESS, Godly. Naaman.

¹⁵ Now therefore, I pray thee, take a blessing of thy servant. ¹⁶ But he said, As the Lord liveth, before whom I stand, I will receive none. And he urged him to take it; but he refused.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 5.

9133. — in Giving. *Feast.* ¹³ When thou makest a feast, call the poor, the maimed, the lame, the blind: ¹⁴ And thou shalt be blessed; for they cannot recompense thee.—**LUKE**, ch. 14.

9134. — manifested. *Spoils.* ²³ I will not take from a thread even to a shchelatchet, and that I will not take any thing that is thine, lest thou shouldest say, I have made Abram rich.—**GEN.**, ch. 14.

9135. — Official. *Nehemiah.* ¹⁹ That which was prepared for me daily was one ox and six choice sheep; also fowls were prepared for me, and once in ten days store of all sorts of wine: yet for all this required not I the bread of the governor, because the bondage was heavy upon this people.—**NEH.**, ch. 5.

9136. — — *Prophecy.* ²⁷ There ran a young man..and said, Eldad and Medad do prophesy in the camp. ²⁸ And Joshua..said, My lord Moses, forbid them. ²⁹ And Moses said..Enviest thou for my sake? would God that all the Lord's people were prophets, and that the Lord would put his Spirit upon them.—**NUM.**, ch. 11.

9137. — in Popularity. *Baptist.* ²⁹ He that

hath the bride is the bridegroom : but the friend of the bridegroom, which standeth and heareth him, rejoiceth greatly because of the bridegroom's voice : this my joy therefore is fulfilled. ³⁰ He must increase, but I must decrease.—JOHN, ch. 3.

9138. — **Pious.** " *All Men.* " ³¹ I please all men in all things, not seeking mine own profit, but the profit of many, that they may be saved.—1 COR., ch. 10.

9139. — **Daniel.** ¹¹ Daniel answered . . . Let thy gifts be to thyself, and give thy rewards to another ; yet I will read the writing unto the king, and make known to him the interpretation.—DAN., ch. 5.

9140. — **A Rival's.** *Jonathan.* ³ He loved him as his own soul. ⁴ And Jonathan stripped himself of the robe that was upon him, and gave it to David, and his garments, even to his sword, and to his bow, and to his girdle.—1 SAM., ch. 18.

9141. — **rewarded.** *Solomon.* ¹¹ God said . . . Because thou hast asked this thing, and hast not asked for thyself long life ; neither hast asked riches for thyself, nor hast asked the life of thine enemies ; but hast asked for thyself understanding to discern judgment. ¹³ . . . I have also given thee that which thou hast not asked, both riches, and honour.—1 KINGS, ch. 3.

9142. — **Wise.** *Solomon.* ⁹ Give therefore thy servant an understanding heart to judge thy people, that I may discern between good and bad : for who is able to judge this thy so great a people ? ¹⁰ And the speech pleased the Lord, that Solomon had asked this thing.—1 KINGS, ch. 3.

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9143. UNWORTHINESS conferred. *Jacob.* ¹⁰ I am not worthy of the least of all the mercies, and of all the truth, which thou hast shewed unto thy servant ; for with my staff I passed over this Jordan ; and now I am become two bands.—GEN., ch. 32.

9144. — **Centurion.** ⁶ The centurion sent friends to him, saying unto him, Lord, trouble not thyself ; for I am not worthy that thou shouldest enter under my roof : ⁷ Wherefore neither thought I myself worthy to come unto thee : but say in a word, and my servant shall be healed.—LUKE, ch. 7.

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9145. USEFULNESS, The better Choice. *The Undemonized.* ¹⁸ When he was come into the ship, he that had been possessed with the devil prayed him that he might be with him. ¹⁹ Howbeit Jesus suffered him not, but saith unto him, Go home to thy friends, and tell them how great things the Lord hath done for thee, and hath had compassion on thee.—MARK, ch. 5.

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9146. USURY abolished. *Nehemiah.* ¹⁰ I pray you, let us leave off this usury. ¹¹ Restore, I pray you, to them, even this day, their lands, their vineyards, their oliveyards, and their houses, also the hundredth part of the money, and of the corn, the wine, and the oil, that ye exact of them.—NEH., ch. 5.

9147. — **condemned.** *Nehemiah.* ⁶ I was very angry when I heard their cry and these words. ⁷ Then I consulted with myself, and I rebuked the nobles, and the rulers, and said unto them, Ye exact usury, every one of his brother. And I set a great assembly against them.—NEH., ch. 5.

9148. — **Law of.** *Jewish.* ¹⁹ Thou shalt not lend upon usury to thy brother ; usury of money, usury of victuals, usury of any thing that is lent upon usury : ²⁰ Unto a stranger thou mayest lend upon usury.—DEUT., ch. 23.

9149. — **Opportunity for.** *Dearth.* ³ Some . . . said, We have mortgaged our lands, vineyards, and houses, that we might buy corn, because of the dearth. ⁴ There were also that said, We have borrowed money for the king's tribute, and that upon our lands and vineyards.—NEH., ch. 5.

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9150. UTENSILS desecrated. *Holy.* ¹ Cyrus the king brought forth the vessels of the house of the Lord, which Nebuchadnezzar had brought forth out of Jerusalem, and had put them in the house of his gods.—EZRA, ch. 1.

9151. — restored. *Holy*. [See above.]
¹¹ All these did Sheshbazzar bring up with them of the captivity that were brought up from Babylon unto Jerusalem.—*EZRA*, ch. 1.

9152. — Valuable. *From Temple*. ⁹ Thirty chargers of gold, a thousand chargers of silver, nine and twenty knives, ¹⁰ Thirty basins of gold, silver basins of a second sort, four hundred and ten, and other vessels a thousand. ¹¹ All the vessels of gold and of silver were five thousand and four hundred.—*EZRA*, ch. 1.

9153. **UTTERANCE**, Deficient in. *Moses*.
¹⁰ O my Lord, I am not eloquent, neither heretofore, nor since thou hast spoken unto thy servant: but I am slow of speech, and of a slow tongue.—*Ex.*, ch. 4.

9154. — Gift for. *Promise*. ¹¹ And the Lord said unto him, Who hath made man's mouth? or who maketh the dumb, or deaf, or the seeing, or the blind? have not I the Lord?
¹² Now therefore go, and I will be with thy mouth, and teach thee what thou shalt say.—*Ex.*, ch. 4.

9155. — — *Pentecost*. ³ There appeared unto them cloven tongues like as of fire, and it sat upon each of them. ⁴ And they were all filled with the Holy Ghost, and began to speak with other tongues, as the Spirit gave them utterance.—*Acts*, ch. 2.

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9156. **VACATION** for Rest. *Apostles*. ²⁰ The apostles gathered . . unto Jesus, and told him all things, both what they had done, and what they had taught. ²¹ And he said unto them, Come ye yourselves apart into a desert place, and rest a while: for there were many coming and going, and they had no leisure so much as to eat.—*MARK*, ch. 6.

9157. **VALLEY**, A defiled. *Topheth*. ¹⁰ He defiled Topheth, which is in the valley of the children of Hinnom, that no man might make his son or his daughter to pass through the fire to Molech.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 23.

9158. — An unsightly. "Bones." ¹ The Spirit of the Lord . . set me down in the midst of the valley which was full of bones. ² . . behold, there were very many in the open valley; and, lo, they were very dry.—*EZEK.*, ch. 37.

9159. **VALOUR**, Characteristic. *Benaiah*. ²² He slew two lionlike men of Moab: also he went down and slew a lion in a pit in a snowy day. ²³ And he slew an Egyptian, a man of great stature, five cubits high; and in the Egyptian's hand was a spear like a weaver's beam; and he went down to him with a staff, and plucked the spear out of the Egyptian's hand, and slew him with his own spear.—*1 CHRON.*, ch. 11.

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9160. **VANITY** forbidden. *Disciples*. ⁸ Be not ye called Rabbi; for one is your Master, even Christ; and all ye are brethren.—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

9161. — punished. *Hezekiah*. ¹² Hezekiah . . shewed them all the house of his precious things, the silver, and the gold, and the spices, and the precious ointment, and all the house of his armour, and all that was found in his treasures: there was nothing in his house, nor in all his dominion, that Hezekiah shewed them not.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 20. [All were captured.]

9162. — — *Haman*. ¹¹ Then took Haman the apparel and the horse, and arrayed Mordecai, and brought him on horseback through the street of the city, and proclaimed before him, Thus shall it be done unto the man whom the king delighteth to honour.—*ESTHER*, ch. 6.

9163. — Religious. *Pharisees*. ⁶ All their works they do for to be seen of men: they make broad their phylacteries, and enlarge the borders of their garments, ⁶ And love the uppermost rooms at feasts, and the chief seats in the synagogues, ⁷ And greetings in the markets, and to be called of men, Rabbi, Rabbi.—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

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9164. **VEGETATION**, Beginning of. *Creation*.

¹¹ God said, Let the earth bring forth grass, the herb yielding seed, and the fruit tree yielding fruit after his kind, whose seed is in itself, upon the earth: and it was so.—*GEN.*, ch. 1.

9165. — Development of. *For Harvest*.

²² For the earth bringeth forth fruit of herself; first the blade, then the ear, after that the full corn in the ear. ²³ But when the fruit is brought forth, immediately he putteth in the sickle, because the harvest is come.—*MAT.*, ch. 4.

9166. — Mystery of. "How." ²⁶ So is the kingdom of God, as if a man should cast seed into the ground: ²⁷ And should sleep, and rise night and day, and the seed should spring and grow up, he knoweth not how.—*MARK*, ch. 4.

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9167. VEGETARIANS, Apostate. "*Last Days.*"¹ In the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils. . .² Forbidding to marry, and commanding to abstain from meats, which God hath created to be received with thanksgiving of them which believe and know the truth.—1 TIM., ch. 4.

9168. — The first. Adam. "² Behold, I have given you every herb bearing seed, which is upon the face of all the earth, and every tree, in the which is the fruit of a tree yielding seed; to you it shall be for meat.—GEN., ch. 1.

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9169. VENGEANCE averted. *By Abigail.* "² Let not my lord, I pray thee, regard this man of Belial, even Nabal..Nabal is his name, and folly is with him: but I thine handmaid saw not the young men of my lord, whom thou dost send.—1 SAM., ch. 25.

9170. — — Thanks for. "²³ Blessed be thy advice, and blessed be thou, which hast kept me this day from coming to shed blood, and from avenging myself with mine own hand.—1 SAM., ch. 25.

9171. — for Blood. Cain. "¹³ Cain said unto the Lord, My punishment is greater than I can bear. ¹⁴ Behold, thou hast driven me out this day from the face of the earth..I shall be a fugitive and a vagabond in the earth; and..every one that findeth me shall slay me.—GEN., ch. 4.

9172. — A call for. Zachariah said, "²⁰ Thus saith God, Why transgress ye the commandments of the Lord, that ye cannot prosper? because ye have forsaken the Lord, he hath also forsaken you. ²¹ And they conspired against him, and stoned him with stones at the commandment of the king in the court of the house of the Lord.—2 CHRON., ch. 24.

9173. — Divine. Calamity. "³⁵ To me belongeth vengeance, and recompense; their foot shall slide in due time: for the day of their calamity is at hand, and the things that shall come upon them make haste.—DEUT., ch. 32.

9174. — — Terrible. "⁴¹ If I whet my glittering sword, and mine hand take hold on judgment; I will render vengeance to mine enemies, and will reward them that hate me. ⁴² I will make mine arrows drunk with blood, and my sword shall devour flesh.—DEUT., ch. 32.

9175. — declined. Saul. "¹⁹ The people said unto Samuel, Who is he that said, Shall Saul reign over us? bring the men, that we may put them to death. ¹³ And Saul said, There shall not a man be put to death this day: for to day the Lord hath wrought salvation in Israel.—1 SAM., ch. 11.

9176. — Fear of. Joseph's Brethren. "¹⁵ When Joseph's brethren saw that their father was dead, they said, Joseph will peradventure hate us, and will certainly requite us all the evil which we did unto him.—GEN., ch. 50.

9177. — with God. By Nehemiah. "¹² Therefore was he hired, that I should be afraid, and do so, and sin, and that they might have matter for an evil report, that they might reproach me. ¹⁴ My god, think thou upon Tobiah and Sanballat according to these their works.—NEH., ch. 6.

9178. — Inappropriate. Parable. "² His lord..said..O thou wicked servant, I forgave thee all that debt, because thou desiredst me: ²³ Shouldest not thou also have had compassion on thy fellow servant, even as I had pity on thee?—MAT., ch. 18.

9179. — Mistaken. On Samaritans. "¹¹ They did not receive him, because his face was as though he would go to Jerusalem. ¹⁴ And when..James and John saw this, they said, Lord, wilt thou that we command fire to come down from heaven, and consume them, even as Elias did?—LUKE, ch. 9.

9180. — Monstrous. Haman's. "⁵ When Haman saw that Mordecai bowed not, nor did him reverence, then was Haman full of wrath. ⁶ And he thought scorn to lay hands on Mordecai alone..Haman sought to destroy all the Jews that were throughout the whole kingdom.—ESTHER, ch. 3.

9181. — Prayer for. Samson. "²⁶ Samson..O Lord God, remember me, I pray thee, and strengthen me, I pray thee, only this once, O God, that I may be at once avenged of the Philistines for my two eyes. ²⁹ And Samson took hold of the two middle pillars.—JUDGES, ch. 16.

9182. — prohibited. Parable. "²⁴ His lord was wroth, and delivered him to the tormentors, till he should pay all that was due unto him. ²⁵ So likewise shall my heavenly Father do also unto you, if ye from your hearts forgive not every one his brother their trespasses.—MAT., ch. 18.

9183. — undesired. David. "⁶ They came thither into the midst of the house, as though they would have fetched wheat; and they smote him under the fifth rib: and Rechab and Baanah his brother escaped. . .⁸..said to the king, Behold the head of Ish-bosheth the son of Saul thine enemy, which sought thy life; and the Lord hath avenged my lord the king this day of Saul, and of his seed.—2 SAM., ch. 4.

9184. — for Vengeance. Murderers. [See above.] "¹¹ How much more, when wicked men have slain a righteous person in his own house upon his bed? shall I not therefore now require his blood of your hand, and take you away from the earth? ¹² And David commanded his young men, and they slew them.—2 SAM., ch. 4.

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9185. VENTURE of Believers. Red Sea. "²¹ The children of Israel went into the midst of the sea upon the dry ground: and the waters were a wall unto them on their right hand, and on their left.—EX., ch. 14.

9186. — Shot at a. Ahab slain. "²⁴ A certain man drew a bow at a venture, and smote the king of Israel between the joints of the harness: wherefore he said unto the driver of his chariot,

Turn thine hand, and carry me out of the host ; for I am wounded.—1 KINGS, ch. 22.

9187. VEXATION from Entreaty. *Samson's.* ¹⁶ When she pressed him daily with her words, and urged him, so that his soul was vexed unto death ; ¹⁷ That he told her all his heart.—JUDGES, ch. 16.

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9188. VICE, Mental. "*Works.*" ²⁰ Idolatry, witchcraft, hatred, variance, emulations, wrath, strife, seditions, heresies, ²¹ Envyings, murders, drunkenness, revellings, and such like.—GAL., ch. 5.

9189. VICES, Physical. "*Works.*" ¹⁹ The works of the flesh are manifest, which are these, Adultery, fornication, uncleanness, lasciviousness.—GAL., ch. 5.

9190. — Pleasures of. *Proverb.* ²² Thine eye shall behold strange women, and thine heart shall utter perverse things. ²⁴ Yea, thou shalt be as he that lieth down in the midst of the sea, or as he that lieth upon the top of a mast.—PROV., ch. 23.

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9191. VICTORY in Death. *Samson.* ²⁰ Samson took hold of the two middle pillars upon which the house stood . . . And he bowed himself with all his might ; and the house fell upon the lords, and upon all the people that were therein. So the dead which he slew at his death were more than they which he slew in his life.—JUDGES, ch. 16.

9192. — of Faith. "*Shouted*" . . . "*Fell.*" ²⁰ When the people heard the sound of the trumpet, and the people shouted with a great shout . . . the wall fell down flat, so that the people went up into the city, every man straight before him, and they took the city.—JOSH., ch. 6.

9193. — — In Adversity. ¹⁷ Although the fig tree shall not blossom, neither shall fruit be in the vines ; the labour of the olive shall fail, and the fields shall yield no meat ; the flock shall be cut off from the fold, and there shall be no herd in the stalls : ¹⁸ Yet I will rejoice in the Lord, I will joy in the God of my salvation.—HAB., ch. 3.

9194. — from God. *Moab—Ammon.* [Jahaziel] ¹⁵ Said, Harken ye, all Judah, and ye inhabitants of Jerusalem, and thou king Jehoshaphat, Thus saith the Lord unto you, Be not afraid nor dismayed by reason of this great multitude ; for the battle is not yours, but God's.—2 CHRON., ch. 20.

9195. — — Gideon. ² The Lord said unto Gideon, The people that are with thee are too many for thee to give the Midianites into their hands, lest Israel vaunt themselves against me, saying, Mine own hand hath saved me. ³ Now therefore go to, proclaim in the ears of the people, saying, Whosoever is fearful and afraid, let him return and depart early from mount Gilead.—JUDGES, ch. 7.

9196. — Joy of. *Over Philistines.* ⁶ When David was returned from the slaughter of the Philistines, the women came out of all cities of Israel, singing and dancing, to meet king Saul, with tabrets, with joy, and with instruments of music. ⁷ And answered one another as they played, and said, Saul hath slain his thou-

sands, and David his ten thousands.—1 SAM., ch. 18.

9197. — at the Last. *Paul.* ¹ I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith : ² Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness.—2 TIM., ch. 4.

9198. — Mourning in. *David.* ¹ King weepeth and mourneth for Absalom. ² And the victory that day was turned into mourning unto all the people : for the people heard say that day how the king was grieved for his son.—2 SAM., ch. 19.

9199. — Mistake in. "*Gods.*" ²² The lords of the Philistines gathered them together for to offer a great sacrifice unto Dagon their god, and to rejoice : for they said, Our god hath delivered Samson our enemy into our hand. ²⁴ And when the people saw him, they praised their god.—JUDGES, ch. 16.

9200. — by Flank Movement. *Over Philistines.* ²³ When David inquired of the Lord, he said, Thou shalt not go up ; but fetch a compass behind them, and come upon them over against the mulberry trees. ²⁴ And let it be, when thou hearest the sound of a going in the tops of the mulberry trees, that then thou shalt bestir thyself.—2 SAM., ch. 5.

9201. — Monument of. *Eben-ezer.* ¹¹ The men of Israel . . . pursued the Philistines, and smote them . . . ¹² Then Samuel took a stone, and set it between Mizpeh and Shen, and called the name of it Eben-ezer, saying, Hitherto hath the Lord helped us.—1 SAM., ch. 7.

9202. — necessary. *In Canaan.* ²⁵ If ye will not drive out the inhabitants of the land from before you ; then . . . those which ye let remain of them shall be pricks in your eyes, and thorns in your sides, and shall vex you.—NUM., ch. 33.

9203. — A perilous. *Samson.* ²¹ Philistines took him, and put out his eyes, and brought him down to Gaza, and bound him with fetters of brass ; and he did grind in the prison house. ²² Howbeit the hair of his head began to grow again after he was shaven.—JUDGES, ch. 16.

9204. — Piety brings. *Burnt Offering.* ²⁰ As Samuel was offering up the burnt offering, the Philistines drew near to battle against Israel : but the Lord thundered with a great thunder on that day upon the Philistines, and discomfited them ; and they were smitten before Israel.—1 SAM., ch. 7.

9205. — Promise of. *Ammon.* ¹⁶ Thus saith the Lord, Make this valley full of ditches. ¹⁷ For . . . Ye shall not see wind, neither shall ye see rain ; yet that valley shall be filled with water, that ye may drink, both ye, and your cattle, and your beasts. ¹⁸ And this is but a light thing in the sight of the Lord : he will deliver the Moabites also into your hand.—2 KINGS, ch. 3.

9206. — Prayer for. *Against Ethiopians.* ¹¹ Asa cried . . . Lord, it is nothing with thee to help, whether with many, or with them that have no power : help us, O Lord our God ; for we rest on thee, and in thy name we go against this multitude. O Lord, thou art our God : let not man prevail against thee.—2 CHRON., ch. 14.

9207. — — Against Philistines. [See No. 9200.]

9208. — *Spoils of. "Three Days."* "When Jehoshaphat and his people came to take away the spoil of them, they found . . . both riches with the dead bodies, and precious jewels, which they stripped off for themselves, more than they could carry away : and they were three days in gathering of the spoil, it was so much. —2 CHRON., ch. 20.

9209. — *by Song. "Destroyed Another."* "When they began to sing and to praise, the Lord set ambushments against the children of Ammon, Moab, and mount Seir, which were come against Judah ; and they were smitten. "For the children of Ammon and Moab stood up against the inhabitants of mount Seir, utterly to slay and destroy them : and when they had made an end of the inhabitants of Seir, every one helped to destroy another. —2 CHRON., ch. 20.

9210. — *Soul's. Death.* "Death is swallowed up in victory. "O death, where is thy sting? O grave, where is thy victory? "The sting of death is sin ; and the strength of sin is the law. "But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. —1 COR., ch. 15.

9211. — *Spiritual. Stephen.* "And he kneeled down, and cried with a loud voice, Lord, lay not this sin to their charge. And when he had said this, he fell asleep. —ACTS, ch. 7.

9212. — *Song of. In Heaven.* "Stand on the sea of glass, having the harps of God. "And they sing the song of Moses the servant of God, and the song of the Lamb, saying, Great and marvellous are thy works, Lord God Almighty ; just and true are thy ways, thou King of saints. —REV., ch. 15.

9213. — *over Trials. Conqueror's.* "Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? "Nay, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him that loved us. —ROM., ch. 8.

9214. — *by Waiting. "Stand still."* "To-morrow go ye down against them. "Ye shall not need to fight in this battle : set yourselves, stand ye still, and see the salvation of the Lord with you, O Judah and Jerusalem : fear not, nor be dismayed. —2 CHRON., ch. 20.

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9215. VIEWS, Opposite. Of God. "It came between the camp of the Egyptians and the camp of Israel ; and it was a cloud and darkness to them, but it gave light by night to these. —EX., ch. 14.

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9216. VIGILANCE, Christian. Watch.

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9217. — *necessary. Sardis.* "I know thy works, that thou hast a name that thou livest, and art dead. "Be watchful, and strengthen the things which remain, that are ready to die : for I have not found thy works perfect before God. —REV., ch. 3.

9218. — *in Uncertainty. Sardis.* "If therefore thou shalt not watch, I will come on thee as a thief, and thou shalt not know what hour I will come upon thee. —REV., ch. 3.

9219. — *Want of. Evil Servant.* "My lord delayeth his coming ; "And shall begin to smite his fellow servants, and to eat and drink with the drunken : "The lord . . . shall come in a day when he looketh not for him. "And shall cut him asunder, and appoint him his portion with the hypocrites. —MAT., ch. 24.

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9220. VIGOR in Age. Moses. "Moses was a hundred and twenty years old when he died : his eye was not dim, nor his natural force abated. —DEUT., ch. 34.

9221. — *— Caleb.* [At eighty-five years.] "I am as strong this day as I was in the day that Moses sent me : as my strength was then, even so is my strength now, for war, both to go out, and to come in. —JOSE., ch. 14.

9222. — *— Caleb.* "Now therefore give me this mountain . . . for thou heardest in that day how the Anakim were there, and that the cities were great and fenced : if so be the Lord will be with me, then I shall be able to drive them out. —JOSE., ch. 14.

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9223. VINDICTIVENESS rebuked. Samaritans. "And when the day began to wear away, then came the twelve, and said unto him, Send the multitude away, that they may go into the towns and country round about, and lodge, and get victuals : for we are here in a desert place. —LUKE, ch. 9.

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9224. VIOLENCE, Righteous. Jesus. "When he had made a scourge of small cords, he drove them all out of the temple, and the sheep, and the oxen ; and poured out the changers' money, and overthrew the tables. —JOHN, ch. 2.

9225. VISION, A comforting. Stephen. "They gnashed on him with their teeth. "But he, being full of the Holy Ghost, looked up steadfastly into heaven, and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing on the right hand of God. —ACTS, ch. 7.

9226. — *of God. Isaiah's.* "I saw also the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted

up, and his train filled the temple. ² Above it stood the seraphim : each one had six wings ; with twain he covered his face, and with twain he covered his feet, and with twain he did fly.—ISA., ch. 5.

9227. — — *Effect of.* ⁵ Then said I, Woe is me ! for I am undone ; because I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips : for mine eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts.—ISA., ch. 5.

9228. — — *Instructed by.* ¹³ Peter. There came a voice to him, Rise, Peter ; kill, and eat. ¹⁴ But Peter said, Not so, Lord ; for I have never eaten any thing that is common or unclean. ¹⁵ And the voice spake unto him again the second time, What God hath cleansed, that call not thou common.—ACTS, ch. 10.

9229. — — *Prepared for a.* ³⁰ Cornelius. Cornelius said, Four days ago I was fasting until this hour ; and at the ninth hour I prayed in my house, and, behold, a man stood before me in bright clothing, ³¹ And said, Cornelius, thy prayer is heard.—ACTS, ch. 10.

9230. — — *perfected.* *“Clearly.”* ²³ He asked him if he saw aught. ²⁴ And he looked up, and said, I see men as trees, walking. ²⁵ After that he put his hands again upon his eyes, and made him look up ; and he was restored, and saw every man clearly.—MARK, ch. 8.

9231. — — *of a Spirit.* ¹³ Job. In thoughts from the visions of the night, when deep sleep falleth on men, ¹⁴ Fear came upon me, and trembling, which made all my bones to shake. ¹⁵ Then a spirit passed before my face ; the hair of my flesh stood up.—JOB, ch. 4.

9232. — — *Transforming.* *“Shone.”* ²⁹ When Moses came down from mount Sinai, with the two tables of testimony in Moses' hand. Moses wist not that the skin of his face shone.—EX., ch. 34.

9233. — — *Christian.* ¹⁸ We all, with open face beholding as in a glass the glory of the Lord, are changed into the same image from glory to glory, even as by the Spirit of the Lord.—2 COR., ch. 3.

9234. — — *A Trance.* ¹⁰ Peter's. ¹¹ Fell into a trance, ¹² And saw heaven opened, and a certain vessel descending unto him, as it had been a great sheet knit at the four corners, and let down to the earth : ¹³ Wherein were all manner of fourfooted beasts of the earth, and wild beasts, and creeping things, and fowls of the air.—ACTS, ch. 10.

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9235. VOICE, The Lord's. *“Still small.”* ¹¹ After the wind an earthquake ; but the Lord was not in the earthquake : ¹² And after the earthquake a fire ; but the Lord was not in the fire : and after the fire a still small voice. ¹³ And it was so, when Elijah heard it, that he wrapped his face in his mantle, and went out, and stood in the entering in of the cave.—1 KINGS, ch. 19.

9236. — — *Baptism.* ¹⁶ Jesus, when he was baptized. ¹⁷ lo, the heavens were opened unto him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove, and lighting upon him : ¹⁸ And lo a voice from heaven, saying, This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased.—MAT., ch. 3.

9237. — — *“Trumpet.”* ¹⁶ There were thunders and lightnings, and a thick cloud upon the mount, and the voice of the trumpet exceeding loud ; so that all the people that was in the camp trembled.—EX., ch. 19.

9238. — — *Transfiguration.* ³⁸ There came a voice out of the cloud, saying, This is my beloved Son : hear him. ³⁹ And when the voice was past, Jesus was found alone.—LUKE, ch. 9.

9239. — — *Mistaken.* ²⁸ Father, glorify thy name. Then came there a voice from heaven, saying, I have both glorified it, and will glorify it again. ²⁹ The people... said that it thundered : others said, An angel spake to him. ³⁰ Jesus... said, This voice came not because of me, but for your sakes.—JOHN, ch. 12.

9240. — — *Awakening.* ⁴ He fell to the earth, and heard a voice saying unto him, Saul, Saul, why persecutest thou me ? ⁵ And he said, Who art thou, Lord ? And the Lord said, I am Jesus.—ACTS, ch. 9.

9241. — — *Only a Baptist.* ³ This is he that was spoken of by the prophet Esaias, saying, the voice of one crying in the wilderness, Prepare ye the way of the Lord, make his paths straight.—MAT., ch. 3.

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9242. VOLUNTEER, A brave. ³³ David. David said to Saul, Let no man's heart fail because of him ; thy servant will go and fight with this Philistine.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

9243. — — *An inconsiderate.* ⁴ A Scribe. Master, I will follow thee whithersoever thou goest. ⁵ And Jesus saith unto him, The foxes have holes, and the birds of the air have nests ; but the Son of man hath not where to lay his head.—MAT., ch. 8.

9244. VOLUNTEERS, Call for. *Building.* ³ Who is there among you of all his people ? his God be with him, and let him go up to Jerusalem, which is in Judah, and build the house of the Lord... in Jerusalem.—EZRA, ch. 1.

9245. — — *in Giving.* *Building.* ⁴ Whosoever remaineth in any place where he sojourneth, let the men of his place help him with silver, and with gold, and with goods, and with beasts, besides the freewill offering for the house of God that is in Jerusalem.—EZRA, ch. 1.

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9246. VOW in Despondency. ⁸ Jeremiah. Because the word of the Lord was made a reproach unto me, and a derision, daily. ⁹ Then I said, I will not make mention of him, nor speak any more in his name. But his word was in mine heart as a burning fire shut up in my bones, and I was weary with forbearing, and I could not stay.—JER., ch. 20.

9247. — — *An inconsiderate.* ³⁴ Saul's. The men of Israel were distressed that day : for Saul had adjured the people, saying, Cursed be the man that eateth any food until evening, that I may be avenged on mine enemies. So none of

the people tasted any food.—1 SAM., ch. 14.
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9248. — of Obedience. *All the People.*
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the commandments of the Lord our Lord.—
NUM., ch. 10.

9249. — Observance of. "Pay." "When
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which thou hast vowed. "Better is it that thou
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9250. — A rash. *Jephthah's.* "Jephthah
vowed, if thou shalt without fail deliver the
children of Ammon into mine hands, "Then
it shall be, that whatsoever cometh forth of the
doors of my house to meet me, when I return
in peace, shall surely be the Lord's, and I will
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9251. — A Sailor's. *In Storm.* "They
took up Jonah, and cast him forth into the sea:
and the sea ceased from her raging, "Then
the men feared the Lord exceedingly, and
offered a sacrifice unto the Lord, and made
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9252. — in Trouble. *Hannah's.* "She
vowed a vow, and said, O Lord of hosts, if thou
wilt indeed look on the affliction of thine hand-
maid, and remember me, wilt give unto thine
handmaid a man child; then I will give him
unto the Lord all the days of his life.—1 SAM.,
ch. 1.

9253. — Trouble from a. *Jephthah.* [See
No. 9250.] "Jephthah came to Mizpeh unto
his house, and, behold, his daughter came out
to meet him with timbrels and with dances:
and she was his only child. "he rent his
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9254. — A Testotaler's. *Nazarene.* "When
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shall borrow of her neighbour, and of her that
sojourneth in her house, jewels of silver, and
jewels of gold, and raiment.—EX., ch. 3.

9256. — changed. *Jacob's.* "Ye know
that with all my power I have served your
father. "And your father hath deceived me,
and changed my wages ten times; but God suf-
fered him not to hurt me.—GEN., ch. 29.

9257. — Daily. *Law.* "Thou shalt not
defraud thy neighbour, neither rob him: the
wages of him that is hired shall not abide with
thee all night until the morning.—LEV., ch. 19.

9258. — — Needed. "At his day thou
shalt give him his hire, neither shall the sun go
down upon it; for he is poor, and setteth his
heart upon it: lest he cry against thee unto the
Lord, and it be sin unto thee.—DEUT., ch. 24.

9259. — of Others. "They murmured."
"These last have wrought but one hour, and
thou hast made them equal unto us, which
have borne the burden and heat of the day.—
MAT., ch. 20.

9260. — unimportant. *Moses' Mother.*
"Pharaoh's daughter said. Take this child away,
and nurse it for me, and I will give thee thy
wages. And the woman took the child, and
nursed it.—EX., ch. 2.

9261. — withheld. *Sin.* "Behold, the
hire of the labourers who have reaped down
your fields, which is of you kept back by fraud,
crieth: and the cries of them which have reaped
are entered into the ears of the Lord of Sabaoth.
—JAMES, ch. 5.

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9262. WAITING for Calamity. *Nineveh.*
"Jonah went out of the city, and sat on the
east side of the city, and there made him a booth,
and sat under it in the shadow, till he might
see what would become of the city.—JONAH,
ch. 4.

9263. — Eager. *Soul.* "I wait for the
Lord, my soul doth wait, and in his word do I
hope. "My soul waiteth for the Lord more than
they that watch for the morning.—PS. 130.

9264. — in Faith. *Abraham.* [From his
seventy-fifth to his one hundredth year.] "Look
now toward heaven, and all the stars, if thou be
able to number them: and he said unto him,
So shall thy seed be. "And he believed in the
Lord; and he counted it to him for righteous-
ness.—GEN., ch. 15.

9265. — on God. *Eagles.* "They that

wait upon the Lord shall renew *their* strength ; they shall mount up with wings as eagles ; they shall run, and not be weary ; and they shall walk, and not faint.—*ISA.*, ch. 40.

9266. — *A long. Bethesda.* ⁵ A certain man was there, which had an infirmity thirty and eight years. ⁶ When Jesus saw him lie, and knew that... he saith unto him, Wilt thou be made whole?—*JOHN*, ch. 5.

9267. — *Patient. Noah.* [After a year was past.] ¹⁵ God spake unto Noah, saying, ¹⁶ Go forth of the ark.—*GEN.*, ch. 8.

9268. — *for Power. Pentecost.* ⁴ Commanded them that they should not depart from Jerusalem, but wait for the promise of the Father.—*ACTS*, ch. 1.

9269. — *rewarded. Simeon.* ²⁵ Waiting for the consolation of Israel : and the Holy Ghost was upon him... ²⁸ Then took he him up in his arms, and blessed God, and said, ²⁹ Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace, according to thy word : ³⁰ For mine eyes have seen thy salvation.—*LUKE*, ch. 2.

9270. — *Vigilant. "Lamps burning."* ²⁵ Let your loins be girded about, and your lights burning : ²⁶ And ye yourselves like unto men that wait for their lord, when he will return from the wedding.—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

9271. — *Weariness from. Absalom said,* ²⁵ Wherefore am I come from Geshur? *it had been good for me to have been there still : now therefore let me see the king's face ; and if there be any iniquity in me, let him kill me.*—*2 SAM.*, ch. 14.

9272. — *and Watching. Abraham.* ¹⁰ He took unto him all these, and divided them in the midst, and laid each piece one against another : but the birds divided he not. ¹¹ And when the fowls came down upon the carcases, Abram drove them away.—*GEN.*, ch. 15.

9273. — *for Work. Eighty Years.* ²⁹ Then fled Moses at this saying, and was a stranger in the land of Midian, where he begat two sons. ³⁰ And when forty years were expired, there appeared to him in the wilderness of mount Sinai an angel of the Lord.—*ACTS*, ch. 7.

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9274. *WALK consecrated. "Feet."* ²⁴ He brought Aaron's sons, and Moses put of the blood upon the tip of their right ear, and upon the thumbs of their right hands, and upon the great toes of their right feet.—*LEV.*, ch. 8.

9275. — *A holy. Enoch.* ²² Enoch walked with God after he begat Methuselah three hundred years... ²⁴ And Enoch walked with God : and he *was* not : for God took him.—*GEN.*, ch. 5.

9276. — *A perfect. Noah.* ⁹ Noah was a just man and perfect in his generations, and Noah walked with God.—*GEN.*, ch. 6.

9277. — *Saintly. Duty.* ⁸ He hath shewed thee, O man, what *is* good ; and what doth the Lord require of thee, but to do justly, and to love mercy, and to walk humbly with thy God?—*MICAH*, ch. 6.

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9278. WANDERER *compassionated. At Corinth.* ⁶ Sufficient to such a man is this punishment, which *was* inflicted of many. ⁷ So that contrariwise ye *ought* rather to forgive him, and comfort him, lest perhaps such a one should be swallowed up with overmuch sorrow.—*2 COR.*, ch. 2.

9279. — *restored. A. Peter.* ¹⁷ Peter was grieved because he said unto him the third time, Lovest thou me? And he said unto him, Lord, thou knowest all things ; thou knowest that I love thee. Jesus saith unto him, Feed my sheep.—*JOHN*, ch. 21.

9280. WANDERERS, Invitation to. "Return." ¹ Even from the days of your fathers ye are gone away from mine ordinances, and have not kept them. Return unto me, and I will return unto you, saith the Lord of hosts. But ye said, Wherein shall we return?—*MAL.*, ch. 3.

9281. — *Search for the. Wilderness.* ⁴ What man of you, having a hundred sheep, if he lose one of them, doth not leave the ninety and nine in the wilderness, and go after that which is lost, until he find it?—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

9282. — *Wicked. Immoral.* ⁸ I will come near to you to judgment ; and I will be a swift witness against the sorcerers, and against the adulterers, and against false swearers, and against those that oppress the hireling in his wages, the widow, and the fatherless.—*MAL.*, ch. 3.

9283. WANDERING *corrected. Afflictions.* ⁴⁷ Before I was afflicted I went astray : but now have I kept thy word.—*PS.* 119.

9284. — *Folly of. Sheep.* ¹¹⁶ I have gone astray like a lost sheep : seek thy servant ; for I do not forget thy commandments.—*PS.* 119.

9285. — *Unsatisfied. Dove.* ⁹ The dove found no rest for the sole of her foot, and she returned unto him into the ark, for the waters were on the face of the whole earth.—*GEN.*, ch. 8.

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9286. WANT *made a Blessing. Prodigal.* ¹⁶ He would fain have filled his belly with the husks that the swine did eat : and no man gave unto him. ¹⁷ And when he came to himself, he said, How many hired servants of my father's have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger ! ¹⁸ I will arise and go to my father.—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

9287. — *Contentment in. Paul.* ¹¹ Not that I speak in respect of want : for I have learned, in whatsoever state I am, *therewith* to be content. ¹² I know both how to be abased, and I know how to abound.—*PHIL.*, ch. 4.

9288. — *Degraded by. At Samaria.* ²² So we boiled my son, and did eat him : and I said unto her on the next day, Give thy son, that we may eat him : and she hath hid her son.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 6.

9289. — *Frivolity brings. Proverb.* ¹⁹ He

that tilleth his land shall have plenty of bread : but he that followeth after vain persons shall have poverty enough.—*Prov.*, ch. 28.

9290. — near *Luxury*. *Parable*. ¹⁹ There was a certain rich man, which was clothed in purple and fine linen, and fared sumptuously every day : ²⁰ And there was a certain beggar named Lazarus, which was laid at his gate full of sores.—*LUKE*, ch. 16.

9291. — to *Plenty*, *From*. *Four Lepers*. ⁸ When these lepers came to the uttermost part of the camp, they went into one tent, and did eat and drink, and carried thence silver, and gold, and raiment, and went and hid it; and came again, and entered into another tent, and carried thence also, and went and hid it.—*2 Kings*, ch. 7.

9292. — *Sin brings*. *Proverb*. ¹⁶ By means of a whorish woman a man is brought to a piece of bread : and the adulteress will hunt for the precious life.—*Prov.*, ch. 6.

9293. *WANTING*, *Weighed* and. *Belshazzar*. ⁵ In the same hour came forth fingers of a man's hand, and wrote over against the candlestick upon the plaster of the wall of the king's palace. ⁷ TEKEL; Thou art weighed in the balances, and art found wanting.—*DAN.*, ch. 5.

9294. *WANTS*, *The higher*. *Jesus said*. ²² Take no thought for your life, what ye shall eat; neither for the body, what ye shall put on. ²³ The life is more than meat, and the body is more than raiment.—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

9295. — *provided for*. *Fod*. ²⁴ Consider the ravens: for they neither sow nor reap; which neither have storehouse nor barn; and God feedeth them: how much more are ye better than the fowls?—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

9296. — *— Clothing*. ²¹ Consider the lilies how they grow: they toil not, they spin not; and, .Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. ²⁸ If then God so clothe the grass, which is to day in the field, and to morrow is cast into the oven; how much more will he clothe you, O ye of little faith?—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

9297. — *supplied*. *Christians*. ²² Neither said any of them that aught of the things which he possessed was his own, but they had all things common. ²⁴ Neither was there any among them that lacked.—*ACTS*, ch. 4.

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9298. *WAR* a *lost Art*. *Messiah*. ⁴ He shall judge among the nations. . . and they shall beat their swords into ploughshares, and their spears into pruninghooks: nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more.—*ISA.*, ch. 2.

9299. — *Art aids*. *Canaanites*. ¹⁹ Judah could not drive out the inhabitants of the valley, because they had chariots of iron.—*JUDGES*, ch. 1.

9300. — *Civilised*. *Fruit Trees*. ²⁰ Only the trees which thou knowest that they be not trees for meat, thou shalt destroy and cut them down; and thou shalt build bulwarks against the city that maketh war with thee, until it be subdued.—*DEUT.*, ch. 21.

9301. — *Challenge of*. *By Jehu*. ² As soon as this letter cometh to you, seeing your master's sons are with you, and there are with you chariots and horses, a fenced city also, and armour; ³ Look even out the best and meetest of your master's sons, and set him on his father's throne, and fight for your master's house.—*2 Kings*, ch. 10.

9302. — *Dishonoured by*. *David*. ⁸ Thou hast shed blood abundantly, and hast made great wars: thou shalt not build a house unto my name, because thou hast shed much blood upon the earth in my sight.—*1 CHRON.*, ch. 22.

9303. — *Exempt from*. *Housebuilders*. ⁵ What man is there that hath built a new house, and hath not dedicated it? let him go and return to his house, lest he die in the battle, and another man dedicate it.—*DEUT.*, ch. 20.

9304. — *— Cowards*. ⁸ The officers shall speak further unto the people. . . What man is there that is fearful and fainthearted? let him go and return unto his house, lest his brethren's heart faint as well as his heart.—*DEUT.*, ch. 20.

9305. — *— Betrothed*. ¹ What man is there that hath betrothed a wife, and hath not taken her? let him go and return unto his house, lest he die in the battle, and another man take her.—*DEUT.*, ch. 20.

9306. — *Equipment for*. *Spiritual*. ¹¹ Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.—*EPH.*, ch. 6. [See chapter.]

9307. — *with the Flesh*. *Spiritual*. ²¹ I see another law in my members, warring against the law of my mind, and bringing me into captivity to the law of sin which is in my members.—*ROM.*, ch. 7.

9308. — *from Insult*. *To Messengers*. ⁴ Hanun took David's servants, and shaved off the one half of their beards, and cut off their garments in the middle, even to their buttocks, and sent them away. . . ¹ And when David heard of it, he sent Joab, and all the host of the mighty men.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 10.

9309. — *Levied for*. *Twelve Thousand*. ² Moses spake. . . Arm some of yourselves unto the war, and let them go against the Midianites, and avenge the Lord of Midian. ⁴ Of every tribe a thousand, throughout all the tribes of Israel, shall ye send to the war.—*NUM.*, ch. 31.

9310. — Lord in the. *At Jericho.* ¹³ There stood a man over against him with his sword drawn in his hand : and Joshua went unto him, and said... *Art thou for us, or for our adversaries ?* ¹⁴ And he said, Nay ; but *as* captain of the host of the Lord am I now come.—*JOSH.*, ch. 5.

9311. — Merciless. *Chaldees.* ¹¹ Therefore he brought upon them the king of the Chaldees, who slew their young men with the sword in the house of their sanctuary, and had no compassion upon young man or maiden, old man, or him that stooped for age.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 36.

9312. — necessary. *Reproach.* ¹ The men of Jabesh said unto Nahash, Make a covenant with us, and we will serve thee. ²... answered them, On this *condition* will I make a covenant with you, that I may thrust out all your right eyes, and lay it *for* a reproach upon all Israel.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 11.

9313. — Prayer in. *“ Helped.”* ²⁰ They were helped against them, and the Hagarites were delivered into their hand, and all that *were* with them : for they cried to God in the battle, and he was entreated of them ; because they put their trust in him.—*1 CHRON.*, ch. 5.

9314. — Ruin by. *Of Moabites.* ²⁵ They beat down the cities, and on every good piece of land cast every man his stone, and filled it ; and they stoppered all the wells of water, and felled all the good trees.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 3.

9315. — Readiness for. *Jabin.* ¹ The Lord sold them into the hand of Jabin king of Canaan... the captain of whose host *was* Sisera... ³ And the children of Israel cried unto the Lord : for he had nine hundred chariots of iron.—*JUDGES*, ch. 4.

9316. WARFARE of the Truth. *Variance.* ²⁴ Think not that I am come to send peace on earth : I came not to send peace, but a sword. ²⁵ For I am come to set a man at variance against his father, and the daughter against her mother.—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

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9317. WARNING of Destruction. *“ Calamity.”*

²⁴ Because I have called, and ye refused ; I have stretched out my hand, and no man regarded ;
²⁵ But ye have set at naught all my counsel, and would none of my reproof : ²⁶ I also will laugh at your calamity ; I will mock when your fear cometh.—*PROV.*, ch. 1.

9318. — by Dream. *Pilate's Wife.* ¹⁹ When he was set down on the judgment seat, his wife sent unto him, saying, Have thou nothing to do with that just man : for I have suffered many things this day in a dream because of him.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

9319. — of Danger. *By Elisha.* ⁸ King of Syria warred against Israel, and took counsel with his servants, saying, In such and such a place *shall be* my camp. ⁹ And the man of God sent unto the king of Israel, saying, Beware that thou pass not such a place; for thither the Syrians are come down.—2 KINGS, ch. 6.

9320. — despised. *Sodomites.* ¹⁴ Lot went out, and spake unto his sons in law. Up, get you out of this place; for the Lord will destroy this city. But he seemed as one that mocked unto his sons in law.—GEN., ch. 19.

9321. — of Disobedience. *Moses.* ¹⁷ If thine heart turn away, so that thou wilt not hear, but shalt be drawn away, and worship other gods, and serve them; ¹⁸ I denounce unto you this day, that ye shall surely perish.—DEUT., ch. 30.

9322. — doubted. *Peter.* ³³ Peter answered and said unto him, Though all men shall be offended because of thee, yet will I never be offended.—MAT., ch. 26.

9323. — by Example. *Sodom.* ¹ Sodom and Gomorrah and the cities about them, in like manner giving themselves over to fornication, and going after strange flesh, are set forth for an example, suffering the vengeance of eternal fire.—JUDE.

9324. — — *Lot's Wife.* ³⁹ Remember Lot's wife.—LUKE, ch. 17.

9325. — from Experience. *Paul.* ¹⁴ Alexander the coppersmith did me much evil: the Lord reward him according to his works: ¹⁵ Of whom be thou ware also; for he hath greatly withstood our words.—2 TIM., ch. 4.

9326. — Faithful. *Ephesians.* ³¹ Watch, and remember, that by the space of three years I ceased not to warn every one night and day with tears.—ACTS, ch. 20.

9327. — Heedless. *Sword.* ⁴ Whosoever heareth the sound of the trumpet, and taketh not warning; if the sword come, and take him away, his blood shall be upon his own head.—EZEK., ch. 33.

9328. — heeded. *Noah.* ¹ By faith Noah, being warned of God of things not seen as yet, moved with fear, prepared an ark to the saving of his house.—HEB., ch. 11.

9329. — from History. *Israelites.* ⁶ These things were our examples, to the intent we should not lust after evil things, as they also lusted. ⁷ Neither be ye idolaters, as were some of them.—1 COR., ch. 10. [See chapter.]

9330. — — *Solomon.* ²⁵ Ye shall not give your daughters unto their sons, nor take their daughters unto your sons, or for yourselves. ²⁶ Did not Solomon king of Israel sin by these things?—NEH., ch. 13.

9331. — ignored. *Asahel.* ¹⁹ Asahel pursued after Abner; and in going he turned not to the right hand nor to the left from following Abner. ²⁰ And Abner said again to Asahel, Turn thee aside from following me: wherefore should I smite thee to the ground? how then should I hold up my face to Joab thy brother? ²¹ Howbeit he refused to turn aside: wherefore Abner with the hinder end of the spear smote him under the fifth rib.—2 SAM., ch. 2.

9332. — Punishment a. *Miriam.* ¹⁰ Miriam became leprous, white as snow; and Aaron look-

ed upon Miriam, and, behold, she was leprous.—NUM., ch. 12. [Nearly forty years later Moses said,] ⁹ Remember what the Lord thy God did unto Miriam by the way.—DEUT., ch. 24.

9333. — Preserved by. *Jesus.* ¹³ The angel of the Lord appeareth to Joseph in a dream, saying, Arise, and take the young child and his mother, and flee into Egypt. for Herod will seek the young child to destroy him.—MAT., ch. 2.

9334. — Personal. *To Peter.* ²⁴ Jesus said unto him, Verily, I say unto thee, That this night, before the cock crow, thou shalt deny me thrice. ²⁵ Peter said unto him, Though I should die with thee, yet will not I deny thee. Likewise also said all the disciples.—MAT., ch. 26.

9335. — repeated. *At Sinai.* ²⁰ And the Lord called Moses up to the top of the mount. . .

²¹ And the Lord said unto Moses, Go down, charge the people, lest they break through unto the Lord to gaze, and many of them perish.—EX., ch. 19.

9336. — Saved by. "Taketh." ⁵ He heard the sound of the trumpet, and took not warning; his blood shall be upon him. But he that taketh warning shall deliver his soul.—EZEK., ch. 33.

9337. — A solemn. *Last Supper.* ³¹ All ye shall be offended because of me this night: for it is written, I will smite the Shepherd, and the sheep of the flock shall be scattered abroad.—MAT., ch. 26.

9338. — A sorrowful. *Betrayal.* ²¹ As they did eat, he said, Verily I say unto you, that one of you shall betray me. ²² And they were exceeding sorrowful, and began every one of them to say unto him, Lord, is it I?—MAT., ch. 26.

9339. — The Wicked a. "Sign." ⁹ Dathan and Abiram. . . ¹⁰ . . . the earth opened her mouth, and swallowed them up together with Korah, when that company died, what time the fire devoured two hundred and fifty men: and they became a sign.—NUM., ch. 26.

9340. WARNINGS, Additional. From Heaven. ²¹ I pray thee therefore, father, that thou wouldst send him to my father's house: ²⁸ For I have five brethren; that he may testify unto them, lest they also come into this place of torment.—LUKE, ch. 16.

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9341. WASTE, Complaint of. Disciples. ⁴ Why was this waste of the ointment made? ⁵ For it might have been sold for more than three hundred pence, and have been given to the poor. And they murmured against her.—MARK, ch. 14.

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9342. WATCHING, Affectionate. Miriam. ³ Put the child therein; and she laid it in the flags by the river's brink. ⁴ And his sister stood afar off, to wit what would be done to him.—EX., ch. 2.

9343. — *Constant. Lord cometh.* ⁴³ Watch therefore ; for ye know not what hour your Lord doth come. ⁴² But know this, that if the good-man of the house had known in what watch the thief would come, he would have watched, and would not have suffered his house to be broken up.—*MAT.*, ch. 24.

9344. — *the Dead. Rizpah.* ¹⁰ Rizpah.. took sackcloth, and spread it for her upon the rock, from the beginning of harvest until water dropped upon them out of heaven, and suffered neither the birds of the air to rest on them by day, nor the beasts of the field by night.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 21.

9345. — *Failure in. Gethsemane.* ³⁸ O my Father, if it be possible, let this cup pass from me : nevertheless, not as I will, but as thou wilt. ⁴⁰ And he cometh unto the disciples, and findeth them asleep, and saith unto Peter, What, could ye not watch with me one hour?—*MAT.*, ch. 26.

9346. — *Hinderances to. Cares.* ³⁴ Take heed to yourselves, lest at any time your hearts be overcharged with surfeiting, and drunkenness, and cares of this life, and so that day come upon you unawares.—*LUKE*, ch. 21.

9347. — *Malicious. Pharisees.* ¹ He entered again into the synagogue ; and there was a man there which had a withered hand. ⁹ And they watched him, whether he would heal him on the sabbath day ; that they might accuse him.—*MARK*, ch. 3.

9348. — *with Prayer. Abram's Sacrifice.* ¹¹ And when the fowls came down upon the carcasses, Abram drove them away.—*GEN.*, ch. 15.

9349. — *Wall-builders.* ⁹ Nevertheless we made our prayer unto our God, and set a watch against them day and night, because of them.—*NEH.*, ch. 4.

9350. — *Anna.* ²¹ She was a widow of about fourscore and four years, which departed not from the temple, but served God with fastings and prayers night and day.—*LUKE*, ch. 2.

9351. — *Jesus.* ¹⁹ In those days, he went out into a mountain to pray, and continued all night in prayer to God.—*LUKE*, ch. 6.

9352. — *Vigilant. Master.* ³⁸ Watch ye therefore : for ye know not when the master of the house cometh, at even, or at midnight, or at the cockcrowing, or in the morning : ³⁶ Lest coming suddenly he find you sleeping.—*MARK*, ch. 13.

9353. — *and watched. Witnesses.* ¹ Seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us.—*HEB.*, ch. 12.

9354. — *The World's. "Observed."* ³⁰ Herod feared John, knowing that he was a just man and a holy, and observed him ; and when he heard him, he did many things, and heard him gladly.—*MARK*, ch. 6.

9355. *WATCHFULNESS, Lack of. Foolish Virgins.* ¹ Then all those virgins arose, and trimmed their lamps. ⁹ And the foolish said unto the wise, Give us of your oil ; for our lamps are gone out.—*MAT.*, ch. 25.

9356. — *Necessary. Adversary.* ⁶ Be sober, be vigilant ; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour : ⁹ Whom resist steadfast in the faith.—*1 PETER*, ch. 5.

9357. — *Personal. "Own House."* ³ Let not the gates of Jerusalem be opened until the sun be hot ; and while they stand by, let them shut the doors, and bar them : and appoint watchers of the inhabitants of Jerusalem, every one in his watch, and every one to be over against his house.—*NEH.*, ch. 7.

9358. — *rewarded. "Blessed."* ²¹ Blessed are those servants, whom the lord when he cometh shall find watching : verily I say unto you, that he shall gird himself, and make them to sit down to meat, and will come forth and serve them.—*LUKE*, ch. 12.

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9359. *WATCH-NIGHT Meeting. At Troy.* ¹ Paul preached unto them, ready to depart on the morrow ; and continued his speech until midnight.—*ACTS*, ch. 20.

9360. *WATER, Bitter. Marah.* ²³ When they came to Marah, they could not drink of the waters of Marah, for they were bitter. ²⁵ Lord shewed him a tree, which when he had cast into the waters, the waters were made sweet.—*EX.*, ch. 15.

9361. — *Choice. Beth-lehem.* ¹⁵ David longed, and said, Oh that one would give me drink of the water of the well of Beth-lehem, which is by the gate !—*2 SAM.*, ch. 23.

9362. — *Famine. A. "No Water."* ³ Their nobles have sent their little ones to the waters : they came to the pits, and found no water ; they returned with their vessels empty ; they were ashamed and confounded, and covered their heads.—*JER.*, ch. 14.

9363. — *Relieved.* ⁶ I will stand before thee there upon the rock in Horeb ; and thou shalt smite the rock, and there shall come water out of it, that the people may drink.—*EX.*, ch. 17.

9364. — *At Kadesh.* ¹⁰ Moses and Aaron gathered the congregation together before the rock, and he said unto them, Hear now, ye rebels ; must we fetch you water out of this rock ? ¹¹ And Moses lifted up his hand, and with his rod he smote the rock twice : and the water came out abundantly.—*NUM.*, ch. 20.

9365. — *Gift of. Disciple.* ⁴⁸ Whosoever shall give to drink unto one of these little ones a cup of cold water only in the name of a disciple, verily I say unto you, he shall in no wise lose his reward.—*MAT.*, ch. 10.

9366. — *of Humiliation. "Drink it."* ²⁰ He took the calf which they had made, and burnt it in the fire, and ground it to powder, and strewed it upon the water, and made the children of Israel drink of it.—*EX.*, ch. 32.

9367. — improved. *At Jericho.* ³¹ He went forth unto the spring of the waters, and cast the salt in there, and said, Thus saith the Lord, I have healed these waters; there shall not be from thence any more death or barren land.—2 *KINGS*, ch. 2.

9368. — Living. *At Jacob's Well.* ¹⁴ Whosoever drinketh of the water that I shall give him shall never thirst; but the water that I shall give him shall be in him a well of water springing up into everlasting life.—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

9369. — by Measure. *Scarcity.* ¹⁶ Son of man, behold, I will break the staff of bread in Jerusalem: and they shall eat bread by weight, and with care; and they shall drink water by measure, and with astonishment.—*EZEK.*, ch. 4.

9370. — Perishing for. *Ishmael.* ¹⁴ She departed, and wandered in the wilderness of Beer-sheba. ¹⁵ And the water was spent in the bottle, and she cast the child under one of the shrubs.—*GEN.*, ch. 21.

9371. — Saved from. *Moses.* ¹⁰ Pharaoh's daughter, and he became her son. And she called his name Moses: and she said, Because I drew him out of the water.—*EX.*, ch. 2.

9372. — Invisible Supplies of. *Elisha said.* ¹⁶ Thus saith the Lord, Make this valley full of ditches. ¹⁷ For thus saith the Lord, Ye shall not see wind, neither shall ye see rain: yet that valley shall be filled with water, that ye may drink, both ye, and your cattle, and your beasts.—2 *KINGS*, ch. 3.

9373. — Spiritual. "Rivers." ³¹ In the... great day of the feast, Jesus stood and cried, saying, If any man thirst, let him come unto me, and drink. ³² He that believeth on me, as the Scripture hath said, out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water.—*JOHN*, ch. 7.

9374. — Walls of. *Red Sea.* ²² The children of Israel went into the midst of the sea upon the dry ground: and the waters were a wall unto them on their right hand, and on their left.—*EX.*, ch. 14.

9375. — made Wine. *At Cana.* ⁹ When the ruler of the feast had tasted the water that was made wine, and knew not whence it was, (but the servants which drew the water knew,) the governor of the feast called the bridegroom, ²⁰ And saith unto him, Every man at the beginning doth set forth good wine; and when men have well drunk, then that which is worse: but thou hast kept the good wine until now.—*JOHN*, ch. 2.

9376. — Walking on. *Christ.* ⁴³ When they saw him walking upon the sea, they supposed it had been a spirit, and cried out: ⁴⁶ For they all saw him, and were troubled...saith unto them, Be of good cheer: it is I; be not afraid.—*MAT.*, ch. 6.

9377. — — *Peter.* ²⁹ He said, Come... Peter...walked on the water, to go to Jesus. ³⁰ But when he saw the wind boisterous, he was afraid; and beginning to sink, he cried, saying, Lord, save me.—*MAT.*, ch. 14.

9378. WATER-CURE, A marvellous. *Bethesda.* ⁴ An angel went down at a certain season into the pool, and troubled the water: whosoever then first after the troubling of the water stepped in was made whole of whatsoever disease he had.—*JOHN*, ch. 5.

9379. WATERS, Increase of. *Vision.* ⁴ Again he measured a thousand, and brought me through the waters; the waters were to the knees. Again he measured a thousand, and brought me through; the waters were to the loins. ⁵ Afterward he measured a thousand; and it was a river that I could not pass over: for the waters were risen, waters to swim in, a river that could not be passed over.—*EZEK.*, ch. 47.

9380. WATERING-PLACE, A religious. *Enon.* ²³ John also was baptizing in Enon near to Salim, because there was much water there: and they came, and were baptized.—*JOHN*, ch. 3.

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9383. — A hidden. *The Lord's.* ²³ It came between the camp of the Egyptians and the camp of Israel; and it was a cloud and darkness to them, but it gave light by night to these: so that the one came not near the other all the night.—*EX.*, ch. 14.

9384. — The Lord's. *Considerate.* ¹¹ When Pharaoh had let the people go...God led them not through the way of the land of the Philistines, although that was near; for God said, Lest peradventure the people repent when they see war, and they return to Egypt.—*EX.*, ch. 13.

9385. — — *Differs.* ¹⁰ Elisha sent a messenger unto him, saying, Go and wash in Jordan seven times, and thy flesh shall come again to thee, and thou shalt be clean. ¹¹ But Naaman was wroth, and went away, and said, Behold, I thought, He will surely come out to me, and stand, and call on the name of the Lord his God, and strike his hand over the place, and recover the leper.—2 *KINGS*, ch. 5.

9386. — — *No Other.* ¹² Are not Abana and Pharpar, rivers of Damascus, better than all the waters of Israel? may I not wash in

them, and be clean? So he turned and went away in a rage.—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

9387. — — *Simple.* ¹³ His servants.. said, My father, if the prophet had bid thee do some great thing, wouldest thou not have done it? how much rather then, when he saith to thee, Wash, and be clean.—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

9388. — — *Sure.* ¹⁴ Then went he down, and dipped himself seven times in Jordan, according to the saying of the man of God: and his flesh came again like unto the flesh of a little child, and he was clean.—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

9389. — — *Man's.* *Abraham.* ¹⁵ Abraham said unto God, O that Ishmael might live before thee!—GEN., ch. 17.

9390. — — *of Transgressors.* *Alarm.* ¹⁶ In the morning watch the Lord looked, through the pillar of fire and of the cloud, and troubled the host of the Egyptians, ¹⁷ And took off their chariot wheels, that they drove them heavily: so that the Egyptians said, Let us flee from the face of Israel; for the Lord fighteth for them.—EX., ch. 14.

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9391. **WEAK.** Care for the. *"Offend."* ¹⁸ Whoso shall offend one of these little ones which believe in me, it were better for him that a millstone were hanged about his neck, and that he were drowned in the depth of the sea.—MAT., ch. 18.

9392. — — *Stumble.* ¹⁹ But take heed lest by any means this liberty of yours become a stumblingblock to them that are weak.—1 COR., ch. 8.

9393. — — *Help for the.* *The Ammonite.* [Eyes to be put out. See No. 9312.] ² The elders of Jabesh said unto him, Give us seven days' respite, that we may send messengers unto all the coasts of Israel: and then, if there be no man to save us, we will come out to thee.—1 SAM., ch. 11. [Saul delivered them.]

9394. **WEAKNESS** of Believers. *"Babes."* ¹ I, brethren, could not speak unto you as unto spiritual, but as unto carnal, even as unto babes in Christ. ² I have fed you with milk, and not with meat: for hitherto ye were not able to bear it, neither yet now are ye able.—1 COR., ch. 3.

9395. — — *Israelites.* ¹¹ When Pharaoh had let the people go, God led them not through the way of the land of the Philistines, although that was near; for God said, Lest peradventure the people repent when they see war, and they return to Egypt.—EX., ch. 12.

9396. — — *Conscious.* *David.* ²⁰ I am this day weak, though anointed king; and these men the sons of Zeruiah be too hard for me: the Lord shall reward the doer of evil according to his wickedness.—2 SAM., ch. 3.

9397. — — *of the Flesh.* *Moses' Hands.* ¹³ Moses' hands were heavy; and they took a stone, and put it under him, and he sat thereon; and Aaron and Hur stayed up his hands, the one on the one side, and the other on the other side; and his hands were steady until the going down of the sun.—EX., ch. 17.

9398. — — *of Instruments.* *Lice—Flies.* ¹⁶ Say unto Aaron, Stretch out thy rod, and smite the dust of the land, that it may become lice throughout all the land of Egypt. ¹⁷ And they

did so; for Aaron stretched out his hand with his rod, and smote the dust of the earth, and it became lice in man, and in beast; all the dust of the land became lice.—EX., ch. 8.

9399. — — *Moral.* *Peter.* ¹² Before that certain came from James, he did eat with the Gentiles: but when they were come, he withdrew and separated himself, fearing them which were of the circumcision.—GAL., ch. 2.

9400. — — *Personal.* *"Do nothing."* ¹ I am the vine, ye are the branches. He that abideth in me, and I in him, the same bringeth forth much fruit; for without me ye can do nothing.—JOHN, ch. 15.

9401. — — *remembered.* *Paul.* ³ I was with you in weakness, and in fear, and in much trembling.—1 COR., ch. 2.

9402. — — *Submission from.* *Ahab.* ² Thus saith Ben-hadad, ³ Thy silver and thy gold is mine; thy wives also and thy children, even the goodliest are mine. ⁴ And the king of Israel answered and said, My lord, O king, according to thy saying, I am thine, and all that I have.—1 KINGS, ch. 20.

9403. — — *Spiritless.* *Fear.* ¹ When all the kings of the Amorites, which were on the side of Jordan westward, and all the kings of the Canaanites, which were by the sea, heard that the Lord had dried up the waters of Jordan from before the children of Israel, until we were passed over, their heart melted, neither was there spirit in them any more.—JOSEPH., ch. 5.

9404. — — *Discouragement.* ⁵ The men of Ai smote of them about thirty and six men: for they chased them, and smote them in the going down: wherefore the hearts of the people melted, and became as water.—JOSEPH., ch. 7.

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9405. WEALTH a Blessing. *To Laban.* [Abraham's servant said,] ³⁵ The Lord hath blessed my master greatly, and he is become great : and he hath given him flocks, and herds, and silver, and gold, and menservants, and maidservants, and camels, and asses.—GEN., ch. 24.

9406. — Contentment with. *Abram.* ²² Abram said to the king of Sodom, I have lifted up mine hand unto the Lord. ²³ That I will not take from a thread even to a shoelatchet, and that I will not take any thing that is thine, lest thou shouldest say, I have made Abram rich.—GEN., ch. 14.

9407. — by Commerce. *Solomon.* ²² For the king had at sea a navy...once in three years came the navy of Tharshish, bringing gold, and silver, ivory, and apes, and peacocks. ²³ So king Solomon exceeded all the kings of the earth for riches and for wisdom.—1 KINGS, ch. 10.

9408. — at the Cross. *Joseph.* ³⁷ When the even was come, there came a rich man of Arimathea, named Joseph, who also himself was Jesus' disciple : ³⁸ He went to Pilate, and begged the body of Jesus.—MAT., ch. 27.

9409. — in Cattle. *Reuben—Gad.* ¹ The children of Reuben and the children of Gad had a very great multitude of cattle.—NUM., ch. 32.

9410. — Covetous of. *Rich Fool.* ¹⁵ Beware of covetousness : for a man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things which he possesseth. ¹⁶ And he spake a parable unto them, saying, The ground of a certain rich man brought forth plentifully.—LUKE, ch. 12.

9411. — makes Difficulties. *"Grieved."* [See No. 9416.]

9412. — Distribution of. *To Poor.* [See No. 9416.]

9413. — Dispersion of. *By War.* ⁸ Then said Isaiah to Hezekiah, Hear the word of the Lord of hosts : ⁶ Behold, the days come, that all that is in thine house, and that which thy fathers have laid up in store until this day, shall be carried to Babylon : nothing shall be left, saith the Lord.—ISA., ch. 39.

9414. — Danger of. *"Beware."* ¹³ Lest when thou hast eaten and art full, and hast built goodly houses, and dwelt therein ; ¹² And when thy herds and thy flocks multiply, and thy silver and thy gold is multiplied, and all that thou hast is multiplied ; ¹⁴ Then thine heart be lifted up, and thou forget the Lord thy God, which brought thee out of the land of Egypt.—DEUT., ch. 8.

9415. — Display of. *Ahasuerus.* ³ He made a feast. ⁴ He shewed the riches of his glorious kingdom and the honour of his excel-

lent majesty many days, even a hundred and fourscore days.—ESTHER, ch. 1.

9416. — Bondage to. *Young Ruler.* ¹¹ Jesus beholding him loved him, and said, One thing thou lackest : go thy way, sell whatsoever thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven : and come, take up the cross, and follow me. ¹² ...went away grieved : for he had great possessions.—MARK, ch. 10.

9417. — enough. *Esau.* ⁸ What meanest thou by all this drove which I met? And he said, These are to find grace in the sight of my lord. ⁹ And Esau said, I have enough, my brother ; keep that thou hast unto thyself.—GEN., ch. 33.

9418. — separates Friends. *Abram—Lot.* ¹¹ Lot chose him all the plain of Jordan ; and Lot journeyed east : and they separated themselves the one from the other. ¹² Abram dwelt in the land of Canaan, and Lot dwelt in the cities of the plain, and pitched his tent toward Sodom.—GEN., ch. 13.

9419. — — Jacob—Esau. ⁶ Went into the country from the face of his brother Jacob. ⁷ For their riches were more than that they might dwell together : and the land...could not bear them because of their cattle.—GEN., ch. 36.

9420. — Greatness in. *Boaz.* ¹ Naomi had a kinsman of her husband's, a mighty man of wealth, of the family of Elimelech ; and his name was Boaz.—RUTH, ch. 2.

9421. — from God. *"He...giveth."* ¹¹ Thou say in thine heart, My power and the might of mine hand hath gotten me this wealth. ¹² But thou shalt remember the Lord thy God : for it is he that giveth thee power to get wealth.—DEUT., ch. 8.

9422. — Inherited. *Isaac.* ¹³ The man waxed great, and went forward, and grew until he became very great : ¹⁴ For he had possession of flocks, and possession of herds, and great store of servants : and the Philistines envied him.—GEN., ch. 26.

9423. — Ill-gotten. *Proverb.* ⁶ The getting of treasures by a lying tongue is a vanity tossed to and fro of them that seek death. ⁷ The robbery of the wicked shall destroy them ; because they refuse to do judgment.—PROV., ch. 21.

9424. — — For the Poor. ⁸ He that by usury and unjust gain increaseth his substance, he shall gather it for him that will pity the poor.—PROV., ch. 18.

9425. — lost. *Job.* ³ His substance also was seven thousand sheep, and three thousand camels, and five hundred yoke of oxen, and five hundred she asses, and a very great household ; so that this man was the greatest of all the men of the east.—JOB, ch. 1.

9426. — Loss of. *Friends lost.* ¹³ He hath put my brethren far from me, and mine acquaintance are verily estranged from me. ¹⁴ My kinsfolk have failed, and my familiar friends have forgotten me.—JOB, ch. 19.

9427. — Overflow of. *Lot.* ⁵ Lot also, which went with Abram, had flocks, and herds, and tents. ⁶ And the land was not able to bear them, that they might dwell together : for their substance was great, so that they could not dwell together.—GEN., ch. 13,

9428. — Obstructions of. "Cares." ¹⁸ These are they which are sown among thorns: such as hear the word, ¹⁹ And the cares of this world, and the deceitfulness of riches, and the lusts of other things entering in, choke the word, and it becometh unfruitful.—**MARK**, ch. 4.

9429. — with Piety. *Abram.* ² Abram was very rich in cattle, in silver, and in gold. ⁴ Unto the place of the altar, which he had made there at the first: and there Abram called on the name of the Lord.—**GEN.**, ch. 13.

9430. — Perishable. "Flower of Grass." ¹¹ The sun is no sooner risen with a burning heat, but it withereth the grass, and the flower thereof falleth, and the grace of the fashion of it perisheth: so also shall the rich man fade away in his ways.—**JAMES**, ch. 1.

9431. — A Prophet's. *Elisha.* ¹⁹ Elisha.. was ploughing with twelve yoke of oxen before him, and he with the twelfth: and Elijah passed by him, and cast his mantle upon him. ²¹ And he returned back from him, and took a yoke of oxen, and slew them, and boiled their flesh with the instruments of the oxen, and gave unto the people, and they did eat.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 19.

9432. — Pride in. "Lifted up." [See Nos. 9414, 9421.]

9433. — and Poverty. *Indifferent.* ⁹ Let the brother of low degree rejoice in that he is exalted: ¹⁰ But the rich, in that he is made low: because as the flower of the grass he shall pass away.—**JAMES**, ch. 1.

9434. — Poverty in. *Proverb.* ¹ There is that maketh himself rich, yet hath nothing: there is that maketh himself poor, yet hath great riches.—**PROV.**, ch. 13.

9435. — Perplexities of. *What?* ¹⁷ And he thought within himself, saying, What shall I do, because I have no room where to bestow my fruits?—**LUKE**, ch. 12.

9436. — regained. *Job.* ¹⁹ The Lord blessed the latter end of Job more than his beginning: for he had fourteen thousand sheep, and six thousand camels, and a thousand yoke of oxen, and a thousand she asses.—**JOB**, ch. 42.

9437. — Sudden. *Four Lepers.* ⁸ And when these lepers came to the uttermost part of the camp, they went into one tent, and did eat and drink, and carried thence silver, and gold, and raiment, and went and hid it; and came again, and entered into another tent, and carried thence also, and went and hid it.—**2 KINGS**, ch. 7.

9438. — — *Proverb.* ²¹ An inheritance may be gotten hastily at the beginning; but the end thereof shall not be blessed.—**PROV.**, ch. 20.

9439. — Selfish Use of. *Rich Fool.* ¹⁸ And he said, This will I do: I will pull down my barns, and build greater; and there will I bestow all my fruits and my goods. ¹⁹ And I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years; take thine ease, eat, drink, and be merry.—**LUKE**, ch. 12.

9440. — Uncertain Use of. "Whose?" ²⁰ But God said unto him, Thou fool, this night thy soul shall be required of thee: then whose shall those things be, which thou hast provided?—**LUKE**, ch. 12.

9441. — unenjoyed. *Nabal.* ² There was

a man in Maon, whose possessions were in Carmel; and the man was very great, and he had three thousand sheep, and a thousand goats. ²¹ but the man was churlish and evil in his doings; and he was of the house of Caleb.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 25.

9442. — of the Wicked. *Transient.* ²² A good man leaveth an inheritance to his children's children: and the wealth of the sinner is laid up for the just.—**PROV.**, ch. 13.

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9443. WEAPONS of Faith. *Simple.* ⁴⁰ He took his staff in his hand, and chose him five smooth stones out of the brook, and put them in a shepherd's bag which he had, even in a scrip; and his sling was in his hand: and he drew near to the Philistine.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 17.

9444. — rejected. *Saul's Armour.* ³⁸ Saul armed David with his armour, and he put a helmet of brass upon his head; also he armed him with a coat of mail. ³⁹ And David girded his sword upon his armour, and he assayed to go; for he had not proved it. And David said unto Saul, I cannot go with these, for I have not proved them.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 17.

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9446. — of Formality. "Contemptible." ¹² Ye have profaned it, in that ye say, The table of the Lord is polluted; and the fruit thereof, even his meat, is contemptible. ¹³ Ye said also, Behold, what a weariness is it! and ye have snuffed at it, saith the Lord of hosts; and ye brought that which was torn, and the lame, and the sick.—**MAL.**, ch. 1.

9447. — of the Flesh. *Gethsemane.* ⁴³ He went away again the second time, and prayed, saying, O my Father, if this cup may not pass away from me, except I drink it, thy will be done. ⁴⁴ And he came and found them asleep again: for their eyes were heavy.—**MAT.**, ch. 26.

9448. — Impatience from. *Moses.* ¹¹ Moses said unto the Lord, Wherefore hast thou afflicted

thy servant? and wherefore have I not found favour in thy sight, that thou layest the burden of all this people upon me?—NUM., ch. 11.

9449. — of Jesus. *At Sychar.* ⁶ Jacob's well was there. Jesus therefore, being wearied with his journey, sat thus on the well: and it was about the sixth hour.—JOHN, ch. 4.

9450. — Support in. *Moses.* [See No. 9397.]

9451. — from Work. *Apostles.* ³¹ Come ye yourselves apart into a desert place, and rest a while: for there were many coming and going, and they had no leisure so much as to eat.—MARK, ch. 6.

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9452. WEATHER, Discernment of. Signs.
² When it is evening, ye say, *It will be fair weather:* for the sky is red. ³ And in the morning, *It will be foul weather to day:* for the sky is red and lowering. O ye hypocrites, ye can discern the face of the sky; but can ye not discern the signs of the times?—MAT., ch. 16.

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9454. — — *Absalom's Rebellion.* ²³ All the country wept with a loud voice, and all the people passed over: the king also himself passed over the brook Kidron..toward the way of the wilderness.—2 SAM., ch. 15.

9455. — All. *For Lazarus.* ³³ When Jesus therefore saw her weeping, and the Jews also weeping which came with her, he groaned in the spirit, and was troubled.—³³ Jesus wept.—JOHN, ch. 11.

9456. — Appropriate. *Peter.* ¹⁴ Immediately the cock crew. ¹⁵ And Peter remembered the word of Jesus, which said unto him, Before the cock crew, thou shalt deny me thrice, And he went out, and wept bitterly.—MAT., ch. 26.

9457. — Babe. *A. Moses.* ⁵ And the daughter of Pharaoh came down to wash herself at the river; and her maidens walked along by the river's side: and when she saw the ark among the flags, she sent her maid to fetch it. ⁶ And when she had opened it, she saw the child: and, behold, the babe wept. And she had compassion on him, and said, *This is one of the Hebrews' children.*—EX., ch. 2.

9458. — in Bereavement. *Jacob.* ³³ Joseph is without doubt rent in pieces. ³⁴ And Jacob rent his clothes, and put sackcloth upon his loins, and mourned for his son many days.. ³⁵..and he said, For I will go down into the grave unto my son mourning. Thus his father wept for him.—GEN., ch. 37.

9459. — of Captives. *Babylon.* ¹ By the rivers of Babylon, there we sat down, yea, we wept, when we remembered Zion. ² We hanged

our harps upon the willows in the midst thereof.—PS. 137.

9460. — for the Dying. *Hagar.* ¹⁵ The water was spent in the bottle, and she cast the child under one of the shrubs. ¹⁶ And she went, and sat her down over against him a good way off, as it were a bowshot: for she said, Let me not see the death of the child. And she..lifted up her voice, and wept.—GEN., ch. 21.

9461. — excessive. *Soldiers.* ³ Ziklag, the city..was burned with fire; and their wives, and their sons, and their daughters, were taken captives. ⁴ Then, David and the people that were with him lifted up their voice and wept, until they had no more power to weep.—1 SAM., ch. 30.

9462. — for Flesh. *Wilderness.* ⁴ The mixed multitude that was among them fell a lusting: and the children of Israel also wept again, and said, Who shall give us flesh to eat?—NUM., ch. 11.

9463. — Fruitless. *Reprobates.* ¹² Not having a wedding garment? And he was speechless. ¹³ Then said the king to the servants, Bind him hand and foot, and take him away, and cast him into outer darkness; there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth.—MAT., ch. 22

9464. — Fictitious. *Ishmael.* ⁶ Ishmael..went forth from Mizpah to meet them, weeping all along as he went: and..as he met them, he said unto them, Come to Gedaliah.. ⁷ And it was so, when they came into the midst of the city, that Ishmael the son of Nethaniah slew them.—JER., ch. 41.

9465. — A great. *Spies discouraged.*
³³ There we saw the giants, the sons of Anak.. and we were in our own sight as grasshoppers, and so we were in their sight.. ¹ And all the congregation lifted up their voice, and cried; and the people wept that night.—NUM., chs. 13 and 14.

9466. — in Humiliation. *Absalom's Rebellion.* ³⁰ David went up by the ascent of mount Olivet, and wept as he went up, and had his head covered, and he went barefoot: and all the people that was with him covered every man his head, and they went up, weeping as they went up.—2 SAM., ch. 15.

9467. — at the Judgment. *Jesus said.*
³⁸ There shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth, when ye shall see Abraham, and Isaac, and Jacob, and all the prophets, in the kingdom of God, and you yourselves thrust out.—LUKE, ch. 13.

9468. — for Joy. *Joseph.* ² He wept aloud: and the Egyptians and the house of Pharaoh heard. ³ And Joseph said unto his brethren, I am Joseph; doth my father yet live?—GEN., ch. 45.

9469. — and Mourning. *Apostles.* ¹⁰ She went and told them that had been with him, as they mourned and wept. ¹¹ And they, when they had heard that he was alive, and had been seen of her, believed not.—MARK, ch. 16.

9470. — Needless. *Mary.* ¹¹ Mary stood without at the sepulchre weeping: and as she wept, she stooped down, and looked into the sepulchre, ¹² And seeth two angels in white sitting, the one at the head, and the other at

the feet, where the body of Jesus had lain.—*JOHN*, ch. 11.

9471. — *Overwhelmed by.* *Paul.* ¹⁹ When we heard these things, both we, and they of that place, besought him not to go up to Jerusalem. ²⁰ Then Paul answered, What mean ye to weep and to break mine heart? for I am ready not to be bound only, but also to die at Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus.—*ACTS*, ch. 21.

9472. — *for a Purpose.* *Samson's Wife.* ¹⁷ And she wept before him the seven days, while their feast lasted: and it came to pass on the seventh day, that he told her, because she lay sore upon him: and she told the riddle to the children of her people.—*JUDGES*, ch. 14.

9473. — *Patriotic.* *Jesus.* ⁴¹ He beheld the city, and wept over it, ⁴² Saying, if thou hadst known, even thou, at least in this thy day, the things which belong unto thy peace! but now they are hid from thine eyes.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

9474. — *Pious. Rebuilding.* ¹² Many of the priests and Levites and chief of the fathers, who were ancient men, that had seen the first house, when the foundation of this house was laid before their eyes, wept with a loud voice; and many shouted aloud for joy.—*EZRA*, ch. 3.

9475. — *Penitential. Hearers.* ⁹ This day is holy unto the Lord your God; mourn not, nor weep. For all the people wept, when they heard the words of the law.—*NEH.*, ch. 8.

9476. — *Woman.* ²⁸ Stood at his feet behind him weeping, and began to wash his feet with tears, and did wipe them with the hairs of her head, and kissed his feet, and anointed them with the ointment.—*LUKE*, ch. 7.

9477. — *Israelites.* ³ I will not drive them out from before you; but they shall be as thorns in your sides, and their gods shall be a snare unto you. ⁴ When the Angel of the Lord spake these words, the people lifted up their voice, and wept.—*JUDGES*, ch. 2.

9478. — *Superficial.* ¹⁶ When David had made an end of speaking these words unto Saul, Saul said, Is this thy voice, my son David? And Saul lifted up his voice, and wept, ¹⁷ And he said to David, Thou art more righteous than I.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 24.

9479. — *Genuine.* ¹ When Ezra had prayed, and confessed, weeping and casting himself down before the house of God, there assembled unto him out of Israel a very great congregation of men and women and children: for the people wept very sore.—*EZRA*, ch. 10.

9480. — *in Reconciliation.* *Jacob—Esau.* ⁴ Esau ran to meet him, and embraced him, and fell on his neck, and kissed him: and they wept.—*GEN.*, ch. 33.

9481. — *at Separation.* *David.* ⁴¹ Fell on his face to the ground, and bowed himself three times: and they kissed one another, and wept one with another, until David exceeded. ⁴² And Jonathan said to David, Go in peace.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 20.

9482. — *At Miletus.* ²⁷ They all wept sore, and fell on Paul's neck, and kissed him, ²⁸ Sorrowing most of all for the words which he spake, that they should see his face no more.

And they accompanied him unto the ship.—*ACTS*, ch. 20.

9483. — *From Naomi.* ⁹ Then she kissed them; and they lifted up their voice, and wept. ¹⁰ And they said unto her, Surely we will return with thee unto thy people.—*RUTH*, ch. 1.

9484. — *in Sickness.* *Hezekiah.* ¹ In those days was Hezekiah sick unto death. And the prophet Isaiah, said unto him, Thus saith the Lord, Set thine house in order; for thou shalt die, and not live. ² Then he turned his face to the wall, and prayed unto the Lord. ³ And Hezekiah wept sore.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 20.

9485. — *Useless.* *David.* ²⁹ While the child was yet alive, I fasted and wept: for I said, Who can tell whether God will be gracious to me, that the child may live? ³⁰ But now he is dead, wherefore should I fast? can I bring him back again? I shall go to him, but he shall not return to me.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 12.

9486. — *for the Wicked.* *By Elisha.* ¹² Hazael said, Why weepeth my lord? And he answered, Because I know the evil that thou wilt do unto the children of Israel: their strong holds wilt thou set on fire, and their young men wilt thou slay with the sword, and wilt dash their children, and rip up their women with child. ¹³ And Hazael said, But what, is thy servant a dog, that he should do this great thing?—*2 KINGS*, ch. 8.

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9487. WEDDING, Heaven a. *Lamb.* ⁹ He saith unto me, Write, Blessed are they which are called unto the marriage supper of the Lamb.—*REV.*, ch. 19.

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9488. WELCOME *envied.* *Saul.* [See below.] ⁹ Saul was very wroth, and he said, They have ascribed unto David ten thousands, and to me they have ascribed but thousands: and what can he have more but the kingdom? ¹⁰ And Saul eyed David.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 18.

9489. — *A Hero's.* *David.* ⁶ And it came to pass as they came, when David was returned from the slaughter of the Philistine, that the women came out of all cities of Israel, singing and dancing, to meet king Saul, with tabrets, with joy, and with instruments of music. ⁷ And the women answered one another as they played, and said, Saul hath slain his thousands, and David his ten thousands.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 18.

9490. — *The heavenly.* *"Well done."* ²¹ His lord said, Well done, thou good and faithful servant: thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things: enter thou into the joy of thy lord.—*MAT.*, ch. 25.

9491. — *Friends.* ⁹ Make to yourselves friends of the mammon of unrighteousness; that, when ye fail, they may receive you into everlasting habitations.—*LUKE*, ch. 16.

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9492. WHIRLWIND, A destructive. *Job.*
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9493. — A glorious. *"Horses of Fire."*
 " There appeared a chariot of fire, and horses of fire, and parted them both asunder; and Elijah went up by a whirlwind into heaven.—*2 Kings*, ch. 2.

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9494. WICKED, Arts of the. *Proverb.* " He winketh with his eyes, he speaketh with his feet, he teacheth with his fingers.—*Prov.*, ch. 6.

9495. — Angered by. *God.* [See No. 9536.]

9496. — In Bondage. *Proverb.* " His own iniquities shall take the wicked himself, and he shall be holden with the cords of his sin.—*Prov.*, ch. 5.

9497. — Criticisms of the. *"Troubleth."*
 " When Ahab saw Elijah..Ahab said unto him, Art thou he that troubleth Israel? " I have not troubled Israel; but thou, and thy father's house, in that ye have forsaken the commandments of the Lord, and thou hast followed Baalim.—*1 Kings*, ch. 18.

9498. — commended, The. *Prudence.* " And how much owest thou? And he said, A hundred measures of wheat. And he said unto him, Take thy bill, and write fourscore. " And the lord commended the unjust steward, because he had done wisely.—*LUKE*, ch. 16.

9499. — Defeat of the. *Haman said,* " Thus shall it be done to the man whom the king delighteth to honour. " Then the king said to Haman, Make haste, and take the apparel and the horse, as thou hast said, and do even so to Mordecai the Jew.—*ESTHER*, ch. 6.

9500. — End of the. *"Fire."* " So shall it be at the end of the world: the angels shall come forth, and sever the wicked from among the just, " And shall cast them into the furnace

of fire: there shall be wailing and gnashing of teeth.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

9501. — Fear of the. *Proverb.* " The wicked flee when no man pursueth: but the righteous are bold as a lion.—*Prov.*, ch. 28.

9502. — fear the Good. *Saul.* " Saul was afraid of David, because the Lord was with him, and was departed from Saul.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 13.

9503. — — Joseph's Brethren. " When Joseph's brethren saw that their father was dead, they said, Joseph will peradventure hate us, and will certainly requite us all the evil which we did unto him.—*GEN.*, ch. 50.

9504. — Flattering the. *Proverb.* " He that saith unto the wicked, Thou art righteous; him shall the people curse, nations shall abhor him: " But to them that rebuke him shall be delight, and a good blessing shall come upon them.—*Prov.*, ch. 24.

9505. — Fears of the. *Presence of God.*
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9506. — — Peter and John released.
 " They entered into the temple early in the morning, and taught.. " Now when the high priest and the captain of the temple and the chief priests heard these things, they doubted of them whereunto this would grow.—*ACTS*, ch. 6.

9507. — — "Shaken Leaf." " I will send a faintness into their hearts in the lands of their enemies; and the sound of a shaken leaf shall chase them; and they shall flee, as fleeing from a sword; and they shall fall when none pursueth.—*LEV.*, ch. 26.

9508. — Hiding of the. *"Cave."* " The five kings are found hid in a cave at Makkedah. " And Joshua said, Roll great stones upon the mouth of the cave, and set men by it for to keep them.—*JOSH.*, ch. 10.

9509. — honoured, The. *Jeroboam.* " He made a house of high places, and made priests of the lowest of the people, which were not of the sons of Levi.—*1 Kings*, ch. 12.

9510. — Justifying the. *"Abomination."*
 " He that justifieth the wicked, and he that condemneth the just, even they both are abomination to the Lord.—*Prov.*, ch. 17.

9511. — Overthrow of the. *"Moment."*
 " I went into the sanctuary of God; then understood I their end. " Surely thou didst set them in slippery places: thou castedst them down into destruction. " How are they brought into desolation, as in a moment! they are utterly consumed with terrors.—*PS.* 73.

9512. — — "His Light." " Yea, the light of the wicked shall be put out, and the spark of his fire shall not shine. " The light shall be dark in his tabernacle, and his candle shall be put out with him.—*JOB*, ch. 18.

9513. — — "His Strength." " His strength shall be hungerbitten, and destruction shall be ready at his side. " It shall devour the strength of his skin: even the firstborn of death shall devour his strength.—*JOB*, ch. 18.

9514. — — "His Remembrance." " His remembrance shall perish from the earth, and he shall have no name in the street. " He shall

be driven from light into darkness, and chased out of the world.—JOB, ch. 18.

9515. — *Offences of.* "*Refused.*" ¹⁴ Because I have called and ye refused; I have stretched out my hand, and no man regarded; ¹⁵ But ye have set at nought all my counsel, and would none of my reproof.—PROV., ch. 1.

9516. — *overwhelmed.* "*Whirlwind.*" ¹⁴ I also will laugh at your calamity: I will mock when your fear cometh; ¹⁵ When your fear cometh as desolation, and your destruction cometh as a whirlwind.—PROV., ch. 1.

9517. — *Pleasures of the.* "*Gall.*" ¹³ Though wickedness be sweet in his mouth, though he hide it under his tongue; ¹⁴ Though he spare it, and forsake it not, but keep it still within his mouth; ¹⁵ Yet his meat in his bowels is turned, it is the gall of asps within him.—JOB, ch. 20.

9518. — *punish the Wicked.* *Eglon.* ¹³ Israel did evil again in the sight of the Lord: and the Lord strengthened Eglon the king of Moab against Israel, because they had done evil.—JUDGES, ch. 3.

9519. — *refused.* *Prayers of.* ²⁸ Then shall they call upon me, but I will not answer; they shall seek me early, but they shall not find me; ²⁹ For that they hated knowledge, and did not choose the fear of the Lord.—PROV., ch. 1.

9520. — *Riches of the.* "*Vomit.*" ¹³ He hath swallowed down riches, and he shall vomit them up again: God shall cast them out of his belly. ¹⁴ He shall suck the poison of asps: the viper's tongue shall slay him.—JOB, ch. 20.

9521. — *Retribution for.* *Haman.* ⁹ Harbonah, one of the chamberlains, said before the king, Behold also the gallows fifty cubits high, which Haman had made for Mordecai, who had spoken good for the king, standeth in the house of Haman. Then the king said, Hang him thereon.—ESTHER, ch. 7.

9522. — *restless.* "*Troubled Sea.*" ³⁰ The wicked are like the troubled sea, when it cannot rest, whose waters cast up mire and dirt. ³¹ There is no peace, saith my God, to the wicked.—ISA., ch. 57.

9523. — *Seduced by the.* *Israelites.* ⁹ But they hearkened not: and Manasseh seduced them to do more evil than did the nations whom the Lord destroyed before the children of Israel.—2 KINGS, ch. 21.

9524. — *Trouble from.* *David.* ³⁸ A great man fallen this day in Israel? ³⁹ And I am this day weak, though anointed king; and these men the sons of Zeruiah be too hard for me: the Lord shall reward the doer of evil according to his wickedness.—3 SAM., ch. 3.

9525. — *Torments of the.* "*Sound.*" ³¹ A dreadful sound is in his ears: in prosperity the destroyer shall come upon him. ³² He believeth not that he shall return out of darkness, and he is waited for of the sword.—JOB, ch. 15.

9526. — *unenvied.* *The.* *Proverb.* ¹⁹ Fret not thyself because of evil men, neither be thou envious at the wicked; ²⁰ For there shall be no reward to the evil man; the candle of the wicked shall be put out.—PROV., ch. 24.

9527. — *The Wealthy.* "*Woe?*" ¹ Go to now, ye rich men, weep and howl for your

miseries that shall come upon you.—JAMES, ch. 5. [See chapter.]

9528. — *warned.* *Ananias.* ⁵ Ananias hearing these words fell down, and gave up the ghost: and great fear came on all them that heard these things.—ACTS, ch. 5.

9529. — *Witness against the.* *God.* ⁵ I will come near to you to judgment; and I will be a swift witness against the sorcerers, and against the adulterers, and against false swearers, and against those that oppress the hireling in his wages, the widow, and the fatherless.—MAT., ch. 3.

9530. — *Way of the.* "*Avoid.*" ¹⁴ Enter not into the path of the wicked, and go not in the way of evil men. ¹⁵ Avoid it, pass not by it, turn from it, and pass away. ¹⁶ The way of the wicked is as darkness: they know not at what they stumble.—PROV., ch. 4.

9531. *WICKEDNESS, Audacious.* *Josiah.* ¹¹ He took away the horses that the kings of Judah had given to the sun, at the entering in of the house of the Lord.—2 KINGS, ch. 23.

9532. — *Climax of.* "*Kill.*" ³⁷ But last of all he sent unto them his son, saying, They will reverence my son. ³⁸ But when the husbandmen saw the son, they said among themselves, This is the heir; come, let us kill him, and let us seize on his inheritance.—MAT., ch. 21.

9533. — *delusive.* "*Spirits.*" [See No. 9540.]

9534. — *Desperation in.* *After nine Plagues.* ²⁸ Pharaoh said, Get thee from me, take heed to thyself, see my face no more; for in that day thou seest my face thou shalt die. ²⁹ And Moses said, Thou hast spoken well, I will see thy face again no more.—EX., ch. 10.

9535. — *Depravity in.* *Good Josiah.* ⁷ And he brake down the houses of the sodomites, that were by the house of the Lord, where the women wove hangings for the grove.—2 KINGS, ch. 23.

9536. — *Exceeding.* *Ahab's.* ²³ Ahab made a grove; and Ahab did more to provoke the Lord God of Israel to anger than all the kings of Israel that were before him.—1 KINGS, ch. 16.

9537. — *Flagrant.* *Parable.* ³⁴ When the time of the fruit drew near, he sent his servants . . . that they might receive the fruits of it. ³⁵ And the husbandmen took his servants, and beat one, and killed another, and stoned another.—MAT., ch. 21.

9538. — *in the Heart.* "*Treasure.*" ²³ A good man, out of the good treasure of the heart, bringeth forth good things: and an evil man, out of the evil treasure, bringeth forth evil things.—MAT., ch. 12.

9539. — *Natural.* *Antediluvians.* ⁵ God saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every imagination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually. ⁶ And it repented the Lord that he had made man on the earth, and it grieved him at his heart.—GEN., ch. 6.

9540. — *Paternal.* *Manasseh.* ⁶ He made his son pass through the fire, and observed times, and used enchantments, and dealt with

familiar spirits and wizards : he wrought much wickedness in the sight of the Lord, to provoke him to anger.—2 KINGS, ch. 21.

9541. — *Royal. Manasseh.* ³ He reared up altars for Baal, and made a grove, as did Ahab king of Israel ; and worshipped all the host of heaven, and served them. ⁴ And he built altars in the house of the Lord.—2 KINGS, ch. 21.

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9542. WIDOW, Dilemma of. Prophet's. ¹ There cried a certain woman of the wives of the sons of the prophets unto Elisha, saying, Thy servant my husband is dead ; and thou knowest that thy servant did fear the Lord : and the creditor is come to take unto him my two sons to be bondmen.—2 KINGS, ch. 4.

9543. — *Gifts of a. "Two Miles."* ⁴³ This poor widow hath cast more in, than all they which have cast into the treasury : ⁴⁴ For all they did cast in of their abundance ; but she of her want did cast in all that she had, even all her living.—MARK, ch. 12.

9544. — *An impoverished. Naomi,* ¹ I

went out full, and the Lord hath brought me home again empty : why then call ye me Naomi, seeing the Lord hath testified against me, and the Almighty hath afflicted me?—RUTH, ch. 1.

9545. — *Importunate. Unjust Judge.* ⁴ Though I fear not God, nor regard man ; ⁵ Yet because this widow troubleth me, I will avenge her, lest by her continual coming she weary me.—LUKE, ch. 18.

9546. — *A pious. Anna* ³¹ Was a widow of about fourscore and four years, which departed not from the temple, but served God with fastings and prayers night and day.—LUKE, ch. 2.

9547. — *remembered. Zarephath.* ¹⁴ Thus saith the Lord God of Israel, The barrel of meal shall not waste, neither shall the cruse of oil fail, until the day that the Lord sendeth rain upon the earth.—1 KINGS, ch. 17.

9548. — *Again.* ²³ Elijah took the child, and brought him down out of the chamber into the house, and delivered him unto his mother : and Elijah said, See, thy son liveth.—1 KINGS, ch. 17.

9549. — *relieved. Oil.* ⁵ When the vessels were full..she said unto her son, Bring me yet a vessel. And he said unto her, There is not a vessel more. And the oil stayed. ¹ Then she came and told the man of God. And he said, Go, sell the oil, and pay thy debt, and live.—2 KINGS, ch. 4. [See No. 4049.]

9550. — *Son of a. Hiram.* ¹⁴ He was a widow's son of the tribe of Naphtali, and his father was a man of Tyre, a worker in brass : and he was filled with wisdom, and understanding, and cunning to work all works in brass.—1 KINGS, ch. 7.

9551. — *Seven times a. Sadducees said,* ¹⁷ And last of all the woman died also. ²⁸ Therefore in the resurrection, whose wife shall she be of the seven ? for they all had her.—MAT., ch. 22.

9552. WIDOWS, Care for. Murmured. ¹ When the number of the disciples was multiplied, there arose a murmuring of the Grecians against the Hebrews, because their widows were neglected in the daily ministration.—ACTS, ch. 6.

9553. — *Home of. Ruth—Orpah—Naomi.* ³ Elimelech Naomi's husband died ; and she was left, and her two sons. ⁵ And Mahlon and Chilion died also both of them ; and the woman was left of her two sons and her husband.—RUTH, ch. 1.

9554. — *Provision for. Deacons.* ³ Look ye out among you seven men of honest report, full of the Holy Ghost and wisdom, whom we may appoint over this business.—ACTS, ch. 6.

9555. — *in the Resurrection. Sadducees said,* ²⁸ Therefore in the resurrection, whose wife shall she be of the seven ? for they all had her. ³⁰ For in the resurrection they neither marry, nor are given in marriage, but are as the angels of God in heaven.—MAT., ch. 22. [See No. 9551.]

9556. — *Wronging. Embezzlement.* ¹⁴ Woe unto you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites ! for ye devour widows' houses, and for a pretence make long prayers : therefore ye shall receive the greater damnation.—MAT., ch. 23.

9557. WIFE, Adornment of a. "Quiet Spirit." ³ Whose adorning, let it not be that outward adorning of plaiting the hair and of wearing of gold, or of putting on of apparel, ⁴ But let it be the hidden man of the heart, in that which is not corruptible, *even the ornament of a meek and quiet spirit, which is in the sight of God of great price.*—1 PETER, ch. 3.

9558. — — "Good Works." ⁹ That women adorn themselves in modest apparel, with shamefacedness and sobriety; not with braided hair, or gold, or pearls, or costly array; ¹⁰ But, which becometh women professing godliness, with good works.—1 TIM., ch. 2.

9559. — Prior Claims of. Adam said, ²³ She shall be called Woman, because she was taken out of man. ²⁴ Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave unto his wife.—EX., ch. 2.

9560. — A contentious. Proverb. ¹⁹ It is better to dwell in the wilderness, than with a contentious and an angry woman.—PROV., ch. 21.

9561. — — "Rainy Day." ¹⁵ A continual dropping in a very rainy day and a contentious woman are alike. ¹⁶ Whosoever hideth her hideth the wind, and the ointment of his right hand, which bewrayeth itself.—PROV., ch. 27.

9562. — Bad Counsels of. Haman's. ¹⁴ Then said Zeresh his wife and all his friends unto him, Let a gallows be made of fifty cubits high, and to-morrow speak thou unto the king that Mordecai may be hanged thereon.—ESTHER, ch. 5. [Was himself hung thereon.]

9563. — — Job's. ⁹ Then said his wife unto him, Dost thou still retain thine integrity? curse God, and die. ¹⁰ But he said unto her, Thou speakest as one of the foolish women speaketh.—JOB, ch. 2.

9564. — Corrupting. Ahab. ³¹ As if it had been a light thing for him to walk in the sins of Jeroboam, he took to wife Jezebel the daughter of Ethbaal king of the Zidonians, and went and served Baal.—1 KINGS, ch. 16.

9565. — A contemptuous. Michal ¹⁶ Saw king David leaping and dancing before the Lord; and she despised him in her heart.—2 SAM., ch. 6.

9566. — Device of. Michal. ¹³ Michal took an image, and laid it in the bed, and put a pillow of goats' hair for his bolster, and covered it with a cloth. ¹⁴ And when the messengers were come in, behold, there was an image in the bed, with a pillow of goats' hair for his bolster.—1 SAM., ch. 19.

9567. — A disgraceful. "Rottenness." ⁴ A virtuous woman is a crown to her husband: but she that maketh ashamed is as rottenness in his bones.—PROV., ch. 12.

9568. — A dangerous. Jehoram. ¹⁸ He walked in the way of the kings of Israel, as did the house of Ahab; for the daughter of Ahab was his wife: and he did evil in the sight of the Lord.—2 KINGS, ch. 8. [She was Jezebel's daughter.]

9569. — A disobedient. Vashti. ¹² Queen Vashti refused to come at the king's commandment by his chamberlains: therefore was the king very wroth, and his anger burned in him.—ESTHER, ch. 1.

9570. — A falsifying. Michal. ¹⁷ Saul said unto Michal, Why hast thou deceived me so, and sent away mine enemy, that he is escaped? And Michal answered Saul, He said unto me, Let me go; why should I kill thee?—1 SAM., ch. 19.

9571. — for her Husband. Against Laban. ¹⁴ Rachel and Leah answered, *Is there yet any portion or inheritance for us in our father's house?* ¹⁵ Are we not counted of him strangers? for he hath sold us, and hath quite devoured also our money.—GEN., ch. 31.

9572. — saves her Husband. From her Father. ¹¹ Michal David's wife told him, saying, If thou save not thy life to-night, to-morrow thou shalt be slain. ¹² So Michal let David down through a window: and he went, and fled, and escaped.—1 SAM., ch. 19.

9573. — An intelligent. Of Manoaah. ²² Manoaah said unto his wife, We shall surely die, because we have seen God. ²³ But his wife said, If the Lord were pleased to kill us, he would not have received a burnt offering and a meat offering at our hand.—JUDGES, ch. 13.

9574. — from the Lord, A. Proverb. ¹⁴ House and riches are the inheritance of fathers: and a prudent wife is from the Lord.—PROV., ch. 19.

9575. — A loving. Michal. ¹⁹ When Merab Saul's daughter should have been given to David, she was given unto Adriel the Meholathite to wife. ²⁰ And Michal Saul's daughter loved David: and they told Saul, and the thing pleased him.—1 SAM., ch. 18.

9576. — lost, A. Michal. ⁴⁴ Saul had given Michal his daughter, David's wife, to Phalti the son of Laish, which was of Gallim.—1 SAM., ch. 25.

9577. — — Samson's. ²⁰ Samson's wife was given to his companion, whom he had used as his friend.—JUDGES, ch. 15.

9578. — Purchase of. Dinah. ¹¹ Shechem said unto her father and unto her brethren, Let me find grace in your eyes, and what ye shall say unto me I will give. ¹² Ask me never so much dowry and gift, and I will give according as ye shall say unto me: but give the damsel to wife.—GEN., ch. 34.

9579. — Prudence of. Abigail. ³ The name of the man was Nabal, and his wife Abigail; and she was a woman of good understanding, and of a beautiful countenance: but the man was churlish and evil in his doings.—1 SAM., ch. 25. [See chapter.]

9580. — Piety of. Elisabeth. ⁵ Zacharias.. and her name was Elisabeth. ⁶ And they were both righteous before God, walking in all the commandments and ordinances of the Lord blameless.—LUKE, ch. 1.

9581. — regained, A. Michal. ¹⁴ David sent messengers to Ishbosheth, Saul's son, saying, Deliver me my wife Michal, which I espoused to me for a hundred foreskins of the Philistines. ¹⁶ And her husband went with her along weeping behind her to Bahurim. Then said Abner unto him, Go, return. And he returned.—2 SAM., ch. 3.

9582. — Submission of. After the Fall. ¹⁴ Unto the woman he said, I will greatly multi-

ply thy sorrow and thy conception ; in sorrow thou shalt bring forth children ; and thy desire shall be to thy husband, and he shall rule over thee.—GEN., ch. 3.

9583. — **A subduing.** *Samson's.* ¹⁶ Samson's wife wept before him, and said, Thou dost but hate me, and lovest me not : thou hast put forth a riddle unto the children of my people, and hast not told it me.—JUDGES, ch. 14.

9584. — **A sarcastic.** *Michal.* ²⁰ David returned to bless his household. And Michal the daughter of Saul came out to meet David, and said, How glorious was the king of Israel to day, who uncovered himself to day in the eyes of the handmaids of his servants, as one of the vain fellows shamelessly uncovereth himself !—2 SAM., ch. 6.

9585. — **Selecting.** *Jacob's.* ¹ Thou shalt not take a wife of the daughters of Canaan. ² Arise, go to Padan-aram, to the house of Bethuel thy mother's father ; and take thee a wife from thence of the daughters of Laban thy mother's brother.—GEN., ch. 28.

9586. — **Serving for a.** *"Seven Years."* ²⁰ Jacob served seven years for Rachel ; and they seemed unto him but a few days, for the love he had to her.—GEN., ch. 29.

9587. — **a Treasure.** *Proverb.* ²² Whoso findeth a wife findeth a good thing, and obtaineth favour of the Lord.—PROV., ch. 18.

9588. — **Astreacherous.** *Delilah.* ⁴ He loved a woman in the valley of Sorek, whose name was Delilah. ⁵ The lords of the Philistines . . . said unto her, Entice him, and see wherein his great strength lieth, and by what means we may prevail against him, that we may bind him to afflict him : and we will give thee every one of us eleven hundred pieces of silver.—JUDGES, ch. 16.

9589. — **An unworthy.** *Canaanite.* ⁴⁶ Rebekah said to Isaac, I am weary of my life because of the daughters of Heth : if Jacob take a wife of the daughters of Heth, such as these which are of the daughters of the land, what good shall my life do me ?—GEN., ch. 27.

9590. — **won by Merit.** *In Battle.* ²⁵ The men of Israel said, Have ye seen this man that is come up ? surely to defy Israel is he come up : and it shall be, that the man who killeth him, the king will enrich him with great riches, and will give him his daughter.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

9591. — **Wicked.** *Herodias.* ³ Herod had laid hold on John, and bound him, and put him in prison for Herodias' sake, his brother Philip's wife. ⁴ For John said unto him, It is not lawful for thee to have her. . . ¹⁰ And he sent, and beheaded John in the prison.—MAT., ch. 13.

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9592. **WILDERNESS.** *Temptation in the Jesus.* ¹ Then was Jesus led up of the Spirit into the wilderness to be tempted of the devil. ² And when he had fasted forty days and forty nights, he was afterward a hungered.—MAT., ch. 4.

9593. **WILL.** *A rebellious.* *"Would not."* ²¹ O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, thou that killest the prophets, and stonest them which are sent unto thee, how often would I have gathered thy children together, even as a hen gathereth her chickens under her wings, and ye would not !—MAT., ch. 23.

9594. — *Jews in Egypt.* ¹⁶ As for the word that thou hast spoken unto us in the name of the Lord, we will not hearken unto thee. ¹⁷ But we will certainly do whatsoever thing goeth forth out of our own mouth, to burn incense unto the queen of heaven.—JER., ch. 44.

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9596. — in Benevolence. For Tabernacle. "The children of Israel brought a willing offering unto the Lord, every man and woman, whose heart made them willing to bring for all manner of work, which the Lord had commanded to be made by the hand of Moses.—EX., ch. 35. [See chapter.]

9597. — to Save. Jesus. "There came a leper and worshipped him, saying, Lord, if thou wilt thou canst make me clean. "And Jesus put forth his hand, and touched him, saying, I will; be thou clean. And immediately his leprosy was cleansed.—MAT., ch. 8.

9598. — — "Receive." "The Pharisees and scribes murmured, saying, This man receiveth sinners, and eateth with them.—LUKE, ch. 15.

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9600. — A powerful. Red Sea. "The Lord caused the sea to go back by a strong east wind all that night, and made the sea dry land, and the waters were divided. "And the children of Israel went into the midst of the sea upon the dry ground: and the waters were a wall unto them.—EX., ch. 14.

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9603. — — Genesareth. "As they sailed,

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9608. — a Mockers. Proverb. "Wine is a mocker, strong drink is raging: and whosoever is deceived thereby is not wise.—PROV., ch. 20.

9609. — Misled by. "Stingeth." "Look not thou upon the wine when it is red, when it giveth his colour in the cup, when it moveth itself aright. "At the last it biteth like a serpent, and stingeth like an adder.—PROV., ch. 23.

9610. — Medicinal. To Timothy. "Drink no longer water, but use a little wine for thy stomach's sake and thine often infirmities.—1 TIM., ch. 5.

9611. — brings Poverty. Proverb. "Be not among winebibbers; among riotous eaters of flesh: "For the drunkard and the glutton shall come to poverty: and drowsiness shall clothe a man with rags.—PROV., ch. 23.

9612. — Sorrows of. Proverb. "Who hath woe? who hath sorrow? who hath contentions? who hath babbling? who hath wounds without cause? who hath redness of eyes? "They that tarry long at the wine; they that go to seek mixed wine.—PROV., ch. 23.

9613. — Sacramental. First. "Melchizedek king of Salem brought forth bread and wine: and he was the priest of the most high God.—GEN., ch. 14. [For Abram.]

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9614. WISDOM, Attraction of. Solomon. "For he was wiser than all men: than Ethan the Ezrahite, and Heman, and Chalcol, and Darda, the sons of Mahol: and his fame was in all nations round about.—1 KINGS, ch. 4.

9615. — with Age. Elihu. "The Buzite answered and said, I am young, and ye are very old; wherefore I was afraid, and durst not shew you mine opinion. "I said, Days should speak, and multitude of years should teach wisdom.—JOB, ch. 32.

9616. — *Beginning of. Fear of the Lord.* ⁹ Give instruction to a wise man, and he will be yet wiser : teach a just man, and he will increase in learning. ¹⁰ The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom.—*Prov.*, ch. 9.

9617. — *Benefits of. Riches—Honour.* ⁴⁸ Riches and honour are with me : yea, durable riches and righteousness. ¹⁹ My fruit is better than gold, yea, than fine gold ; and my revenue than choice silver. ²⁰ I lead in the way of righteousness.—*Prov.*, ch. 8.

9618. — *Choice of. Solomon.* ⁵ In Gibeon the Lord appeared to Solomon in a dream by night : and God said, Ask what I shall give thee. ⁹ Give therefore thy servant an understanding heart to judge thy people, that I may discern between good and bad : for who is able to judge this thy so great a people? ¹⁰ And the speech pleased the Lord.—*1 Kings*, ch. 3.

9619. — *Commended.* ¹¹ God said unto him, Because thou hast asked this thing, and hast not asked for thyself long life ; neither hast asked riches for thyself, nor hast asked the life of thy enemies ; but hast asked for thyself understanding to discern judgment. ¹² And I have also given thee that which thou hast not asked, both riches, and honour.—*1 Kings*, ch. 3.

9620. — *Commended. Worldly.* ¹ Take thy bill, and write fourscore. ⁸ And the lord commended the unjust steward, because he had done wisely.—*LUKE*, ch. 16.

9621. — *Creative. Divine.* ²¹ When he prepared the heavens, I was there : when he set a compass upon the face of the depth : ²² When he established the clouds above : when he strengthened the fountains of the deep : ²³ When he gave to the sea his decree, that the waters should not pass his commandment : when he appointed the foundations of the earth.—*Prov.*, ch. 8.

9622. — *A Child's. Jesus.* ⁴⁷ All that heard him were astonished at his understanding and answers.—*LUKE*, ch. 2.

9623. — *Early. Hebrews.* ¹¹ These four children, God gave them knowledge and skill in all learning and wisdom : and Daniel had understanding in all visions and dreams.—*DAN.*, ch. 1.

9624. — *Earthly. Greeks.* ¹¹ Christ sent me not to baptize, but to preach the gospel : not with wisdom of words, lest the cross of Christ should be made of none effect. ¹⁸ For the preaching of the cross is to them that perish, foolishness ; but unto us which are saved, it is the power of God.—*1 Cor.*, ch. 1.

9625. — *Not saved by.* ²¹ For after that in the wisdom of God the world by wisdom knew not God, it pleased God by the foolishness of preaching to save them that believe. ²² For the Jews require a sign, and the Greeks seek after wisdom.—*1 Cor.*, ch. 1.

9626. — *First. Principal Thing.* ⁷ Wisdom is the principal thing ; therefore get wisdom : and with all thy getting get understanding. ⁸ Exalt her, and she shall promote thee.—*Prov.*, ch. 4.

9627. — *Fame for. Solomon.* ²⁴ There came of all people to hear the wisdom of Solomon, from all kings of the earth, which had heard of his wisdom.—*1 Kings*, ch. 4.

9628. — *Greatness of. Solomon.* ²⁹ God gave Solomon wisdom and understanding exceeding much, and largeness of heart, even as the sand that is on the sea shore. ³⁰ And Solomon's wisdom excelled the wisdom of all the children of the east country, and all the wisdom of Egypt. ³¹ For he was wiser than all men.—*1 Kings*, ch. 4.

9629. — *incomparable. "Rubies."* ¹¹ Wisdom is better than rubies, and all the things that may be desired are not to be compared to it. ¹² I wisdom dwell with prudence, and find out knowledge of witty inventions.—*Prov.*, ch. 8.

9630. — *Lack of. "On Sand."* ²⁶ And every one that heareth these sayings of mine, and doeth them not, shall be likened unto a foolish man, which built his house upon the sand : ²⁷ And the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house ; and it fell : and great was the fall of it.—*MAT.*, ch. 7.

9631. — *In Oppression. No. In Egypt.* ¹⁰ Let us deal wisely with them ; lest they multiply. . . join also unto our enemies, and fight against us, and so get them up out of the land. . . ¹² But the more they afflicted them, the more they multiplied and grew.—*Ex.*, ch. 1.

9632. — *vs. Poverty. Solomon said.* ¹⁶ Then said I, Wisdom is better than strength : nevertheless the poor man's wisdom is despised, and his words are not heard.—*ECCLES.*, ch. 9.

9633. — *prayed for. Solomon.* [See No. 9618.]

9634. — *Earnest Pursuit of. Proverb.* ³ If thou criest after knowledge, and liftest up thy voice for understanding ; ⁴ If thou seekest her as silver, and searchest for her as for hid treasures ; ⁵ Then shalt thou understand the fear of the Lord, and find the knowledge of God. ⁶ For the Lord giveth wisdom.—*Prov.*, ch. 2.

9635. — *Practical. David.* ¹⁹ Is not the hand of Joab with thee in all this? And the woman answered. . . As thy soul liveth, my lord the king, none can turn to the right hand or to the left from aught that my lord the king hath spoken : for thy servant Joab, he bade me.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 14.

9636. — *Solomon.* ²⁵ The king said, Divide the living child in two, and give half to the one, and half to the other. ²⁶ Then spake the woman whose the living child was unto the king, for her bowels yearned upon her son, and she said, O my lord, give her the living child, and in no wise slay it.—*1 Kings*, ch. 3.

9637. — *of Piety. "On a Rock."* ²⁴ Whosoever heareth these sayings of mine, and doeth them, I will liken him unto a wise man, which built his house upon a rock : ²⁵ And the rain descended, and the floods came, and the winds blew, and beat upon that house ; and it fell not : for it was founded upon a rock.—*MAT.*, ch. 7.

9638. — *prized. Divine.* ²⁴ Blessed is the man that heareth me, watching daily at my gates, waiting at the posts of my doors. ²⁵ For whoso findeth me findeth life, and shall obtain favour of the Lord. ²⁶ But he that sinneth against me wrongeth his own soul : all they that hate me love death.—*Prov.*, ch. 8.

9639. — more than Strength. Parable. ¹⁴ There was a little city, and few men within it; and there came a great king against it, and besieged it, and built great bulwarks against it. ¹⁵ Now there was found in it a poor wise man, and he by his wisdom delivered the city.—*Eccl.*, ch. 9.

9640. — separates. Jews. ²⁸ The rest of the people, the priests, the Levites, the porters, the singers, the Nethinim, and all they that had separated themselves from the people of the lands unto the law of God, their wives, their sons, and their daughters, every one having knowledge, and having understanding; ²⁹ They clave to their brethren.—*Neh.*, ch. 10.

9641. — True. Proverb. ¹⁰ The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom: and the knowledge of the holy is understanding. ¹¹ For by me thy days shall be multiplied, and the years of thy life shall be increased.—*Prov.*, ch. 9.

9642. — Tribute to. Queen of Sheba. It was a true report that I heard in mine own land of thy acts and of thy wisdom. ¹ Howbeit I believed not the words, until I came, and mine eyes had seen it; and, behold, the half was not told me: thy wisdom and prosperity exceedeth the fame which I heard.—*1 Kings*, ch. 10.

9643. — Varied. Solomon ²⁸ Spake three thousand proverbs: and his songs were a thousand and five. ²⁹ And he spake of trees, from the cedar tree that is in Lebanon even unto the hyssop that springeth out of the wall: he spake also of beasts, and of fowl, and of creeping things, and of fishes.—*1 Kings*, ch. 4.

9644. — Worldly. Vanity. ¹⁵ As it happeneth to the fool, so it happeneth even to me; and why was I then more wise? Then I said in my heart, that this also is vanity, ¹⁶ For there is no remembrance of the wise more than of the fool for ever.—*Eccl.*, ch. 2.

9645. — of the World. "On Wall." ⁸ Then came in all the king's wise men: but they could not read the writing, nor make known to the king the interpretation thereof. ⁹ Then was king Belshazzar greatly troubled.—*Dan.*, ch. 5.

See EDUCATION, INTELLIGENCE, and references.

9646. WISH, An inconsiderate. David. ¹⁵ David longed, and said, Oh that one would give me drink of the water of the well of Bethlehem, which is by the gate! ¹⁶ And the three mighty men brake through the host of the Philistines, and drew water.—*2 Sam.*, ch. 23.

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DESIRE.

Chief. Lord, that I might receive my sight 2210
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9647. WITCH, A famous. At En-dor. ¹ Said Saul unto his servants, Seek me a woman that hath a familiar spirit, that I may go to her and inquire of her. . . Behold, there is a woman that hath a familiar spirit at En-dor.—*1 Sam.*, ch. 28.

9648. — Work of a. "Bring up." [See above.] ¹¹ Said the woman, Whom shall I bring up unto thee? And he said, Bring me up Samuel. ¹⁵ And when the woman saw Samuel, she cried with a loud voice.—*1 Sam.*, ch. 28.

9649. WITCHCRAFT abolished. By Josiah. ²⁴ The workers with familiar spirits, and the wizards, and the images, and the idols, and all the abominations that were spied in the land of Judah and in Jerusalem, did Josiah put away.—*2 Kings*, ch. 23.

9650. — Famous for. Simon. ⁹ Simon, which beforetime in the same city used sorcery, and bewitched the people of Samaria, giving out that himself was some great one: ¹⁰ To whom they all gave heed, from the least to the greatest, saying, This man is the great power of God.—*Acts*, ch. 8.

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SORCERY.

Captivating. Simon bewitched the people . . . all 8202
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" [Ephesians] used curious arts 8204

Magie. Magicians . . . cast down . . . rod . . . serpent 5163

9651. WITNESS, Altar for. Beyond Jordan. ¹¹ And the children of Israel heard say, Behold, the children of Reuben and . . . of Gad and the half tribe of Manasseh have built an altar . . . in the borders of Jordan, at the passage of the children of Israel. ¹⁴ . . . done it for fear. . . In time to come your children might speak unto our children, saying, What have ye to do with the Lord God of Israel?—*Josh.*, ch. 22.

9652. — An ancient. Abel's. ⁴ By faith Abel offered unto God a more excellent sacrifice than Cain, by which he obtained witness that he was righteous, God testifying of his gifts: and by it he being dead yet speaketh.—*Heb.*, ch. 11.

9653. — of Approval. Enoch. ⁵ By faith Enoch was translated that he should not see death; and was not found, because God had translated him: for before his translation he had this testimony, that he pleased God.—*Heb.*, ch. 11.

9654. — Christ a. Before Pilate. ²¹ Art thou a king then? Jesus answered, Thou sayest that I am a king. To this end was I born, and for this cause came I into the world, that I should bear witness unto the truth.—*John*, ch. 18.

9655. — An effective. The Council. ¹⁴ Beholding the man which was healed standing with them, they could say nothing against it.—*Acts*, ch. 4.

9656. — A false. Proverb. ¹⁸ A man that beareth false witness against his neighbour is a maul, and a sword, and a sharp arrow.—*Prov.*, ch. 25.

9657. — by Fire. To Abram. ¹⁷ When the sun went down, and it was dark, behold a smoking furnace, and a burning lamp that passed between those pieces. ¹⁸ In that same day the Lord made a covenant with Abram.—*Gen.*, ch. 15.

9658. — The Father's. Baptism. ¹⁶ Jesus . . . went up straightway out of the water: and lo, the heavens were opened unto him, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove, and lighting upon him: ¹⁷ And lo, a voice from heaven, saying, This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased.—*Mat.*, ch. 3.

9659. — *A faithful.* *Stephen* ¹⁴ Said, Behold, I see the heavens opened, and the Son of man standing on the right hand of God. ¹⁵ Then they cried out with a loud voice, and stopped their ears, and ran upon him with one accord. — *Acts*, ch. 7.

9660. — *of the Spirit.* *Inward.* ¹⁶ The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God: ¹⁷ And if children, then heirs. — *Rom.*, ch. 8.

9661. — *Insufficient, One.* *Law.* ¹⁸ One witness shall not rise up against a man for any iniquity, or for any sin, in any sin that he sinneth: that the mouth of two witnesses, or at the mouth of three witnesses, shall the matter be established. — *Deut.*, ch. 19.

9662. — *Law.* ²⁰ Whoso killeth any person, the murderer shall be put to death by the mouth of witnesses: but one witness shall not testify against any person to cause him to die. — *Num.*, ch. 35.

9663. — *An influential.* *Lazarus.* ¹⁰ The chief priests consulted that they might put Lazarus also to death: ¹¹ Because that by reason of him many of the Jews went away, and believed on Jesus. — *John*, ch. 12.

9664. — *Eneas* ²³ Was sick of the palsy. ²⁴ And Peter said, Eneas, Jesus Christ maketh thee whole: arise, and make thy bed. And he arose immediately. ²⁵ And all that dwelt at Lydda and Saron saw him, and turned to the Lord. — *Acts*, ch. 9.

9665. — *for Jesus.* *"The undemonized."* ¹⁹ Go home to thy friends, and tell them how great things the Lord hath done for thee, and hath had compassion on thee. ²⁰ And he departed, and began to publish in Decapolis how great things Jesus had done for him: and all men did marvel. — *Mark*, ch. 5.

9666. — *A joint.* *"With our."* [See No. 9660.]

9667. — *A little.* *Captive Maid.* ³ The Syrians had brought away captive out of the land of Israel a little maid; and she waited on Naaman's wife. ⁴ And she said unto her mistress, Would God that my lord were with the prophet that is in Samaria! for he would recover him of his leprosy. — *2 Kings*, ch. 5.

9668. — *Neglect of a.* *"To utter."* ¹ If a soul sin, and hear the voice of swearing, and is a witness, whether he hath seen or known of it; if he do not utter it, then he shall bear his iniquity. — *Lev.*, ch. 5.

9669. — *punished, False.* *Law.* ¹⁸ Be a false witness, and hath testified falsely against his brother; ¹⁹ Then shall ye do unto him, as he had thought to have done unto his brother. — *Deut.*, ch. 19.

9670. — *Power for.* *Pentecost.* ⁸ Ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth. — *Acts*, ch. 1.

9671. — *Stone for.* *Reminder.* ²⁴ Joshua rote these words in the book of the law of God, and took a great stone, and set it up there under an oak, that was by the sanctuary of the Lord. ²⁷ And Joshua said unto all the people,

Behold, this stone shall be a witness unto us; for it hath heard all the words of the Lord which he spake unto us. — *Josh.*, ch. 24.

9672. — *An unknown.* *Moses.* ¹² He looked this way and that way, and when he saw that there was no man, he slew the Egyptian, and hid him in the sand. ¹³ And when he went out the second day, behold, two men of the Hebrews strove together. ¹⁴ And he said, Who made thee a prince and a judge over us? intendest thou to kill me, as thou killedst the Egyptian? And Moses feared, and said, Surely this thing is known. — *Ex.*, ch. 2.

9673. — *Voluntary.* *To Samaritans.* ²⁸ The woman then left her waterpot, and went her way into the city, and saith to the men, ²⁹ Come, see a man, which told me all things that ever I did: is not this the Christ? ³⁰ They they.. came unto him. — *John*, ch. 4.

9674. *WITNESSES, Bold.* *Apostles.* ¹³ When they saw the boldness of Peter and John, and perceived that they were unlearned and ignorant men, they marvelled; and they took knowledge of them, that they had been with Jesus. — *Acts*, ch. 4.

9675. — *Deeds are.* *Of Christ.* ³ Art thou he that should come, or do we look for another? ⁴ Jesus answered, Go and shew John again those things which ye do hear and see: ⁵ The blind receive their sight, and the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed, and the deaf hear, the dead are raised up, and the poor have the gospel preached to them. — *Mat.*, ch. 11.

9676. — *disagreeing.* *Ananias' Court.* ¹⁸ We heard him say, I will destroy this temple that is made with hands, and within three days I will build another made without hands. ¹⁹ But neither so did their witness agree together. — *Mark*, ch. 14.

9677. — *discredited.* *Mary.* ¹⁰ She went and told them that had been with him, as they mourned and wept. ¹¹ And they, when they had heard that he was alive, and had been seen of her, believed not. — *Mark*, ch. 16.

9678. — *Two Disciples.* ¹² He appeared in another form unto two of them, as they walked, and went into the country. ¹³ And they went and told it unto the residue: neither believed they them. — *Mark*, ch. 16.

9679. — *Ten.* ²⁵ The other disciples therefore said, We have seen the Lord. But he said unto them, Except I shall see in his hands the print of the nails, and put my finger in the print of the nails, and thrust my hand into his side, I will not believe. — *John*, ch. 20.

9680. — *False.* *For Jezebel.* ¹³ Two men, children of Belial, witnessed against him, even against Naboth, in the presence of the people, saying, Naboth did blaspheme God and the king. Then they carried him forth out of the city, and stoned him with stones that he died. — *1 Kings*, ch. 21.

9681. — *Against Stephen.* ¹¹ They suborned men, which said, We have heard him speak blasphemous words against Moses, and against God. ¹² And they stirred up the people, and the elders, and the scribes, and came upon him, and caught him, and brought him to the council. ¹³ And set up false witnesses. — *Acts*, ch. 6.

9682. — *Soldiers.* ¹² When they were assembled with the elders, and had taken counsel, they gave large money unto the soldiers, ¹³ Saying, Say ye, His disciples came by night, and stole him away while we slept.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

9683. — *Greater. Deeds.* ²⁶ I have greater witness than that of John : for the works which the Father hath given me to finish, the same works that I do, bear witness of me, that the Father hath sent me.—*JOHN*, ch. 5.

9684. — *Irrepressible. Apostles.* ⁴⁰ When they had beaten them, they commanded that they should not speak in the name of Jesus, and let them go. ⁴³ And daily in the temple, and in every house, they ceased not to teach and preach Jesus Christ.—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

9685. — *Imposition by. "His Head."* ¹⁴ Bring forth him that hath cursed without the camp ; and let all that heard him lay their hands upon his head, and let all the congregation stone him.—*LEV.*, ch. 24.

9686. — *Intimidated. Believers.* ¹² Some said, He is a good man : others said, Nay ; but he deceiveth the people. ¹³ Howbeit no man spake openly of him for fear of the Jews.—*JOHN*, ch. 7.

9687. — *Joyful. Shepherds.* ¹⁹ Mary kept all these things, and pondered them in her heart. ²⁰ And the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all the things that they had heard and seen, as it was told unto them.—*LUKE*, ch. 2.

9688. — *Subornation of. Against Naboth.* ⁹ She wrote in the letters, saying, Proclaim a fast, and set Naboth on high among the people : ¹⁰ And set two men, sons of Belial, before him, to bear witness against him, saying, Thou didst blaspheme God and the king. And then carry him out, and stone him.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 21.

9689. — *In the Scriptures. For Jesus.* ²⁹ Search the Scriptures ; for in them ye think ye have eternal life : and they are they which testify of me. ⁴⁰ And ye will not come to me, that ye might have life.—*JOHN*, ch. 5.

9690. — *unnecessary. Thomas.* ²¹ Thomas, Reach hither thy finger, and behold my hands ; and reach hither thy hand, and thrust it into my side ; and be not faithless, but believing. ²⁸ And Thomas answered..My Lord and my God.—*JOHN*, ch. 20.

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Confounded. He that is without sin..first stone 86

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9691. WIVES. *Duty of. Christian.* Ye wives, be in subjection to your own husbands ; that, if any obey not the word, they also may without the word be won by the conversation of the wives : ¹ While they behold your chaste conversation coupled with fear.—*1 PETER*, ch. 3.

9692. — *by Kidnapping. Benjamites.* ²¹ If the daughters of Shiloh come out to dance in dances, then come ye out of the vineyards, and catch you every man his wife of the daughters of Shiloh, and go to the land of Benjamin.—*JUDGES*, ch. 21.

9693. — *Numerous. Solomon's.* ⁸ He had seven hundred wives, princesses, and three

hundred concubines : and his wives turned away his heart.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 11.

9694. — *Pernicious. Solomon's.* ⁴ When Solomon was old..his wives turned away his heart after other gods.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 11.

See WIFE.

9695. WOMAN. *Benevolence of. "Two Miles."* ⁴³ This poor widow hath cast more in, than all they which have cast into the treasury. ⁴⁴ For all they did cast in of their abundance : but she of her want did cast in all that she had, even all her living.—*MARK*, ch. 12.

9696. — *Dorcas.* ³⁶ There was at Joppa a certain disciple named..Dorcas : this woman was full of good works and almsdeeds which she did.—*ACTS*, ch. 9.

9697. — *A Companion. Eve.* ²⁰ Adam gave names to all cattle, and to the fowl of the air, and to every beast of the field ; but for Adam there was not found a help meet for him.—*GEN.*, ch. 2. [Cattle were insufficient.]

9698. — *A courteous. Rebekah.* ¹⁸ She said, Drink, my lord : and she hasted, and let down her pitcher upon her hand, and gave him drink. ¹⁹ And when she had done giving him drink, she said, I will draw water for thy camels also.—*GEN.*, ch. 24.

9699. — *Conspiracy of. Delilah.* ¹⁶ She sent and called for the lords of the Philistines, saying, Come up this once..the Philistines..brought money in their hand. ¹⁹ And she made him sleep upon her knees ; and she called for a man, and she caused him to shave off the seven locks of his head ; and she began to afflict him, and his strength went from him.—*JUDGES*, ch. 16.

9700. — *A cursed. Queen Jezebel.* ²³ Jehu said, Throw her down. So they threw her down : and some of her blood was sprinkled on the wall, and on the horses : and he trode her under foot. ²⁴ And when he was come in, he did eat and drink, and said, Go, see now this cursed woman, and bury her : for she is a king's daughter. ²⁵..but they found no more of her than the skull, and the feet, and the palms of her hands.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 9.

9701. — *A disgracing. Adulteress.* ²² Who-so committeth adultery with a woman lacketh understanding : he that doeth it destroyeth his own soul. ²³ A wound and dishonour shall he get ; and his reproach shall not be wiped away.—*PROV.*, ch. 6.

9702. — *A cruel. Herodias.* ²⁴ She went forth, and said unto her mother, What shall I ask ? And she said, The head of John the Baptist.—*MARK*, ch. 6.

9703. — *a Crown. Proverb.* ⁴ A virtuous woman is a crown to her husband : but she that maketh ashamed is as rottenness in his bones.—*PROV.*, ch. 12.

9704. — *leavens the Church. Jesus said,* ³³ The kingdom of heaven is like unto leaven, which a woman took, and hid in three measures of meal, till the whole was leavened.—*MAT.*, ch. 13.

9705. — *for Christ. Pilate's Wife.* ¹⁹ When he was set down on the judgment seat, his wife sent unto him, saying, Have thou nothing to do with that just man : for I have suffered many things this day in a dream because of him.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

9706. — *Converted. First in Europe.* ¹⁴ A certain woman named Lydia, a seller of purple. . . which worshipped God, heard us : whose heart the Lord opened, that she attended unto the things which were spoken of Paul. ¹⁵ And when she was baptized, and her household, she besought us, saying, If ye have judged me to be faithful to the Lord, come into my house, and abide there. And she constrained us.—*ACTS*, ch. 16.

9707. — *The chosen. Delilah.* ³ Then his father and his mother said unto him, *Is there never a woman among the daughters of thy brethren, or among all my people, that thou goest to take a wife of the uncircumcised Philistines?* And Samson said unto his father, *Get her for me ; for she pleaseth me well.*—*JUDGES*, ch. 14.

9708. — *Dependence on. Deborah.* ¹ Sisera the captain of Jabin's army, with his chariots and his multitude ; and I will deliver him into thine hand. ⁸ And Barak said unto her, *If thou wilt go with me, then I will go : but if thou wilt not go with me, then I will not go.*—*JUDGES*, ch. 4. [See No. 9736.]

9709. — *Disgraced by a. Reputation.* [See No. 9731.] ⁴⁴ Then he called hastily unto the young man his armourbearer. . . Draw thy sword, and slay me, that men say not of me, *A woman slew him.* And his young man thrust him through.—*JUDGES*, ch. 9.

9710. — *A determined. Shunammite.* ²⁹ He said to Gehazi, *Gird up thy loins, and take my staff in thy hand, and go thy way. . . and lay my staff upon the face of the child.* ³⁰ And the mother of the child said, *As the Lord liveth, and as thy soul liveth, I will not leave thee.* And he arose, and followed her.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 4. [Her dead child was restored.]

9711. — *Device of a. Messengers.* ¹⁸ Which had a well in his court ; whither they went down. ¹⁹ And the woman took and spread a covering over the well's mouth, and spread ground corn thereon ; and the thing was not known. ³⁰ And when Absalom's servants came. . . to the house, they said, *Where is Ahimaaz and Jonathan?* And the woman said. *They be gone over the brook.*—*2 SAM.*, ch. 17.

9712. — *Devotion of. A Sinner.* ²⁸ Stood at his feet behind him weeping, and began to wash his feet with tears, and did wipe them with the hairs of her head, and kissed his feet, and anointed them with the ointment.—*LUKE*, ch. 7.

9713. — *An energetic. Shunammite.* ²⁴ She saddled an ass, and said to her servant, *Drive, and go forward ; slack not thy riding for me, except I bid thee.* ²⁵ So she came unto the man of God to mount Carmel.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 4.

9714. — *An indiscreet. Proverb.* ²² *As a jewel of gold in a swine's snout, so is a fair woman which is without discretion.*—*PROV.*, ch. 11.

9715. — *Government by. Deborah.* ² The Lord sold them into the hand of Jabin king of Canaan. . . the captain of whose host was Sisera. . . ³ Israel cried unto the Lord : for he had nine hundred chariots of iron ; and twenty years he mightily oppressed the children of Israel. ⁴ And Deborah, a prophetess, the wife of Lapidoth, she judged Israel at that time.—*JUDGES*, ch. 4.

9716. — *A helpful. Phebe.* ² That ye receive her in the Lord, as becometh saints, and that ye assist her in whatsoever business she hath need of you : for she hath been a succourer of many, and of myself also.—*ROM.*, ch. 16.

9717. — *honoured. Messiahship announced.* [At Jacob's well,] ²⁶ The woman saith unto him, *I know that Messias cometh, which is called Christ : when he is come, he will tell us all things.* ²⁶ Jesus saith unto her, *I that speak unto thee am he.*—*JOHN*, ch. 4.

9718. — *A discreet. Abigail.* ¹⁸ Abigail made haste, and took two hundred loaves, and two bottles of wine, and five sheep ready dressed, and five measures of parched corn, and a hundred clusters of raisins, and two hundred cakes of figs. . . ²² Let not my lord, I pray thee, regard this man of Belial, even Nabal : for as his name is, so is he ; Nabal is his name, and folly is with him.—*1 SAM.*, ch. 25.

9719. — *Importunity of. Delilah.* ¹⁵ How canst thou say, *I love thee, when thine heart is not with me?* Thou hast mocked me these three times, and hast not told me wherein thy great strength lieth. ¹⁶ . . . when she pressed him daily with her words, and urged him, so . . . his soul was vexed unto death ; ¹⁷ That he told her all his heart, and said. *There hath not come a razor upon mine head.*—*JUDGES*, ch. 16.

9720. — *An irrepressible. Proverb.* ¹⁸ A continual dropping in a very rainy day and a contentious woman are alike. ¹⁶ Whosoever hideth her hideth the wind.—*PROV.*, ch. 27.

9721. — *An infamous. Jezebel.* ²⁵ There was none like unto Ahab, which did sell himself to work wickedness in the sight of the Lord, whom Jezebel his wife stirred up. ²⁶ And he did very abominably in following idols, according to all things as did the Amorites.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 21.

9722. — *An intimidating. "Maid."* ⁴⁷ When she saw Peter warming himself, she looked upon him, and said, *And thou also wast with Jesus of Nazareth.* ⁴⁸ But he denied, saying, *I know not, neither understand I what thou sayest.*—*MARK*, ch. 14.

9723. — *Influence of. Denial.* [See above.]

9724. — *Intemperance injures. Vashiti.* [See No. 9726.]

9725. — *Jesus disclosed to. First.* ¹⁶ Jesus saith unto her, Mary. She turned herself, and saith unto him, *Rabboni ; which is to say, Master.*—*JOHN*, ch. 20.

9726. — *A modest. Vashiti.* ¹⁰ On the seventh day, when the heart of the king was merry with wine, he commanded. . . ¹¹ To bring Vashiti the queen before the king with the crown royal, to shew the people and the princes her beauty : for she was fair to look on. ¹² But the queen Vashiti refused to come.—*ESTHER*, ch. 2.

9727. — *A model. Housekeeper.* ¹¹ The heart of her husband doth safely trust in her, so that he shall have no need of spoil. ¹² She will do him good and not evil all the days of her life. ¹³ She seeketh wool, and flax, and worketh willingly with her hands.—*PROV.*, ch. 31.

9728. — *Memorial of. Love.* ¹ She hath done what she could : she is come aforehand to anoint my body to the burying. ² . . . Whosoever this gospel shall be preached throughout the whole world, *this* also that she hath done shall be spoken of for a memorial of her.—**MARK**, ch. 14.

9729. — *Origin of. "Rib."* ¹ The Lord God caused a deep sleep to fall upon Adam, and he slept ; and he took one of his ribs, and closed up the flesh instead thereof. ² And the rib, which the Lord God had taken from man, made he a woman, and brought her unto the man.—**GEN.**, ch. 2.

9730. — *A patriotic. Jael.* ¹ Jael Heber's wife took a nail of the tent, and took a hammer in her hand, and went softly unto him, and smote the nail into his temples, and fastened it into the ground : for he was fast asleep and weary. So he died.—**JUDGES**, ch. 4.

9731. — *Siege of Thebez.* ¹ Abimelech came unto the tower, and fought against it, and went hard unto the door of the tower to burn it with fire. ² And a certain woman cast a piece of a millstone upon Abimelech's head, and *all-to* brake his skull.—**JUDGES**, ch. 9.

9732. — *punished. For Modesty.* [See No. 9726.] ¹ What shall we do unto the queen Vashti according to law, because she hath not performed the commandment of the king Ahasuerus by the chamberlains?—**ESTHER**, ch. 1. [She was rejected.]

9733. — *a Peacemaker. At Abel.* ¹ I am one of them that are peaceable and faithful in Israel : thou seekest to destroy a city and a mother in Israel. ² . . . deliver him only, and I will depart from the city. ³ Then the woman went unto all the people in her wisdom : and they cut off the head of Sheba. . . and cast it out to Joab.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 20.

9734. — *A remarkable. Miriam.* ¹ Miriam the prophetess, the sister of Aaron, took a timbrel in her hand ; and all the women went out after her with timbrels and with dances. ² And Miriam answered them, Sing ye to the Lord, for he hath triumphed gloriously : the horse and the rider hath he thrown into the sea.—**EX.**, ch. 15.

9735. — *A revengeful. Herodias.* ¹ John had said unto Herod, It is not lawful for thee to have thy brother's wife. ² Therefore Herodias had a quarrel against him, and would have killed him ; but she could not.—**MARK**, ch. 6.

9736. — *A sensible. Deborah.* [See No. 9708.] ¹ And she said, I will surely go with thee : notwithstanding the journey that thou takest shall not be for thine honour ; for the Lord shall sell Sisera into the hand of a woman.—**JUDGES**, ch. 4.

9737. — *A treacherous. Jael.* ¹ Jael went out to meet Sisera, and said unto him, Turn in, my lord, turn in to me ; fear not. And when he had turned in unto her into the tent, she covered him with a mantle.—**JUDGES**, ch. 4.

9738. — *Tears of a. Samson's Wife.* ¹ She wept before him the seven days, while their feast lasted : and. . . he told her, because she lay sore upon him : and she told the riddle to the children of her people.—**JUDGES**, ch. 14.

9739. — *A terrifying. Jezebel.* ¹ Ahab told Jezebel all that Elijah had done, and withal how he had slain all the prophets with the sword. ² Then Jezebel sent a messenger unto Elijah, saying, So let the gods do to me, and more also, if I make not thy life as the life of one of them by to morrow about this time.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 19. [He fled to Sinai.]

9740. — *a Teacher. To Apollos.* ¹ Being fervent in the spirit, he spake and taught diligently the things of the Lord, knowing only the baptism of John. ² And he began to speak boldly in the synagogue : whom when Aquila and Priscilla had heard, they took him unto them, and expounded unto him the way of God more perfectly.—**ACTS**, ch. 18.

9741. — *a Witness. Samaritan.* ¹ The woman then left her waterpot, and went her way into the city, and saith to the men, ² Come, see a man, which told me all things that ever I did : is not this the Christ ? ³ Then they went out of the city, and came unto him.—**JOHN**, ch. 4.

9742. — *A wicked. Delilah.* [See No. 9583.] ¹ The lords of the Philistines. . . said unto her, Entice him, and see wherein his great strength lieth, and by what means we may prevail against him, that we may bind him to afflict him : and we will give thee every one of us eleven hundred pieces of silver.—**JUDGES**, ch. 16.

9743. WOMEN, Amusements of. Dancing. ¹ If the daughters of Shiloh came out to dance in dances, then come ye out of the vineyards, and catch you every man his wife of the daughters of Shiloh, and go to the land of Benjamin.—JUDGES**, ch. 21.**

9744. — *Benevolence of. To Jesus.* ¹ He went throughout every city and village, preaching. . . and the twelve were with him, ² And certain women, which had been healed of evil spirits and infirmities, Mary called Magdalene, out of whom went seven devils, ³ And Joanna the wife of Chuza Herod's steward, and Susanna, and many others, which ministered unto him of their substance.—**LUKE**, ch. 8.

9745. — *Consecration of. Gifts.* ¹ He made the laver of brass, and the foot of it of brass, of the lookingglasses of the women assembling, which assembled at the door of the tabernacle.—**EX.**, ch. 38.

9746. — *Contributions of. For Tabernacle.* ¹ All the women that were wise hearted did spin with their hands, and brought that which they had spun, both of blue, and of purple, and of scarlet, and of fine linen. ² And all the women whose hearts stirred them up in wisdom spun goats' hair.—**EX.**, ch. 35.

9747. — *in the Church. Prophecy.* [Peter at Pentecost quoted from Joel.] ¹ On my servants and on my handmaidens, I will pour out in those days of my spirit ; and they shall prophesy.—**ACTS**, ch. 2.

9748. — *destroyed. By War.* ¹ When their fathers or their brethren come unto us to complain. . . we will say. . . Be favourable unto them for our sakes : because we reserved not to each man his wife in the war.—**JUDGES**, ch. 21.

9749. — *first in Duty. Resurrection.* ¹ Very early in the morning, the first day of the

week, they came unto the sepulchre at the rising of the sun.—**MARK**, ch. 16.

9750. — Faithful. Crucifixion. "Many women were there (beholding afar off) which followed Jesus from Galilee, ministering unto him: "Among which was Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James and Joses, and the mother of Zebedee's children.—**MAT.**, ch. 27.

9751. — Crucifixion. "There stood by the cross of Jesus his mother, and his mother's sister, Mary the wife of Cleophas, and Mary Magdalene.—**JOHN**, ch. 19.

9752. — First Gifts from. For Tabernacle. "Every one whose heart stirred him up, and every one whom his spirit made willing, they brought the Lord's offering to the work of the tabernacle, and for all his service, and for the holy garments. "both men and women.—**GEN.**, ch. 35. [*Lit.* "The men over and above the women."]

9753. — Irreligious. Antediluvians. "The sons of God saw the daughters of men that they were fair; and they took them wives of all which they chose. "And God saw that the wickedness of man was great in the earth.—**GEN.**, ch. 6.

9754. — leading in Sin. In Egypt. "When we burned incense to the queen of heaven, and poured out drink offerings unto her, did we make her cakes to worship her, and pour out drink offerings unto her, without our men.—**JER.**, ch. 44.

9755. — Messengers. For Christ. "Tell his disciples and Peter that he goeth before you into Galilee: there shall ye see him, as he said unto you. "And they went out quickly, and fled from the sepulchre; for they trembled and were amazed: neither said they any thing to any man; for they were afraid.—**MARK**, ch. 16.

9756. — Ornaments of. "Works." "In like manner also, that women adorn themselves in modest apparel, with shamefacedness and sobriety; not with braided hair, or gold, or pearls, or costly array; "But (which becometh women professing godliness) with good works.—**1 TIM.**, ch. 2. [See No. 9557.]

9757. — Power of. In the Church. "The Jews stirred up the devout and honourable women, and the chief men of the city, and raised persecution against Paul and Barnabas, and expelled them out of their coasts.—**ACTS**, ch. 13.

9758. — Ruined by. Solomon. "King Solomon loved many strange women, together with the daughter of Pharaoh, women of the Moabites, Ammonites, Edomites, Zidonians, and Hittites. "when Solomon was old, his wives turned away his heart after other gods.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 11.

9759. — Sympathy of. At Calvary. "There followed him a great company of people, and of women, which also bewailed and lamented him.—**LUKE**, ch. 23.

9760. — Sermon to. At Philippi. "On the sabbath we went out of the city by a river side, where prayer was wont to be made; and we sat down, and spake unto the women which resorted thither.—**ACTS**, ch. 16.

9761. — Silence of. Disorders. "Let the

woman learn in silence with all subjection. "But I suffer not a woman to teach, nor to usurp authority over the man, but to be in silence.—**1 TIM.**, ch. 2.

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9763. WORD, Divine. *Jesus.* ¹ In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.—*JOHN*, ch. 1.

9764. — An important. *"Shibboleth."* ⁶ Say now Shibboleth; and he said Sibboleth: for he could not frame to pronounce it right. Then they took him, and slew him at the passages of Jordan: and there fell at that time of the Ephraimites forty and two thousand.—*JUDGES*, ch. 12.

9765. — Only a. *John—Andrew.* ³⁵ John stood, and two of his disciples; ³⁶ And looking upon Jesus as he walked, he saith, Behold the Lamb of God! ³⁷ And the two disciples heard him speak, and they followed Jesus.—*JOHN*, ch. 1.

9766. — of God. Limited. ¹⁸ Balaam answered, the servants of Balak, If Balak would give me his house full of silver and gold, I cannot go beyond the word of the Lord my God, to do less or more.—*NUM.*, ch. 22.

9767. — Effective. ¹⁰ As the rain cometh down, and the snow from heaven, and returneth not thither, but watereth the earth, and maketh it bring forth and bud, that it may give seed to the sower, and bread to the eater: ¹¹ So shall my word be that goeth forth out of my mouth.—*ISA.*, ch. 55.

9768. — Hammer. ²⁹ Is not my word like as a fire? saith the Lord; and like a hammer that breaketh the rock in pieces?—*JER.*, ch. 23.

9769. WORDS, Accountability for. *Judgment.* ²⁶ Every idle word that men shall speak, they shall give account thereof in the day of judgment. ²⁷ For by thy words thou shalt be justified, and by thy words thou shalt be condemned.—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

9770. — Cheerful. *Proverb.* ²² Heaviness in the heart of man maketh it stoop: but a good word maketh it glad.—*PROV.*, ch. 12.

9771. — Medicine. ²² A merry heart doeth good like a medicine: but a broken spirit drieth the bones.—*PROV.*, ch. 17.

9772. — Effect of. *Water.* ⁴ The words of a man's mouth are as deep waters, and the wellspring of wisdom as a flowing brook.—*PROV.*, ch. 18.

9773. — Kind. *Honey.* ²⁴ Pleasant words are as an honeycomb, sweet to the soul, and health to the bones.—*PROV.*, ch. 16.

9774. — Listening to. *Brotherly.* ¹⁶ They that feared the Lord spake often one to another: and the Lord hearkened, and heard it: and a book of remembrance was written before for them that feared the Lord, and that thought upon his name. ¹⁷ And they shall be mine, saith the Lord of hosts, in that day when I make up my jewels.—*MAL.*, ch. 3.

9775. — Overflowing. *Heart.* ²⁴ O generation of vipers, how can ye, being evil, speak good

things? for out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaketh. ³⁵ A good man out of the good treasure of the heart bringeth forth good things: and an evil man out of the evil treasure bringeth forth evil things.—*MAT.*, ch. 12.

9776. — proven. *By Deeds.* ²¹ They told him all the words of Joseph, which he had said unto them: and when he saw the wagons which Joseph had sent to carry him, the spirit of Jacob their father revived.—*GEN.*, ch. 45.

9777. — Reliance on. *Christ's.* ²¹ Jesus spake unto them, saying, Be of good cheer; it is I; be not afraid. ²⁸ And Peter answered him and said, Lord, if it be thou, bid me come unto thee on the water.—*MAT.*, ch. 14.

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9778. WORK, Anointing for. *Aaron.* ¹⁸ He poured of the anointing oil upon Aaron's head, and anointed him, to sanctify him.—*LEV.*, ch. 8.

9779. — abandoned. *Mark.* ²⁷ Barnabas determined to take with them John, whose surname was Mark. ³⁸ But Paul thought not good to take him with them, who departed from them from Pamphylia, and went not with them to the work.—*ACTS*, ch. 15.

9780. — distributed. *System.* ²¹ Thou shalt provide out of all the people able men, such as fear God, men of truth, hating covetousness; and place such over them, to be rulers of thousands, and rulers of hundreds, rulers of fifties, and rulers of tens: ²² And let them judge the people at all seasons: and it shall be that every great matter they shall bring unto thee.—*EX.*, ch. 18.

9781. — Devotion to. *Nehemiah.* ¹ Sanballat and Geshem sent unto me, saying, Come, let us meet together. ² And I sent messengers saying, I am doing a great work, so that I cannot come down: why should the work cease, whilst I leave it, and come down to you?—*NEH.*, ch. 6.

9782. — Excessive. *Moses.* ¹¹ Moses' father in law said unto him, The thing that thou doest is not good. ¹⁸ Thou wilt surely wear away, both thou, and this people that is with thee: for this thing is too heavy for thee; thou art not able to perform it thyself alone.—*EX.*, ch. 18.

9783. — Epaphroditus. ³⁰ Because for the work of Christ he was nigh unto death, not regarding his life, to supply your lack of service toward me.—*PHIL.*, ch. 2.

9784. — Earnest. *"Violence."* ¹⁹ From the days of John the Baptist until now the kingdom of heaven suffereth violence, and the violent take it by force.—*MAT.*, ch. 11.

9785. — Wall-building. ⁶ So built we the wall; and all the wall was joined together unto the half thereof: for the people had a mind to work.—*NEH.*, ch. 4.

9786. — In Peril. ¹¹ They which builded on the wall, and they that bare burdens, with those that laded, every one with one of his hands wrought in the work, and with the other hand held a weapon.—*NEH.*, ch. 4.

9787. — Encouragement for. "With you." "Now be strong, O Zerubbabel, saith the Lord; and be strong, O Joshua, son of Josedech, the high priest; and be strong, all ye people of the land, saith the Lord, and work: for I am with you, saith the Lord of hosts.—HAG., ch. 2.

9788. — for Each. "His Work." "For the Son of man is as a man taking a far journey, who left his house, and gave authority to his servants, and to every man his work, and commanded the porter to watch.—MARK, ch. 13.

9789. — Early at. *Twelve Years old.* "They were amazed: and his mother said.. Son, why hast thou thus dealt with us? behold, thy father and I have sought thee sorrowing." "And he said.. How is it that ye sought me? wist ye not that I must be about my Father's business?—LUKE, ch. 2.

9790. — Grace for. *Paul.* "His grace which was bestowed upon me was not in vain; but I laboured more abundantly than they all: yet not I, but the grace of God which was with me.—1 COR., ch. 15.

9791. — God in the. *Wall finished.* "When all our enemies heard thereof, and all the heathen that were about us saw these things, they were much cast down in their own eyes: for they perceived that this work was wrought of our God.—NEH., ch. 6.

9792. — Hindering. *Wall-builders.* [Their enemies] "Heard that the walls of Jerusalem were made up, and that the breaches began to be stopped, then they were very wroth, and conspired all of them together to come and to fight against Jerusalem, and to hinder it.—NEH., ch. 4.

9793. — — — *Opposition.* "From that time forth, the half of my servants wrought in the work, and the other half of them held both the spears, the shields, and the bows, and the habergeons.—NEH., ch. 4.

9794. — Immortal in. *Moses.* "The Lord spake unto Moses, saying, 'Avenge the children of Israel of the Midianites: afterward shalt thou be gathered unto thy people.—NUM., ch. 31.

9795. — Incompetent for. *Naaman came.* "When the king of Israel had read the letter.. he rent his clothes, and said, Am I God, to kill and to make alive, that this man doth send unto me to recover a man of his leprosy?—2 KINGS, ch. 5.

9796. — Joy in. *Jesus.* "Said the disciples one to another, Hath any man brought him ought to eat? "Jesus saith unto them, My meat is to do the will of him that sent me, and to finish his work.—JOHN, ch. 4.

9797. — neglected. *Nobles.* "Takoites repaired; but their nobles put not their necks to the work of their Lord.—NEH., ch. 3.

9798. — — — *Thessalonians.* "We hear that there are some which walk among you disorderly, working not at all, but are busybodies. "Now them that are such we command and exhort by our Lord Jesus Christ, that with quietness they work, and eat their own bread.—2 THESS., ch. 3.

9799. — Offerings of. *Tabernacle.* "All the women that were wise hearted did spin

with their hands, and brought that which they had spun, both of blue, and of purple, and of scarlet, and of fine linen. "And all the women whose heart stirred them up in wisdom spun goats' hair.—EX., ch. 35.

9800. — the better Privilege. *Undemonised.* "When he was come into the ship, he that had been possessed with the devil prayed him that he might be with him. "Howbeit Jesus suffered him not, but saith unto him, Go home to thy friends, and tell them how great things the Lord hath done for thee.—MARK, ch. 5.

9801. — Preparation for. "Live Coal." "He laid it upon my mouth, and said, Lo, this hath touched thy lips; and thine iniquity is taken away, and thy sin purged. "Also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, Whom shall I send, and who will go for us? Then said I, Here am I; send me.—ISA., ch. 6.

9802. — with Prayer. *Wall-builders.* "Nevertheless we made our prayer unto our God, and set a watch against them day and night, because of them.—NEH., ch. 4.

9803. — Rigorous. *Pharaoh.* "Let them go and gather straw for themselves. "And the tale of the bricks, which they did make heretofore, ye shall lay upon them; ye shall not diminish ought thereof.—EX., ch. 5.

9804. — rewarded. *Courage.* "Be ye strong therefore, and let not your hands be weak: for your work shall be rewarded. "And when Asa heard, the prophecy of Oded the prophet, he took courage, and put away the abominable idols out of all the land of Judah.—2 CHRON., ch. 15.

9805. — ridiculed. *Wall-builders.* "When Sanballat the Horonite, and Tobiah the servant, the Ammonite, and Geshem the Arabian, heard it, they laughed us to scorn, and despised us, and said, What is this thing that ye do? will ye rebel against the king?—NEH., ch. 2.

9806. — slandered. *Pentecost.* "Others mocking said, These men are full of new wine.—ACTS, ch. 2.

9807. — vs. Stealing. *Unjust Steward.* "Then the steward said within himself, What shall I do? for my lord taketh away from me the stewardship: I cannot dig; to beg I am ashamed.—LUKE, ch. 16. [He cut down the bills.]

9808. — or Want. *Paul.* "When we were with you, this we commanded you, that if any would not work, neither should he eat.—2 THESS., ch. 3.

9809. WORKS adorned by. *Women.* "That women adorn themselves in modest apparel, with shamefacedness and sobriety; not with braided hair, or gold, or pearls, or costly array; "But (which becometh women professing godliness) with good works.—1 TIM., ch. 2. [See No. 9557.]

9810. — evince Character. *Jesus.* "If I do not the works of my Father, believe me not. "But if I do, though ye believe not me, believe the works; that ye may know, and believe, that the Father is in me, and I in him.—JOHN, ch. 10.

9811. — Evidence in. *Ephraim.* "Joshua answered them, If thou be a great people, then get thee up to the wood country, and cut down for thyself there in the land of the Perizzites and of the giants, if mount Ephraim be too narrow for thee.—JOSH., ch. 17.

9812. — — *Jesus said.* "Tell John what things ye have seen and heard; how that the blind see, the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised, to the poor the gospel is preached.—**LUKE**, ch. 7.

9813. — — *with Faith. Moses' Parents.* "By faith Moses, when he was born, was hid three months of his parents, because they saw he was a proper child; and they were not afraid of the king's commandment.—**HEB.**, ch. 11.

9814. — — *David* "Chose him five smooth stones out of the brook, and put them in a shepherd's bag which he had, even in a scrip; and his sling was in his hand: and he drew near to the Philistine.—**1 SAM.**, ch. 17.

9815. — — *Dead Faith.* "Even so faith, if it hath not works, is dead, being alone. "Yea, a man may say, Thou hast faith, and I have works: shew me thy faith without thy works, and I will shew thee my faith by my works.—**JAMES**, ch. 2.

9816. — — *Ten Lepers.* "When he saw them, he said unto them, Go shew yourselves unto the priests: as they went, they were cleansed.—**LUKE**, ch. 17.

9817. — — *Fruit of. "By their Fruits."* "Ye shall know them by their fruits. Do men gather grapes of thorns, or figs of thistles? "Even so every good tree bringeth forth good fruit; but a corrupt tree bringeth forth evil fruit.—**MAT.**, ch. 7.

9818. — — *of the Flesh. Hurful.* "The works of the flesh are manifest, which are these, Adultery, fornication, uncleanness, lasciviousness, "Idolatry, witchcraft, hatred, variance, emulations, wrath, strife, seditions, heresies, "Envyings, murders, drunkenness, revellings, and such like.—**GAL.**, ch. 5.

9819. — — *perfect Faith. Abraham.* "Was not Abraham our father justified by works, when he had offered Isaac his son upon the altar? "Seest thou how faith wrought with his works, and by works was faith made perfect?—**JAMES**, ch. 2.

9820. — — *of God. The Wonderful.* [See **Ps.** 104.]

9821. — — *Influence of. "Light shine."* "Neither do men light a candle, and put it under a bushel, but on a candlestick: and it giveth light unto all that are in the house. "Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven.—**MAT.**, ch. 5.

9822. — — *Important. Necessary Uses.* "Let ours also learn to maintain good works for necessary uses, that they be not unfruitful.—**TITUS**, ch. 3.

9823. — — *of Jesus. Benevolent.* [See **No.** 9812.]

9824. — — *needful. To Poor.* "If a brother or sister be naked, and destitute of daily food, "And one of you say unto them, Depart in peace, be ye warmed and filled: notwithstanding ye give them not those things which are needful to the body; what doth it profit?—**JAMES**, ch. 2.

9825. — — *Ortention in. "Sound a Trumpet."* "When thou doest thine alms, do not sound a trumpet before thee, as the hypocrites do in

the synagogues and in the streets, that they may have glory of men. Verily I say unto you, They have their reward. "But...let not thy left hand know what thy right hand doeth.—**MAT.**, ch. 6.

9826. — — *required. "Hewn down."* "Every tree that bringeth not forth good fruit is hewn down, and cast into the fire.—**MAT.**, ch. 7.

9827. — — *of Religion. Benevolent.* "Pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father is this, To visit the fatherless and widows in their affliction, and to keep himself unspotted from the world.—**JAMES**, ch. 1.

9828. — — *of Supererogation. None.* "When ye shall have done all those things which are commanded you, say, We are unprofitable servants: we have done that which was our duty to do.—**LUKE**, ch. 17.

9829. — — *Testimony of. Paul.* "Having your conversation honest among the Gentiles: that, whereas they speak against you as evil-doers, they may by your good works, which they shall behold, glorify God in the day of visitation. "For so is the will of God, that with well-doing ye may put to silence the ignorance of foolish men.—**1 PETER**, ch. 2.

9830. — — *Unprofitable. Foolish Questions.* "Avoid foolish questions, and genealogies, and contentions, and strivings about the law; for they are unprofitable and vain.—**TITUS**, ch. 3.

9831. **WORKER forsaken.** *A. Paul.* "Do thy diligence to come shortly unto me: "For Demas hath forsaken me, having loved this present world.—**2 TIM.**, ch. 4.

9832. — — *The model. Jesus.* "I must work the works of him that sent me, while it is day: the night cometh, when no man can work.—**JOHN**, ch. 9.

9833. — — *"Finished."* "I have glorified thee on the earth; I have finished the work which thou gavest me to do. "And now, O Father, glorify thou me with thine own self.—**JOHN**, ch. 17.

9834. — — *A retiring. Paul.* "I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith: "Henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day.—**2 TIM.**, ch. 4.

9835. **WORKERS accepted.** *Of Righteousness.* "Lord, who shall abide in thy tabernacle? who shall dwell in thy holy hill? "He that walketh uprightly, and worketh righteousness, and speaketh the truth in his heart.—**Ps.** 15.

9836. — — *Abilities of. Talents.* "The kingdom of heaven is as a man travelling into a far country, who called his own servants, and delivered unto them his goods. "And unto one he gave five talents, to another two, and to another one; to every man according to his several ability; and straightway took his journey.—**MAT.**, ch. 25.

9837. — — *Benedictions on. Christian.* "To them who by patient continuance in well doing seek for glory and honour and immortality, eternal life. "But glory, honour, and peace, to every man that worketh good; to the Jew first, and also to the Gentile.—**ROM.**, ch. 2.

9838. — — *benefited. Doer.* "I any be a hearer of the word, and not a doer, he is like

unto a man beholding his natural face in a glass: "For he beholdeth himself, and goeth his way, and straightway forgetteth what manner of man he was.—JAMES, ch. 1.

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9839. WORLD, Attractions of the. "Egypt."
"Wherefore hath the Lord brought us unto this land, to fall by the sword, that our wives and our children should be a prey? were it not better for us to return into Egypt? "And they said one to another, Let us make a captain, and let us return into Egypt.—NUM., ch. 14.

9840. — Bondage to. Young Ruler.
"Come, take up the cross, and follow me.
"And he was sad at that saying, and went away grieved: for he had great possessions.—MARK, ch. 10.

9841. — Conformity to. "Like all the Nations."
"The people refused to obey the voice of Samuel; and they said, Nay; but we will have a king over us; "That we also may be like all the nations.—1 SAM., ch. 8.

9842. — Choice of. Demas. "Demas hath forsaken me, having loved this present world.—2 TIM., ch. 4.

9843. — Dominion of the. Jesus. "All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth.
"Go ye therefore, and teach all nations..
"..and, lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world.—MAT., ch. 28.

9844. — Fear of. "Spared the Best."
"Saul said unto Samuel, I have sinned: for I have transgressed the commandment of the Lord, and thy words: because I feared the people, and obeyed their voice. "Now therefore, I pray thee, pardon my sin, and turn again with me, that I may worship the Lord.—1 SAM., ch. 15.

9845. — forbidden, Love of the. Christian.
"Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him.—1 JOHN, ch. 2.

9846. — Forsaking. Sodom. "When they had brought them forth abroad, he said, Escape for thy life; look not behind thee, neither stay thou in all the plain; escape to the mountain, lest thou be consumed.—GEN., ch. 19.

9847. — Hatred of the. Disciples. "If the world hate you, ye know that it hated me before it hated you. "If ye were of the world, the world would love his own; but because ye are not of the world, but I have chosen you out of the world, therefore the world hateth you.—JOHN, ch. 15.

9848. — Offers of the. To Balaam. "Thus saith Balak..Let nothing, I pray thee, hinder thee from coming unto me: "For I will promote thee unto very great honour, and I will do whatsoever thou sayest unto me: come therefore, I pray thee, curse me this people.—NUM., ch. 22.

9849. — Price of the. Soul. "For what is a man profited, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul.—MAT., ch. 16,

9850. — Preservation in the. Jesus. "I pray not that thou shouldest take them out of the world, but that thou shouldest keep them from the evil. "They are not of the world, even as I am not of the world.—JOHN, ch. 17.

9851. — Separation from the. "Come out."
"Come out from among them, and be ye separate, saith the Lord, and touch not the unclean thing; and I will receive you, "And will be a Father unto you, and ye shall be my sons and daughters, saith the Lord Almighty.—2 COR., ch. 6.

9852. — unsatisfying, The. Haman.
"Haman told them of the glory of his riches, and the multitude of his children, and all the things wherein the king had promoted him..
"Yet all this availeth me nothing, so long as I see Mordecai the Jew sitting at the king's gate.—ESTHER, ch. 5.

9853. WORLDLINESS, Ambition in. Babel.
"Go to, let us build us a city, and a tower, whose top may reach unto heaven; and let us make us a name, lest we be scattered abroad upon the face of the whole earth.—GEN., ch. 11.

9854. — Curse of. "Desert." "Thus saith the Lord; Cursed be the man that trusteth in man, and maketh flesh his arm, and whose heart departeth from the Lord. "For he shall be like the heath in the desert, and shall not see when good cometh; but shall inhabit the parched places in the wilderness, in a salt land and not inhabited.—JER., ch. 17.

9855. — Evidence of. "Carnally." "For they that are after the flesh do mind the things of the flesh; but they that are after the Spirit, the things of the Spirit. "For to be carnally minded is death; but to be spiritually minded is life and peace.—ROM., ch. 8.

9856. — Entangled by. Soldier. "No man that warreth entangleth himself with the affairs of this life; that he may please him who hath chosen him to be a soldier.—2 TIM., ch. 2.

9857. — Excuses for. Supper. [See No. 9863.]

9858. — prevents Faith. Pride. "How can ye believe, which receive honour one of another, and seek not the honour that cometh from God only?—JOHN, ch. 5.

9859. — neutralises Faith. "Praise of Men." "Among the chief rulers also many believed on him; but because of the Pharisees they did not confess him, lest they should be put out of the synagogue. "For they loved the praise of men more than the praise of God.—JOHN, ch. 12.

9860. — forbidden. Anxiety. "Take no thought, saying, What shall we eat? or, What shall we drink? or, Wherewithal shall we be clothed? "For after all these things do the Gentiles seek: for your heavenly Father knoweth that ye have need of all these things.—MAT., ch. 6.

9861. — Fruit of. Lot. [His home in Sodom brought poverty and shame. See Nos. 9864, 9866.]

9862. — Hostility from. Enemy. "Ye adulterers and adulteresses, know ye not that the friendship of the world is enmity with God? whosoever therefore will be a friend of the world is the enemy of God.—JAMES, ch. 4.

9863. — *Hinderances from. Supper.* ¹⁸ They all with one consent began to make excuse: The first said...I have bought a piece of ground, and I must needs go and see it: I pray thee have me excused. ¹⁹...I have bought five yoke of oxen, and I go to prove them: I pray thee have me excused. ²⁰...I have married a wife, and therefore I cannot come.—*LUKE*, ch. 14.

9864. — *punished. Lot's Wife.* ²⁶ His wife looked back from behind him, and she became a pillar of salt.—*GEN.*, ch. 19.

9865. — *rebuked. Usury.* [See No. 1839.] ¹ I rebuked the nobles, and the rulers, and said unto them, Ye exact usury, every one of his brother. And I set a great assembly against them. ² And I said unto them, We, after our ability, have redeemed our brethren the Jews, which were sold unto the heathen; and will ye even sell your brethren?—*NUM.*, ch. 5.

9866. — *Temptation to. Lot.* ¹⁰ Lot lifted up his eyes, and beheld all the plain of Jordan, that it was well watered every where, before the Lord destroyed Sodom and Gomorrah, even as the garden of the Lord, like the land of Egypt, as thou comest unto Zoar. ¹¹ Then Lot chose him all the plain of Jordan.—*GEN.*, ch. 13.

9867. — *in Worship. Damascus.* ¹⁰ Went to Damascus to meet Tiglath-pileser king of Assyria, and saw an altar that was at Damascus: and king Ahaz sent to Urijah the priest the fashion of the altar, and the pattern of it, according to all the workmanship thereof. ¹¹ And Urijah the priest built an altar according to all that king Ahaz had sent.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 16.

9868. — *Changes.* ¹⁷ King Ahaz cut off the borders of the bases, and removed the laver from off them; and took down the sea from off the brazen oxen that were under it, and put it upon a pavement of stones. ¹⁸ And the covert for the sabbath that they had built in the house, and the king's entry without, turned he from the house of the Lord for the king of Assyria.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 16.

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9869. WORSHIP, Abuses in. Divisions.

¹⁸ First of all, when ye come together in the church, I hear that there be divisions among you; and I partly believe it.—*1 COR.*, ch. 11.

9870. — *Sacrament.* ²¹ In eating every one taketh before other his own supper: and one is hungry, and another is drunken. ²² What! have ye not houses to eat and to drink in? or despise ye the church of God?—*1 COR.*, ch. 11.

9871. — *bid for. Satan.* ⁸ The devil taketh him up into an exceeding high mountain, and sheweth him all the kingdoms of the world, and the glory of them; ⁹ And saith...All these things will I give thee, if thou wilt fall down and worship me.—*MAT.*, ch. 4.

9872. — *Changes in. Altar.* ¹⁰ King Ahaz went to Damascus to meet Tiglath-pileser king of Assyria, and saw an altar that was at Damascus: and king Ahaz sent to Urijah the priest the fashion of the altar, and the pattern of it, according to all the workmanship thereof.—*2 KINGS*, ch. 16.

9873. — *Custom of. Jesus.* ¹⁶ He came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up: and, as his custom was, he went into the synagogue on the sabbath day.—*LUKE*, ch. 4.

9874. — *Paul.* ¹ They came to Thessalonica, where was a synagogue of the Jews: ² And Paul, as his manner was, went in unto them, and three sabbath days reasoned with them out of the Scriptures.—*ACTS*, ch. 17.

9875. — *Care in. "Not rash."* ¹ Keep thy foot when thou goest to the house of God, and be more ready to hear, than to give the sacrifice of fools: for they consider not that they do evil. ² Be not rash with thy mouth, and let not thine heart be hasty to utter any thing before God: for God is in heaven, and thou upon earth: therefore let thy words be few.—*ECCLES.*, ch. 5.

9876. — *Convenient. Jeroboam.* ²⁸ The king took counsel, and made two calves of gold, and said unto them, It is too much for you to go up to Jerusalem: behold thy gods, O Israel, which brought thee up out of the land of Egypt. ²⁹ And he set the one in Beth-el, and the other put he in Dan.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 12.

9877. — *Compulsory. "Image."* ⁶ Whoso falleth not down and worshippeth shall the same hour be cast into the midst of a burning fiery furnace.—*DAN.*, ch. 3.

9878. — *Daily. Temple.* ²⁸ This is that which thou shalt offer upon the altar; two lambs of the first year day by day continually. ²⁹ The one lamb thou shalt offer in the morning; and the other lamb thou shalt offer at even.—*EX.*, ch. 29.

9879. — *Delight in. David.* ¹ How amiable are thy tabernacles, O Lord of hosts! ² My

soul longeth, yea, even fainteth for the courts of the Lord: my heart and my flesh crieth out for the living God.—Ps. 84.

9880. — Devoted to. *Joshua*. "The Lord spake unto Moses face to face, as a man speaketh unto his friend. And he turned again into the camp; but his servant Joshua, the son of Nun, a young man, departed not out of the tabernacle.—Ex., ch. 33.

9881. — Expense in. *David*. [See No. 9912.]

9882. — Family. *Passover*. "In the tenth day of this month they shall take to them every man a lamb, according to the house of their fathers, a lamb for an house.—Ex., ch. 12.

9883. — Fear in. *Manoah*. "Then Manoah knew that he was an angel of the Lord. "And Manoah said unto his wife, We shall surely die, because we have seen God.—JUDGES, ch. 13.

9884. — — Removed. "His wife said unto him, If the Lord were pleased to kill us, he would not have received a burnt offering and a meat offering at our hands, neither would he have shewed us all these things, nor would as at this time have told us such things as these.—JUDGES, ch. 13.

9885. — in Grief. *Job*. "It fell upon the young men, and they are dead; and I only am escaped alone to tell thee. "Then Job arose, and rent his mantle, and shaved his head, and fell down upon the ground, and worshipped.—Job, ch. 1.

9886. — Grace for. *Repentance*. "I will pour upon the house of David, and upon the inhabitants of Jerusalem, the spirit of grace and of supplications: and they shall look upon me whom they have pierced, and they shall mourn for him, as one mourneth for his only son, and shall be in bitterness for him, as one that is in bitterness for his firstborn.—ZECH., ch. 12.

9887. — Gladness in. "*Good*." "It is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord, and to sing praises unto thy name, O Most High: "To shew forth thy lovingkindness in the morning, and thy faithfulness every night.—Ps. 92.

9888. — Heartless. "*Weariness*." [See No. 9919.]

9889. — Hope in. "*Wait*." "Wait on the Lord: be of good courage, and he shall strengthen thine heart: wait, I say, on the Lord.—Ps. 27.

9890. — in Ignorance. *Athenians*. "Paul stood in the midst of Mars' hill, and said, Ye men of Athens, I perceive that in all things ye are too superstitious. "For as I passed by, and beheld your devotions, I found an altar with this inscription, TO THE UNKNOWN GOD. Whom therefore ye ignorantly worship, him declare I unto you.—ACTS, ch. 17.

9891. — Intimidated in. *Disciples*. "The same day at evening, being the first day of the week, when the doors were shut where the disciples were assembled for fear of the Jews, came Jesus and stood in the midst, and saith unto them, Peace be unto you.—JOHN, ch. 20.

9892. — Inconvenient. *Temple at Jerusalem*. "Thou shalt observe the feast of weeks, of the firstfruits of wheat harvest, and the feast of ingathering at the year's end. "Thrice in the

year shall all your men children appear before the Lord God.—Ex., ch. 34.

9893. — Lip. *Hypocrites*. "Ye hypocrites, well did Esaias prophesy of you, saying, "This people draweth nigh unto me with their mouth, and honoureth me with their lips; but their heart is far from me.—MAT., ch. 15.

9894. — Mistaken. "*Repetitions*." "When ye pray, use not vain repetitions, as the heathen do: for they think that they shall be heard for their much speaking.—MAT., ch. 6.

9895. — Public. "*Congregation*." "Moses took the tabernacle, and pitched it . . . afar off from the camp, and called it the Tabernacle of the congregation . . . every one which sought the Lord went out unto the tabernacle.—Ex., ch. 33.

9896. — Preparation for. *Carmel*. "Elijah said unto all the people, Come near unto me. And all the people came near unto him. And he repaired the altar of the Lord that was broken down.—1 KINGS, ch. 18.

9897. — prostituted. *Hoshea*. "He removed the high places, and brake the images, and cut down the groves, and brake in pieces the brazen serpent that Moses had made: for unto those days the children of Israel did burn incense to it: and he called it Nehushtan.—2 KINGS, ch. 18.

9898. — Preservation by. *David*. "My steps had well nigh slipped. "For I was envious of the foolish, when I saw the prosperity of the wicked. "When I thought to know this, it was too painful for me. "Until I went into the sanctuary of God; then understood I their end.—Ps. 73.

9899. — a Pretence. *Herod*. "He sent them to Bethlehem, and said, Go and search diligently for the young child; and when ye have found him, bring me word again, that I may come and worship him also.—MAT., ch. 2.

9900. — prohibited. "*Lions*." "All the presidents of the kingdom, the governors, and the princes, the counsellors, and the captains, have consulted together to establish a royal statute, and to make a firm decree, that whosoever shall ask a petition of any God or man for thirty days, save of thee, O king, he shall be cast into the den of lions.—DAN., ch. 6. [See No. 6095.]

9901. — Purpose in. "*Needed*." "God that made the world and all things therein, seeing that he is Lord of heaven and earth, dwelleth not in temples made with hands; "Neither is worshipped with men's hands, as though he needed any thing, seeing he giveth to all life, and breath, and all things.—ACTS, ch. 17.

9902. — Presumption in. *King Saul*. "Saul said, Because I saw that the people were scattered from me, and that thou camest not within the days appointed. "Therefore said I, the Philistines will come . . . and I have not made supplication unto the Lord: I forced myself therefore, and offered a burnt offering. [He thereby lost his throne.]—1 SAM., ch. 13.

9903. — remembered. *Captives*. "If I forget thee, O Jerusalem, let my right hand forget her cunning. "If I do not remember thee, let my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth; if I prefer not Jerusalem above my chief joy.—Ps. 137.

9904. — **Relief in. Trouble.** ⁴ One thing have I desired of the Lord, that will I seek after; that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to behold the beauty of the Lord, and to inquire in his temple. ⁵ For in the time of trouble he shall hide me in his pavilion: in the secret of his tabernacle shall he hide me.—**PS.** 27.

9905. — **Readiness in. Heartily.** ¹ Hear, O Lord, when I cry with my voice: have mercy also upon me, and answer me. ⁸ When thou saidst, Seek ye my face; my heart said unto thee, Thy face, Lord, will I seek.—**PS.** 27.

9906. — **Reconciliation before.** *Jesus said,* ¹¹ If thou bring thy gift to the altar, and there rememberest that thy brother hath aught against thee: ¹⁴ Leave there thy gift before the altar, and go thy way; first be reconciled to thy brother, and then come and offer thy gift.—**MAT.**, ch. 5.

9907. — **Remembrance of. David.** ⁴ I had gone with the multitude, I went with them to the house of God, with the voice of joy and praise, with a multitude that kept holyday. ⁵ Why art thou cast down, O my soul, and why art thou disquieted in me? hope thou in God: for I shall yet praise him for the help of his countenance.—**PS.** 42.

9908. — **Social. Sinai.** ⁹ Then went up Moses, and Aaron, Nadab, and Abihu, and seventy of the elders of Israel: ¹⁰ And they saw the God of Israel: and there was under his feet as it were a paved work of a sapphire-stone, and as it were the body of heaven.—**EX.**, ch. 19.

9909. — **Beneficial.** ²⁴ Thomas, one of the twelve, called Didymus, was not with them when Jesus came. ²⁵ The other disciples therefore said unto him, We have seen the Lord.—**JOHN.** ch. 20.

9910. — **Waiting for.** ¹⁶ After eight days again his disciples were within, and Thomas with them: then came Jesus, the doors being shut, and stood in the midst, and said, Peace be unto you. ¹⁷ Then saith he to Thomas, Reach hither thy finger.—**JOHN.** ch. 20.

9911. — **Strength from. "Eagles."** ³¹ They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint.—**ISA.**, ch. 40.

9912. — **Sacrifice in. David.** ²⁴ King David said to Ornan, Nay; but I will verily buy it for the full price: for I will not take that which is thine for the Lord, nor offer burnt offerings without cost.—**1 CHRON.**, ch. 21.

9913. — **Safety in. At Feasts.** ²⁴ I will cast out the nations before thee, and enlarge thy borders: neither shall any man desire thy land, when thou shalt go up to appear before the Lord thy God thrice in the year.—**EX.**, ch. 34.

9914. — **Universal. Creation.** ¹ Praise ye the Lord. Praise ye the Lord from the heavens: praise him in the heights. ² Praise ye him, all his angels: praise ye him, all his hosts. ³ Praise ye him, sun and moon: praise him, all ye stars of light. ⁴ Praise him, ye heavens of heavens, and ye waters that be above the heavens.—**PS.** 148.

9915. — **Unauthorized. Pharisees.** ⁹ In

vain they do worship me, teaching for doctrines the commandments of men.—**MAT.**, ch. 15.

9916. — **"Strange Fire."** ¹ Nadab and Abihu, the sons of Aaron, took either of them his censer, and put fire therein, and put incense thereon, and offered strange fire before the Lord. ² And there went out fire from the Lord, and devoured them.—**LEV.**, ch. 10.

9917. — **Unintimidated. Daniel.** ¹⁰ When Daniel knew that the writing was signed, he went into his house; and, his windows being open in his chamber toward Jerusalem, he kneeled upon his knees three times a day, and prayed, and gave thanks before his God, as he did aforetime.—**DAN.**, ch. 6.

9918. — **Vows in. Pay.** ⁴ When thou vowest a vow unto God, defer not to pay it; for he hath no pleasure in fools: pay that which thou hast vowed. ⁵ Better is it that thou shouldst not vow, than that thou shouldst vow and not pay.—**ECC.**, ch. 5.

9919. — **Weariness in. "Sick."** ¹³ Ye said also, Behold, what a weariness is it! and ye have snuffed at it, saith the Lord of hosts; and ye brought that which was torn, and the lame, and the sick; thus ye brought an offering: should I accept this of your hand?—**MAL.**, ch. 1.

9920. WORSHIPPERS, Mixed. *"Some doubted."* ¹⁶ The eleven disciples went away into Galilee, into a mountain where Jesus had appointed them. ¹⁷ And when they saw him, they worshipped him: but some doubted.—**MAT.**, ch. 28.

9921. — **True. To Samaritan.** ²² The hour cometh, and now is, when the true worshippers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth; for the Father seeketh such to worship him. ²⁴ God is a spirit: and they that worship him must worship him in spirit and in truth.—**JOHN.** ch. 4.

9922. — **Jews.** ⁵ Ezra opened the book, and when he opened it, all the people stood up: ⁶ And Ezra blessed the Lord, the great God. And all the people answered, Amen, with lifting up their hands: and they bowed their heads, and worshipped the Lord with their faces to the ground.—**NEH.**, ch. 8.

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9923. WORTH, Estimated. *By Others.* ⁴ When they came to Jesus, they besought him instantly, saying, That he was worthy for whom he should do this: ⁵ For he loveth our nation, and he hath built us a synagogue.—**LUKE**, ch. 7.

9924. — Promotion by. *David.* ¹⁸ Behold, I have seen a son of Jesse the Beth-lehemite, *that is cunning in playing, and a mighty valiant man, and a man of war, and prudent in matters, and a comely person, and the Lord is with him.*—**1 SAM.**, ch. 16.

9925. — Without. *Centurion.* ⁶ When he was now not far from the house, the centurion sent friends to him, saying unto him, Lord, trouble not thyself; for I am not worthy that thou shouldst enter under my roof: ⁷ Wherefore neither thought I myself worthy to come unto thee: but say in a word, and my servant shall be healed.—**LUKE**, ch. 7.

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9926. WRITING, An alarming. *Belshazzar.* ¹ The king saw the part of the hand that wrote. ² Then the king's countenance was changed, and his thoughts troubled him, so that the joints of his loins were loosed, and his knees smote one against another. ³ The king cried aloud to bring in the astrologers.—**DAN.**, ch. 5. [See No. 4602.]

9927. — A perishable. *"On the Ground."* ⁷ When they continued asking him, he lifted up himself, and said unto them, He that is without sin among you, let him first cast a stone at her. ⁸ And again he stooped down, and wrote on the ground.—**JOHN**, ch. 8.

9928. — Tenderness in. *Paul.* ⁴ Out of much affliction and anguish of heart I wrote unto you with many tears; not that ye should be grieved, but that ye might know the love which I have more abundantly unto you.—**2 COR.**, ch. 2.

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9929. YEAR changed, The. *Jewish.* ¹ The Lord spake unto Moses and Aaron in the land of Egypt, saying, ² This month shall be unto you the beginning of months: it shall be the first month of the year to you.—**EX.**, ch. 12.

9930. — of Jubilee. *Fiftieth.* ¹⁰ Ye shall hallow the fiftieth year, and proclaim liberty throughout all the land unto all the inhabitants

thereof: it shall be a jubilee unto you; and ye shall return every man unto his possession, and ye shall return every man unto his family.—**LEV.**, ch. 25.

9931. — A rest. *Seven.* ³ Six years thou shalt sow thy field, and six years thou shalt prune thy vineyard, and gather in the fruit thereof; ⁴ But in the seventh year shall be a sabbath of rest unto the land, a sabbath for the Lord: thou shalt neither sow thy field, nor prune thy vineyard.—**LEV.**, ch. 25.

9932. YEARS, Burden of. *Barzillai.* ²⁵ I am this day fourscore years old: and can I discern between good and evil? can thy servant taste what I eat or what I drink? can I hear any more the voice of singing men and singing women? wherefore then should thy servant be yet a burden unto my lord the king.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 19.

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9933. YOKE, The easy. *Christ's.* ²⁹ Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me: for I am meek and lowly in heart; and ye shall find rest unto your souls. ³⁰ For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.—**MAT.**, ch. 11.

9934. YOKES, Emblem of. *Bondage.* ³ Thus saith the Lord to me; Make thee bonds and yokes, and put them upon thy neck, ⁴ And send them to the king of Edom...of Moab...of the Ammonites...of Tyrus, and to the king of Zidon, by the hand of the messengers which come to Jerusalem unto Zedekiah king of Judah.—**JER.**, ch. 27.

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9935. YOUNG admonished, The. *"Son."* ¹ My son, if thou wilt receive my words, and hide my commandments with thee; ² So that thou incline thine ear unto wisdom, and apply thine heart to understanding.—**PROV.**, ch. 2.

9936. — — "My Law." ¹ Hear, ye children, the instruction of a father, and attend to know understanding. ² For I give you good doctrine, forsake ye not my law.—PROV.**, ch. 4.**

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9937. YOUNG MAN, An ambitious. *Absalom.* ⁴ Oh that I were made judge in the land, that every man which hath any suit or cause might come unto me, and I would do him justice!—**2 SAM.**, ch. 15.

9938. — An artful. *Absalom.* ⁵ When any man came nigh to him to do him obeisance, he put forth his hand, and took him, and kissed him. ⁶ And on this manner did Absalom to all Israel that came to the king for judgment: so Absalom stole the hearts of the men of Israel.—**2 SAM.**, ch. 15.

9939. — advised. *By old Men.* ⁶ King Rehoboam consulted with the old men, that stood before Solomon his father while he yet lived, and said, How do ye advise that I may answer this people? ⁷ If thou wilt be a servant unto this people this day, and wilt serve them, and answer them, and speak good words to them, then they will be thy servants for ever.—**1 KINGS**, ch. 12.

9940. — for Business. *Joseph.* ⁴ Joseph was thirty years old when he stood before Pharaoh...And Joseph went out from the presence of Pharaoh, and went throughout all the land of Egypt...⁴⁶ And he gathered up all the food of the seven years.—**GEN.**, ch. 41.

9941. — A depraved. *Absalom*. [See 2 Sam. 16: 22.]

9942. — debauched. "*Hot Coals*." "Can a man take fire in his bosom, and his clothes not be burned? "Can one go upon hot coals, and his feet not be burned? "So he that goeth in to his neighbour's wife.—*Prov.*, ch. 6.

9943. — A fast. *Absalom*. "After this.. Absalom prepared him chariots and horses, and fifty men to run before him.—2 SAM., ch. 15.

9944. — A handsome. *Absalom*. "In all Israel there was none to be so much praised as Absalom for his beauty: from the sole of his foot even to the crown of his head there was no blemish in him.—2 SAM., ch. 14.

9945. — A heartless. *Absalom*. "Ahithophel said.. Let me now choose out twelve thousand men, and I will arise and pursue after David this night: "And I will come upon him while he is weary and weak handed, and will make him afraid: and all the people that are with him shall flee; and I will smite the king only: "And the saying pleased Absalom well, and all the elders of Israel.—2 SAM., ch. 17.

9946. — A helpless. *Absalom*. "Absalom met the servants of David. And Absalom rode upon a mule, and the mule went under the thick boughs of a great oak, and his head caught hold of the oak, and he was taken up between the heaven and the earth: and the mule that was under him went away.—2 SAM., ch. 18. [Joab slew him.]

9947. — An intriguing. *Absalom*. "Absalom sent spies throughout all the tribes of Israel, saying, As soon as ye hear the sound of the trumpet, then ye shall say Absalom reigneth in Hebron.—2 SAM., ch. 15.

9948. — An ill-advised. *Rehoboam*. "The young men that were grown up with him spake unto him, saying, Thus shalt thou speak unto this people that spake unto thee, saying, Thy father made our yoke heavy, but make thou it lighter unto us; thus shalt thou say unto them, My little finger shall be thicker than my father's loins.—1 KINGS, ch. 12. [Ten tribes seceded.]

9949. — An imprudent. *Asahel*. "Abner said to him, Turn thee aside to thy right hand or to thy left, and lay thee hold on one of the young men, and take thee his armour. But Asahel would not turn aside from following him.. "wherefore Abner with the hinder end of the spear smote him under the fifth rib.—2 SAM., ch. 2. [Abner was a great captain.]

9950. — Prayer for a. "*Eyes opened*." "His servant said unto him, Alas, my master! how shall we do? "And he answered, Fear not: for they that be with us are more than they that be with them. "And Elisha prayed, and said, Lord, I pray thee, open his eyes, that he may see.. and he saw: and behold, the mountain was full of horses and chariots of fire round about Elisha.—2 KINGS, ch. 6.

9951. — protected. *Elisha*. [By pious friendship. See above.]

9952. — Prodigal. *Parable*. "The younger son gathered all together, and took his journey into a far country, and there wasted his substance with riotous living.—*LUKE*, ch. 15.

9953. — A ruinous. *Rehoboam*. [See No. 9948.]

9954. — A rich. *Ruler*. "Jesus beholding him loved him, and said unto him, One thing thou lackest: go thy way, sell whatsoever thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven: and come, take up the cross, and follow me. "And he was sad at that saying, and went away grieved: for he had great possessions.—*MARK*, ch. 10.

9955. — A reverential. *Elihu*. "Elihu.. the Buzite answered and said, I am young, and ye are very old; wherefore I was afraid, and durst not shew you mine opinion. "I said, Days should speak, and multitude of years should teach wisdom.—*JOB*, ch. 32.

9956. — Young Ruler. "When he was gone forth into the way, there came one running, and kneeled to him, and asked him, Good Master, what shall I do that I may inherit eternal life?—*MARK*, ch. 10.

9957. YOUNG MEN against Christ. *Disciples*. "Then went the Pharisees, and took counsel how they might entangle him in his talk. "And they sent out unto him their disciples with the Herodians.. "Tell us therefore, What thinkest thou? Is it lawful to give tribute unto Cesar or not?—*MAT.*, ch. 22.

9958. — Hope in. *For the State*. "There came a prophet unto Ahab king of Israel, saying.. Hast thou seen all this great multitude? behold, I will deliver it into thine hand this day.. "And Ahab said, By whom? And he said, Thus saith the Lord, Even by the young men of the princes of the provinces.—1 KINGS, ch. 20.

9959. — Heroic. *Soldiers*. "Jonathan climbed up upon his hands and upon his feet, and his armourbearer after him: and they fell before Jonathan; and his armourbearer slew after him. "And that first slaughter.. was about twenty men.—1 SAM., ch. 14. [The long imposed yoke of the Philistines was broken.]

9960. — Trustful. *Soldiers*. "Jonathan said to the young man that bare his armour, Come, and let us go over unto the garrison of these uncircumcised: it may be that the Lord will work for us: for there is no restraint to the Lord to save by many or by few. "And his armourbearer said.. Do all that is in thy heart: turn thee; behold, I am with thee according to thy heart.—1 SAM., ch. 14.

9961. — Victory by. *Over Syria*. "These young men of the princes of the provinces came out of the city, and the army which followed them. "And they slew every one his man: and the Syrians fled.. and Ben-hadad the king of Syria escaped on a horse.—1 KINGS, ch. 20.

9962. — for War. *David*. "Saul said to David, Thou art not able to go against this Philistine to fight with him: for thou art but a youth, and he a man of war from his youth.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

9963. YOUNG PEOPLE, Care for. *Peter*. "He saith to him again the second time, Simon, son of Jonas, lovest thou me? He saith unto him, Yea, Lord; thou knowest that I love thee. He saith unto him, Feed my sheep.—*JOHN*, ch. 20. [*Lit.*, Half-grown sheep.]

9964. YOUNGER chosen, The. *Ephraim*. "When Joseph saw that his father laid his right hand upon the head of Ephraim, it displeased him; and he held up his father's hand, to re-

move it from Ephraim's head unto Manasseh's head.—GEN., ch. 48.

9965. YOUTH, Dreams of. *Joseph.* ⁴ Hear, I pray you, this dream which I have dreamed : ⁷ For, behold, we were binding sheaves in the field, and, lo, my sheaf arose, and also stood upright : and, behold, your sheaves stood round about, and made obeisance to my sheaf.—GEN., ch. 37.

9966. — Gentleness of. *Gideon said,* ³⁰ Unto Jether his firstborn, Up, and slay them. But the youth drew not his sword : for he feared, because he was yet a youth. ³¹ And Gideon arose, and slew Zebah and Zalmunnah, and took away the ornaments that were on their camels' necks.—JUDGES, ch. 8.

9967. — Piety in. *"Before."* ¹ Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth, while the evil days come not, nor the years draw nigh, when thou shalt say, I have no pleasure in them.—ECCLES., ch. 12.

9968. — A religious. *David.* ¹⁷ O God, thou hast taught me from my youth : and hitherto have I declared thy wondrous works. ¹⁸ Now also when I am old and grayheaded, O God, forsake me not.—PS. 71.

9969. — — David. ⁴⁵ Then said David to the Philistine, Thou comest to me with a sword, and with a spear, and with a shield : but I come to thee in the name of the Lord of hosts, the God of the armies of Israel, whom thou hast defied.—1 SAM., ch. 17.

9970. — secured. *By Obedience.* ²⁰ My son, keep thy father's commandment, and forsake not the law of thy mother : ²¹ Bind them continually upon thine heart, and tie them about thy neck. ²² When thou goest, it shall lead thee ; when thou sleepest, it shall keep thee ; and when thou awakest, it shall talk with thee.—PROV., ch. 6.

9971. — A spotless. *Young Ruler.* ¹⁹ Thou knowest the commandments, Do not commit adultery, Do not kill, Do not steal, Do not bear false witness, Defraud not, Honour thy father and mother. ²⁰ And he answered and said unto him, Master, all these have I observed from my youth.—MARK, ch. 10.

9972. — Selected. *Hebrews.* ⁴ Children in whom was no blemish, but well favoured, and skilful in all wisdom, and cunning in knowledge, and understanding science, and such as had ability in them to stand in the king's palace, and whom they might teach the learning and the tongue of the Chaldeans.—DAN., ch. 1.

9973. — Temptations of. *"Entice."* ¹⁰ My son, if sinners entice thee, consent thou not. ¹¹ If they say, Come with us, let us lay wait for blood, let us lurk privily for the innocent without cause.—PROV., ch. 1. [See chapter.]

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9974. ZEAL in Old Age. *Caleb.* ¹¹ I am this day fourscore and five years old. ¹² Now therefore give me this mountain. .thou heardest in that day how the Anakim were there, and that the cities were great and fenced : if so be the Lord will be with me, then I shall be able to drive them out, as the Lord said.—JOSEPH, ch. 14.

9975. — An affecting. *"Outwent."* ²² They departed into a desert place by ship privately. ²³ .and many knew him, and ran afoot thither out of all cities, and outwent them, and came together unto him. ²⁴ And Jesus, when he came out, saw much people, and was moved with compassion.—MARK, ch. 6.

9976. — An acknowledged. *Epaphras.* ¹³ Epaphras . . a servant of Christ, saluteth you, always labouring fervently for you in prayers, that ye may stand perfect and complete in all the will of God. ¹⁴ For I bear him record, that he hath a great zeal for you, and them that are in Laodicea.—COL., ch. 4.

9977. — An affectionate. *Women.* ¹ When the sabbath was past, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome, had bought sweet spices, that they might come and anoint him. ² And very early in the morning, the first day of the week.—MARK, ch. 16.

9978. — A burning. *Baptist's.* ²⁵ He was a burning and a shining light.—JOHN, ch. 5.

9979. — A belated. *Egyptians.* ²³ The Egyptians were urgent upon the people, that they might send them out of the land in haste ; for they said, We be all dead men.—EX., ch. 12.

9980. — Contagious. *Benevolence.* ³ I know the forwardness of your mind, for which I boast of you to them of Macedonia, that Achaia was ready a year ago ; and your zeal hath provoked very many.—2 COR., ch. 9.

9981. — desirable. *Paul.* ¹⁵ But it is good to be zealously affected always in a good thing.—GAL., ch. 4.

9982. — A discreditable. *"For the Law."* ²⁰ They glorified the Lord, and said unto him, Thou seest, brother, how many thousands of Jews there are which believe ; and they are all zealous of the law.—ACTS, ch. 21.

9983. — An excelling. *Levites.* ³⁴ The priests were too few, so that they could not flay all the burnt offerings : wherefore their brethren the Levites did help them, till the work was ended, and until the other priests had sanctified themselves : for the Levites were more upright in heart to sanctify themselves than the priests.—2 CHRON., ch. 29.

9984. — Energetic. *Nehemiah.* ¹⁴ Their children spake half in the speech of Ashdod, and could not speak in the Jews' language, but according to the language of each people. ²⁵ And I contended with them, and cursed them, and smote certain of them, and plucked off their hair, and made them swear by God.—NEH., ch. 13.

9985. — A false. *Pharisees'.* ⁴ They say unto him, Master, this woman was taken in adultery. . Now Moses in the law commanded us, that such should be stoned : but what sayest thou ? ⁶ This they said, tempting him, that they might have to accuse him.—JOHN, ch. 8.

9986. — of Hearers. *"Outwent."* [See No. 9975.]

9987. — removes Hunger. *Jesus.* ³¹ His disciples prayed him, saying, Master, eat. ³² But he said. . I have meat to eat that ye know not of. ³³ Therefore said the disciples one to another, Hath any man brought him ought to eat ? ³⁴ Jesus saith. . My meat is to do the will of him that sent me, and to finish his work.—JOHN, ch. 4.

9988. — *with Humility. Apollos.* [Eloquent Apollos taught more perfectly by mechanics, Aquila and Priscilla. See No. 4544.]

9989. — *A holy. Apostles.* ²⁵ Then came one and told them, saying, Behold, the men whom ye put in prison are standing in the temple, and teaching the people.—*ACTS*, ch. 5.

9990. — *of Hypocrites. Pharisees.* ¹³ Woe unto you scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! for ye compass sea and land to make one proselyte; and when he is made, ye make him twofold more the child of hell than yourselves.—*MAT.*, ch. 23.

9991. — *A hurtful. Healed Leper.* ⁴⁴ See thou say nothing to any man. ⁴⁵ But he went out, and began to publish it much, and to blaze abroad the matter, insomuch that Jesus could no more openly enter into the city, but was without in desert places: and they came to him from every quarter.—*MAT.*, ch. 1.

9992. — *An imprudent. Asahel.* ¹⁸ Asahel was as light of foot as a wild roe. ¹⁹ And Asahel pursued. he turned not to the right hand nor to the left from following Abner. ²⁰ Then Abner looked behind him, and said, Art thou Asahel? And he answered, I am. ²¹ And Abner said. Turn thee aside to thy right hand or to thy left, and lay thee hold on one of the young men, and take thee his armour. But Asahel would not turn aside from following of him.—*2 SAM.*, ch. 2. [The veteran soldier killed him.]

9993. — *An infatuated. Christ's Murderers.* ²⁴ When Pilate saw that he could prevail nothing, but that rather a tumult was made, he took water, and washed his hands before the multitude, saying, I am innocent of the blood of this just person: see ye to it. ²⁵ Then answered all the people, and said, His blood be on us, and on our children.—*MAT.*, ch. 27.

9994. — *for Labour. Paul's.* ¹⁰ And his grace which was bestowed upon me was not in vain; but I laboured more abundantly than they all: yet not I, but the grace of God which was with me.—*1 COR.*, ch. 15.

9995. — *Lack of. "Woe."* ¹ Woe to them that are at ease in Zion, and trust in the mountain of Samaria, which are named chief of the nations, to whom the house of Israel came.—*AMOS*, ch. 6.

9996. — *Laodiceans.* ¹⁶ I know thy works, that thou art neither cold nor hot: I would thou wert cold or hot. ¹⁷ So then because thou art lukewarm, and neither cold nor hot, I will spew thee out of my mouth.—*REV.*, ch. 3.

9997. — *Misunderstood. Jesus.* ²⁰ The multitude cometh together again, so that they could not so much as eat bread. ²¹ And when his friends heard of it, they went out to lay hold on him: for they said, He is beside himself.—*MARK*, ch. 3.

9998. — *Paul's.* ²⁴ Festus said with a loud voice, Paul, thou art beside thyself; much learning doth make thee mad. ²⁵ But he said, I am not mad, most noble Festus; but speak forth the words of truth and soberness.—*ACTS*, ch. 26.

9999. — *for Morality. Zaccheus.* ⁸ Zaccheus stood, and said. Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor; and if I have

taken any thing from any man by false accusation, I restore him fourfold.—*LUKE*, ch. 19.

10000. — *Ministerial. Paul's.* ³¹ Therefore watch, and remember, that by the space of three years I ceased not to warn every one night and day with tears.—*ACTS*, ch. 20.

10001. — *Misdirected. Peter's.* ²² Then Peter took him, and began to rebuke him, saying, Be it far from thee, Lord: this shall not be unto thee. ²³ But he turned, and said unto Peter, Get thee behind me, Satan: thou art an offence unto me.—*MAT.*, ch. 16.

10002. — *A Martyr's. Paul.* ¹³ What mean ye to weep and to break mine heart? for I am ready not to be bound only, but also to die at Jerusalem for the name of the Lord Jesus.—*ACTS*, ch. 21.

10003. — *An overcoming. "Roof."* ³ One sick of the palsy, which was borne of four. ⁴ And when they could not come nigh unto him for the press, they uncovered the roof where he was: and when they had broken it up, they let down the bed wherein the sick of the palsy lay.—*MARK*, ch. 2.

10004. — *Patriotic. Wall-builders.* ¹⁷ They which builded on the wall, and they that bare burdens, with those that laded, every one with one of his hands wrought in the work, and with the other hand held a weapon.—*NEH.*, ch. 4.

10005. — *A prosperous. "All his Heart."* ²⁰ Thus did Hezekiah throughout all Judah, and wrought that which was good and right and truth before the Lord his God. ²¹ And in every work that he began in the service of the house of God, and in the law, and in the commandments, to seek his God, he did it with all his heart, and prospered.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 31.

10006. — *in Prayer. Epaphras.* [See No. 9976.]

10007. — *A Persecutor's. Saul.* ¹¹ I punished them oft in every synagogue, and compelled them to blaspheme; and being exceedingly mad against them, I persecuted them even unto strange cities.—*ACTS*, ch. 26.

10008. — *Revival. Offerings.* ²¹ And the congregation brought in sacrifices and thank-offerings; and as many as were of a free heart, burnt offerings. ²² And the number of the burnt offerings, was threescore and ten bullocks, a hundred rams, and two hundred lambs: all these were for a burnt offering to the Lord. ²³ And the consecrated things were six hundred oxen and three thousand sheep.—*2 CHRON.*, ch. 29.

10009. — *A Reformer's. Nehemiah.* ²⁸ One of the sons of Joiada, the son of Eliashib the high priest, was son in law to Sanballat the Horonite: therefore I chased him from me.—*NEH.*, ch. 13.

10010. — *Asa's.* ¹¹ Asa did that which was right in the eyes of the Lord. ¹² he took away the sodomites out of the land, and removed all the idols that his fathers had made. ¹³ And also Maachah his mother, he removed from being queen, because she had made an idol in a grove; and Asa destroyed her idol.—*1 KINGS*, ch. 15.

10011. — *Josiah's.* ²⁰ He slew all the priests of the high places that were there upon the altars, and burned man's bones upon

them, and returned to Jerusalem.—2 KINGS, ch. 23.

10012. — for Reformation. *Jesus* ¹⁴ Found in the temple those that sold oxen and sheep and doves, and the changers of money sitting: ¹⁵ And when he had made a scourge of small cords, he drove them all out of the temple, and the sheep, and the oxen; and poured out the changers' money, and overthrew the tables.—JOHN, ch. 2.

10013. — rewarded. *Priestly*. ¹⁹ Behold, I give unto him my covenant of peace: ¹⁸ And he shall have it, and his seed after him, even the covenant of an everlasting priesthood; because he was zealous for his God, and made an atonement for the children of Israel.—NUM., ch. 25.

10014. — — *Zaccheus*. ⁵ When Jesus came to the place, he looked up, and saw him, and said unto him, Zaccheus, make haste, and come down: for to day I must abide at thy house. ⁶ And he made haste, and came down, and received him joyfully.—LUKE, ch. 19.

10015. — in Repentance. *Corinthians*. ¹¹ Behold this selfsame thing, that ye sorrowed after a godly sort, what carefulness it wrought in you, yea, *what* clearing of yourselves, yea, *what* indignation, yea, *what* fear, yea, *what* vehement desire, yea, *what* zeal, yea, *what* revenge.—2 COR., ch. 7.

10016. — Sudden. *Servants*. ²⁵ So the service of the house of the Lord was set in order. ²⁶ And Hezekiah rejoiced, and all the people, that God had prepared the people: for the thing was done suddenly.—2 CHRON., ch. 29.

10017. — Self-sacrificing. *Nehemiah*. ²³ So neither I, nor my brethren, nor my servants, nor the men of the guard which followed me, none of us put off our clothes, *saving* that every one put them off for washing.—NEH., ch. 11.

10018. — Spiritual. "*As the hart panteth.*" ¹ As the hart panteth after the water brooks, so panteth my soul after thee, O God. ² My soul thirsteth for God, for the living God: when shall I come and appear before God? ³ My tears have been my meat day and night, while they continually say unto me, Where is thy God? —PS. 42.

10019. — for the Sabbath. *Nehemiah*. ²⁰ The merchants and sellers of all kind of ware lodged without Jerusalem once or twice. ²¹ Then I testified against them. Why lodge ye about the wall? if ye do so again, I will lay hands on you. . . came they no more on the sabbath.—NEH., ch. 13.

10020. — in seeking. *Zaccheus*. ² He sought to see Jesus who he was; and could not for the press, because he was little of stature. ⁴ And he ran before, and climbed up into a sycamore tree to see him: for he was to pass that way.—LUKE, ch. 19.

10021. — A sacrificing. *Paul's*. ¹ What things were gain to me, those I counted loss for Christ. ⁶ Yea doubtless, and I count all things but loss for the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord: for whom I have suffered the loss of all things, and do count them but dung, that I may win Christ.—PHIL., ch. 3.

10022. — to testify. "*Left.*" ²⁸ The woman then left her waterpot, and went her

way into the city, and saith to the men, ²⁹ Come, see a man, which told me all things that ever I did: is not this the Christ? ³⁰ Then they. . . came unto him.—JOHN, ch. 4.

10023. — A terrible. *Against Idolaters*. ¹⁶ [Jehu] said, Come with me, and see my zeal for the Lord. So they made him ride in his chariot. ¹⁷ . . . he came to Samaria, he slew all that remained unto Ahab in Samaria. . . according to the saying of the Lord, which he spake to Elijah.—2 KINGS, ch. 10.

10024. — A united. *Soldiers*. ⁶ Jonathan said to the young man that bare his armour, Come, and let us go over unto the garrison of these uncircumcised: it may be that the Lord will work for us: for there is no restraint to the Lord to save by many or by few. ⁷ And his armourbearer said unto him, Do all that is in thy heart: turn thee; behold, I am with thee according to thy heart.—1 SAM., ch. 14.

10025. — Unwavering. *Paul's*. ²³ In every city, saying that bonds and afflictions abide me. ²⁴ But none of these things move me, neither count I my life dear unto myself, so that I might finish my course with joy, and the ministry, which I have received of the Lord Jesus, to testify the gospel of the grace of God.—ACTS, ch. 20.

10026. — A working. *Wall*. ²¹ So we laboured in the work: and half of them held the spears from the rising of the morning till the stars appeared.—NEH., ch. 4.

10027. — A Wicked. *Priests*. ¹⁷ Then the high priest rose up, and all. . . the sect of the Sadducees, and were filled with indignation, ¹⁸ And laid their hands on the apostles, and put them in the common prison.—ACTS, ch. 5.

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